

# Creative Strategies for Improving Library Services to Patrons with Disabilities

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Youth with Special Needs: A Resource and Planning Guide for Wisconsin Public Libraries, Barbara Huntington, Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, 2007  
<http://dpi.wi.gov/pld/ysnpl.html>

Assistive Technologies in the Library, Barbara T. Mates with William R. Reed, American Library Association, 2011.

WebAIM (accessibility of web & media)  
<http://webaim.org/articles/>

Libraries and Autism: We're Connected (training video & special needs communication guide)  
<http://www.thejointlibrary.org/autism>

Disability Etiquette: Tips on Interacting with People with Disabilities. United Spinal Association, 2011.  
<http://www.unitedspinal.org/pdf/DisabilityEtiquette.pdf>

National Library Service for the Blind & Physically Handicapped <http://www.loc.gov/nls/>

Bookshare <https://www.bookshare.org/>

JBI <http://www.jbilibrary.org/>

Gateways: Access to Jewish Education (holiday resources with visual supports)

<http://jgateways.org/Resources>

Jewish Disabilities Awareness Month  
(Jewish Special Education International Consortium)

<http://www.jsped.org/>

Jewish Disabilities Awareness Month Reads  
2012 Discussion Guide

[http://www.jewishfederations.org/local\\_includes/downloads/55050.pdf](http://www.jewishfederations.org/local_includes/downloads/55050.pdf)

URJ (Reform) <http://urj.org/life/family/disabilities/>

USCJ (Conservative)

<http://www.uscj.org/JewishLivingandLearning/SocialAction/Accessibility/default.aspx>

Yachad: The National Jewish Council for Disabilities (Orthodox Union) <http://www.njcd.org/>

Kol Ehad: JRF Committee on Inclusion of People with Disabilities (Reconstructionist)

<http://jrf.org/node/1743>