

Resources for accommodating children with special needs in after school & summer programs

Department of Education: General information on special education:

<http://www.nj.gov/education/specialed/info>

Information on filing a request for mediation, a due process hearing, or a complaint investigation

(609) 292-0147

<http://www.nj.gov/education/specialed>

Department of Children and Families:

Office of Licensing: Oversees the official state licensing requirements governing child care centers and family child care homes in New Jersey

1-877-667-9845

<http://www.state.nj.us/dcf/divisions/licensing/centers.html>

Division of Child Behavioral Health Services: Services to children and adolescents with emotional and behavioral health care challenges and their families

1-877-652-7624

<http://www.state.nj.us/dcf/behavioral>

Department of Human Services, Division of Disability Services: Information and referral to people with disabilities and their families who are seeking help locating appropriate resources in their communities

1-888-285-3036 TTY (609) 292-1210

<http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dds/index.html>

Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies: Information about child care programs and services, vouchers for low income working families, and training for child care programs within each county

1-800-332-9227

<http://www.njaccrra.org/parentsAgencyListings.shtml>

Child Care Health Consultant Coordinators: Registered nurses in each county provide consultation, education and training about health and safety needs of children in child care **1-800-332-9227**

<http://www.njaccrra.org/parentsAgencyListings.shtml>

NJ Inclusive Child Care Project: Regional trainings, telephone assistance and on-site consultation to licensed child care providers

1-800-654-7726 Ext. 108

www.spannj.org

NJ School-Age Care Coalition: Training, telephone assistance and on-site consultation to school age child care providers **(908) 789-0259**

www.njsacc.org

New Jersey Statewide Parent Advocacy Network: Information about federal and state education law and resources for families

1-800-654-SPAN

www.spannj.org

Division on Civil Rights: Information about filing a discrimination complaint under the Law Against Discrimination or to get local contact numbers

(973) 648-2700; TTY (973) 648-4678; or

(609) 292-4605; TTY (609) 292-1785

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