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The guide lists approximately 100 resources concerned with group homes for mentally retarded or otherwise disabled persons. Resources are organized into the following categories: manuals, staff training resources, bibliographies, technical assistance projects, audiovisuals, program materials, pamphlets and booklets, evaluation materials, books, reports, newsletters/periodicals/journals, organizations, and miscellaneous. Usually provided is such information as title, author, date (most are between 1975 and 1980), duration (if an audiovisual), order information, price, and a description. (DB)

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MANUALS

"HOUSING FOR THE HANDICAPPED AND DISABLED (A GUIDE FOR LOCAL ACTION)."

Write: National Association of Housing and
Redevelopment Officials (NAHRO)
2600 Virginia Ave., N.W.
Suite 504
Washington, D.C.

"THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE: ACHIEVING RESIDENTIAL ALTERNATIVES IN THE COMMUNITY." Discussion of what a residential service is and why it is needed. Action guidelines for local groups, showing the steps in developing a plan, collecting information, and devising a budget. Methods of achieving a change in social structure, when necessary, including restrictive codes and ordinances, Evaluation and monitoring of residential services. 80 pages, \$1.50.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Texas 76011

"LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP." "DEVELOPING COMMUNITY ACCEPTANCE." "THE BIRTH OF A RESIDENTIAL SERVICE." "WHAT TO DO WHEN THE RESIDENTS ARRIVE." "ADMINISTRATION BOOKLET." Designed to serve as step-by-step guidelines for persons interested in developing residential facilities for mentally handicapped persons.

Write: Nancy McAvoy
Ohio Division Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities
30 East Broad St., Rm. 1257
Columbus, Ohio 43215
(614) 466-7868

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES: A MANUAL FOR COMMUNITY HOUSING OPTIONS FOR HANDICAPPED PEOPLE. Contents: Planning Principles, Physical Settings, Housing Alternatives, Management Issues, Economic Issues, Problem Areas (Community Resistance; Staffing Issues; Services for Multiply Handicapped Persons), Reading List (annotated). \$11.00.

Order from: Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded
Kinsmen NIMR Bldg.
York University Campus
4700 Keele St.
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

COMMUNITY HOMES FOR THE RETARDED, by Joel S. Bergman, et. al. Provides information on the different phases of developing and maintaining community homes for retarded persons. \$11.00, postage 75¢.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Texas 76011

Manuals (continued)

OPERATING MANUAL FOR RESIDENTIAL SERVICES PERSONNEL. Useful for houseparents-- includes collection of information on administration, operation, day-to-day activities. 1974, 142 pp., \$6.00 plus 75¢ shipping.

Order from: The Nisonger Center
The Ohio State University
1580 Cannon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43210

ADULT GROUP HOME PROCEDURE MANUAL.

Order from: State of North Carolina
Department of Human Resources
Division of Mental Health Services
Mental Retardation Section
325 N. Salisbury St.
Raleigh, N.C. 27611

A COMMON SENSE APPROACH TO COMMUNITY LIVING ARRANGEMENT FOR THE MENTALLY RETARDED,
Fanning, J. Resource guide and checklist for writing grants and planning community residences. Includes a sample program evaluation scale. 1975, 95 pp.

Order from: Charles C. Thomas, Publisher
301-327 E. Lawrence Ave.
Springfield, Il. 62717

STAFF TRAINING RESOURCES.

THE LIFE PROJECT: LIVING IN A FAMILY ENVIRONMENT. Group Home Parent Training. Consists of two sound filmstrips, "Just People" and "Just a Home" and eight programmed, self-teaching manuals each accompanied by an audio cassette. Topics include: (1) introduction to mental retardation and community living, (2) home management, (3) health and hygiene, (4) behavior management, (5) sexuality, (6) recreation and leisure time, (7) community resources, and (8) social competency. Produced by Waisman Center on Mental Retardation & Human Development, Madison, Wisconsin. \$130.00 per kit.

Order from: The Stanfield House
12381 Wilshire Blvd.
Suite 203
Los Angeles, Ca. 90025

TRAINING FOR RESIDENTIAL ALTERNATIVES IN MENTAL RETARDATION AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES. A manual to assist in planning and evaluating training in residential alternatives for the mentally retarded and developmentally delayed which includes:

- definition of target group for training,
- a core content outline of recommended areas of training,
- content-based multiple-choice questions for evaluation training and suggestions for their practical application.

\$4.00 plus 75¢ postage and handling.

Order from: The Nisonger Center
The Ohio State University
1580 Cannon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43210

GROUP HOME DEVELOPMENT: A SERIES OF WORKSHOPS TO TRAIN GROUP HOME MANAGERS IN THE STATE OF INDIANA, 1976-77. Includes sections on behavior management, planning process, implementation, sex education, normalization, community relations, self-help skills, and crisis intervention.

Order from: Indiana University Developmental Training Center
2853 E. Tenth St.
Bloomington, In.

RESIDENT MANAGER EDUCATION: A CURRICULUM MODEL FOR EDUCATING FOSTER PARENTS AND GROUP HOME PERSONNEL, by G. Provencal and D. Evans. 1977.

Order from: Macomb-Oakland Regional Center
16200 Nineteen Mile Rd.
Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Staff Training Resources (continued)

GROUP HOME STAFF TRAINING PROJECT. Project funded through September, 1979 to provide training to group home staff and community residences for individuals with developmental disabilities in Region IV. Trainer's guide was developed.

Write: Florida Association of Rehab Facilities
347 Office Plaza
Tallahassee, Fl. 32301

TRAINING & TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR STAFF FROM GROUP HOMES & ACTIVITIES CENTER. Project funded through September 30, 1980 to develop a model for training severely/profoundly handicapped individuals to acquire skills which will allow them to... function independently in community living situations. Provides training and technical assistance to staff from group homes/activity centers.

Write: John J. McDonnell
Oregon State System of Higher Education
Teaching Research Divison
345 N. Monmouth Ave.
Monmouth, Oregon 97361

WAY TO GO. A complete training system on normalization, rights, advocacy, individual program planning, with annotated bibliography included. Six modular folios in 3-ring binder. Action oriented. 1979, \$12.50 ea. (discounts for large orders).

Order from: University Park Press
233 E. Redwood St.
Baltimore, Md. 21202

BIBLIOGRAPHIES

SMALL GROUP HOMES FOR THE HANDICAPPED AND DISABLED: AN ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY. 45 pp., free.

Order from: National Association of Private Residential
Facilities for the Mentally Retarded
6269 Leesburg Pike
Suite B-5
Falls Church, Va. 22044

REINTEGRATING MENTALLY RETARDED PEOPLE INTO THE COMMUNITY. An annotated bibliography of print and audiovisual information and training materials. 1975.

Order from: Council for Exceptional Children
1920 Association Drive
Reston, Va. 22091

ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY ON LIVING ARRANGEMENTS. A resource list that includes select references on accessibility assessments, family life skills, funding mechanisms, housing design, planning, respite care, and zoning. Mimeo available after September 1979.

Order from: United Cerebral Palsy, Inc.
66 E. 34th St.
New York, N.Y. 10016

NORMALIZATION.

Order from: Center for Developmental and Learning Disorders
Box 313
University of Alabama
1720 Seventh Ave., South
Birmingham, Al. 35294

MENTAL RETARDATION & RELIGION--A BIBLIOGRAPHY. Includes Catholic, Protestant, and Jewish references. 11 pp., 25¢.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

AN ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY OF MATERIALS ON RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR THE HANDICAPPED.

Order from: National Center for Law & the Handicapped
1235 N. Eddy St.
South Bend, In. 46617

Bibliographies (continued)

COMMUNITY BASED RESIDENTIAL SERVICES: - A BIBLIOGRAPHY. Annotated.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECTS

HANDI-TAP. A new technical assistance project developed by the Office of Independent Living for the Disabled, Department of HUD, Washington, D.C. Purpose is to help local and state officials and handicapped consumers evaluate their community's need for housing handicapped persons. HANDI-TAP will have seminars throughout the nation and produce "active" materials for use by planners and others.

For more information, write: Office of Independent Living
for the Disabled
U.S. HUD
Room 9106
7th & D Sts., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20410
(202) 755-7366

EVALUATION/TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECT. This project, funded by the Ohio Developmental Disabilities Planning Council, provides technical assistance in program evaluation to primary MR/DD service providing agencies in central Ohio in the form of a Program Evaluation Network. The Network includes both evaluation specialists and executives of the seven participating agencies. The Network seeks to improve program evaluation capabilities within each agency and encourages cross-agency program evaluation in areas of mutual agency concern and activity.

Efforts are underway during the current Project year (1979-80) to expand Technical Assistance Network activity into at least two additional sites in Ohio.

For more information, contact: Edward J. Schober, Ph.D.
Evaluation/Technical Assistance Project
Nisonger Center for MR/DD
The Ohio State University
1580 Cannon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43210
(614) 488-7209

"ARE THEY HAPPY?" Twenty-five minute program by ARC discusses the residential alternatives available to mentally retarded persons. Part of the residential training package to be used with the book, The Right to Choose, and also the slide show, "Where Do They Go From Here?" 80-35mm color slides with carousel/cassette/script. \$45.00 (or may be purchased with "Where Do They Go From Here?" for \$90.00 for both shows).

Order from: Southwest Film Laboratory
3024 Fort Worth Ave.
P.O. Box 21328
Dallas, Tx. 75211

"WHERE DO THEY GO FROM HERE?" The normalization principle is explained highlighting the right to education, independence, and community and social life. Discusses the rights of a person who is mentally handicapped to a normalized environment and is part of a training package to be used with the book, "Are They Happy?" 20 minutes, 80-35mm color slides/cassette/script. \$45.00 (or may be purchased as a set with "Are They Happy?" for \$90.00).

Order from: Southwest Film Laboratory
3024 Fort Worth Ave.
P.O. Box 21328
Dallas, Tx. 75211

"WOULD WE NOT LONG FOR THE FAIR." Produced under the Aid-Association for Lutherans' grant, this film sets a mood for thinking about mentally retarded people in a positive and friendly way. Developed to show what mentally retarded people look like, how they behave, and their typical life styles, it captures the normality of small group living within a community setting and highlights normal activities of mentally retarded children and adults who live in these residences. It has a dual thrust: (1) to improve the quality of programs for mentally retarded residents of institutions, and (2) to catalyze the development of community-based residential systems. 15 minutes. \$86.50.

Order from: Southwest Film Laboratory
3024 Fort Worth Ave.
P.O. Box 21328
Dallas, Tx. 75211

"A FAMILY OF FRIENDS." Depicts life in a group home for five moderately retarded men and women.

Order from: Adult Activity Center
3507 Columbia Pike
Arlington, Va. 22204

"WHERE THE CHILDREN ARE: A SLIDE SHOW ON INSTITUTIONS AND ALTERNATIVES." Designed to be viewed in two sections. First part reveals realities of

Audiovisuals* (continued)

day-to-day life in institutional ward. Second section portrays exemplary group homes and apartments. Slide/tape show: 1974, 129 slides, type-written script and bibliography.

Order from: Human Policy Press
University Station
Box 127
Syracuse, N.Y. 13210

"COMING HOME." Shows new woman moving into group home and reactions of neighbors to her and the group home being in their neighborhood. 16mm, color, 27 minutes. Free.

Call or write: State Educational Media Center
2401 W. Walnut St.
Columbus, Ohio 43223

*Descriptions taken from producer's or publisher's announcements.

PROGRAM MATERIALS

LIFE EXPERIENCE TRAINING. A curriculum for life skills training for mentally retarded adults. Includes dressing, grooming, clothing, food, money, health and safety, and using community resources. 1974, \$7.00.

Order from: Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded
York University Campus
Kinsmen NIMR Building
4700 Keele St.
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

GUIDE TO THE COMMUNITY: VOLS. I, II, III. The guides include these topics: driving a car, life insurance, paychecks, banking, employment, medical emergencies. 1975.

Order from: Elwyn Institute
Elwyn, Pa. 19063

BASIC LIVING SKILLS: PROGRAMS FOR FUNCTIONAL LIVING AT THE SECONDARY LEVEL. High interest, low vocabulary slide-tape programs (teacher manual included) on such topics as: applying for credit, care of teeth, using the telephone book, money handling, finding a job, budgeting, banking, etc.

Order catalog from: Interpretive Education
Division of I.E. Products, Inc.
2306 Winters Drive
Kalamazoo, Mi. 49002

"RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMMING FOR MENTALLY RETARDED PERSONS." A set of four booklets on the following topics: Prevailing Attitudes and Practices in the Field of Mental Retardation, A Developmental Model for Residential Services, Developmental Programming in the Residential Facility, and the Process of Change. \$1.50.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

INVENTORY OF HABILITATION PROGRAMS FOR MENTALLY RETARDED ADULTS. Four sections: social behaviors, practical living skills, socialization skills, and job skills. 1974.

Order from: Portland Habilitation Center
3829 S.E. 74th Ave.
Portland, Oregon 97206

Program Materials (continued)

PRACTICAL GUIDELINES: A MINICOURSE IN PROGRAM DESIGN FOR THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED. Discusses assessment, choosing and adapting materials, staff meetings, planning. 1978.

Order from: Education Consultant Enterprises, Inc.
P.O. Box 1471
Greeley, Colorado 80631

PAMPHLETS, BOOKLETS, ETC.

"PEOPLE LIVE IN HOUSES." Describes representative group homes, foster homes, and other types of residential settings. Stock No. 017-000-00143-4. 1974. \$1.70.

Order from: U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington, D.C. 20402

"AN APPROACH TO APARTMENT LIVING PLAN TO PROMOTE INTEGRATION AND NORMALIZATION OF MENTALLY RETARDED ADULTS" by M. Fritz, W. Wolfensberger, M. Knowlton. \$2.50.

Order from: National Institute on Mental Retardation
Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded
Kinsmen NIMR Building
4700 Keele St.
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

"NO PLACE LIKE HOME" by Ann Shearer. \$1.00 each.

Order from: National Institute on Mental Retardation
Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded
Kinsmen NIMR Building
4700 Keele St.
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

"RESIDENTIAL SERVICES: POSITION STATEMENTS OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CITIZENS." A compilation and summary of ARC's positions on various issues related to residential services which replaces the residential statements issued in 1976. 24 pages, 50¢.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

"TOWARD AN INTERDEPENDENT LIFE" by Robert A. Perske. Discusses the desirability for retarded persons living in the community to move from dependent to independent and finally to interdependent status. 9 pages, 25¢.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

"HOUSING FOR LOW INCOME FAMILIES: HUD'S NEW SECTION 8 HOUSING ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS PROGRAM."

Order from: National Association Residential Facilities for
Mentally Retarded
6269 Leesburg Pike, Suite B-5
Falls Church, Va. 22044

Pamphlets, Booklets, Etc. (continued)

"HOW TO GET A JOB." Gives mentally retarded people ideas on how to look for a job and read want ads. One free.

Order from: President's Committee on Employment of the
Handicapped
Washington, D.C. 20210

"YOUR RIGHTS AS A DISABLED PERSON." Free.

Order from: Consumer Information Center
Dept. 651 F
Pueblo, Co. 81009

"A PLACE OF OUR OWN: TIPS FOR MENTALLY RETARDED PEOPLE LIVING IN THE COMMUNITY." Written for mildly mentally retarded people. Many pictures of retarded people in a group home. One free.

Order from: President's Committee on Employment of the
Handicapped
Washington, D.C. 20210

For sale by: U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington, D.C. 20402
Stock #040-000-00398-3

"FACTORS TO CONSIDER IN SELECTING A TRAINING HOSTEL OR GROUP HOME" by J. Fanning. 1974.

Order from: Mental Health Services of the
Roanoke Valley
Suite 500
Carlton Terrace Building
Roanoke, Va. 24016

EVALUATION

"RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMMING FOR MENTALLY RETARDED PERSONS--A CHECKLIST" by ARC. Designed to make the evaluation of residential programs, as described in Book III of ARC's RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMMING FOR RETARDED PERSONS series, easier and more efficient. 20 pages, 40¢.

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2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

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Also, see "Manuals". Some of the manuals include sections on evaluation.

BOOKS

HOME IS A GOOD PLACE, by Gail O'Connor. A national perspective of community residential facilities. \$4.95, 1976, 104 pp.

Order from: American Association on Mental Disability
5101 Wisconsin Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20016

NO PLACE LIKE HOME, by Irving R. Dickman. Describes models of living arrangements. \$3.00, 1975, 111 pp.

Order from: United Cerebral Palsy, Inc.
66 E. 34th St.
New York, N.Y. 10016

READY TO WORK?, by David R. Ginglend and Bernice Wells Carlson. Topics include kitchen and sewing skills and physical, emotional, and social fitness. Also included is a guideline on how organization can help retarded youth find jobs. \$6.95, postage 25¢.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

CHANGING PATTERNS IN RESIDENTIAL SERVICES. Includes chapters by 14 authors, discussing models in the U.S. and abroad. \$4.45. Stock No. 040-000-00365-7.

Order from: Government Printing Office
Washington, D.C. 20402

REPORTS

"HOUSING FOR DD CITIZENS: AN ANALYSIS OF POLICY ISSUES."

Order from: National Association of State Mental
Retardation Directors
2001 Jefferson Davis Highway
Suite 806
Arlington, Va. 22202

ISSUES AND PROBLEMS IN DEINSTITUTIONALIZATION IN NEW REGION V.

Order from: Robert H. Bruininks
Project Director
Department of Psychoeducational Studies
University of Minnesota
101 Pattee Hall
150 Pillsbury Drive
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55455

"STATE OPERATED RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES FOR MENTALLY RETARDED PEOPLE IN REGION V: YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1978" (Project Report No. 3) by G. Krantz, R. Bruininks, J. Clumpner, Presents data on number of facilities, number of residents, admissions, readmissions, population changes, etc. \$1.50.

Order from: Information & Technical Assistance Project in
Deinstitutionalization
207 Pattee Hall
150 Pillsbury Dr., S.E.
Minneapolis, Mn. 55455

STUDY & EVALUATION OF INTEGRATING THE HANDICAPPED IN HUD HOUSING. Prepared by Battelle Columbus Laboratories for Office of Policy Development and Research, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 1977.

Order from: Superintendent of Documents
U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington, D.C. 20402
Stock #023-000-00419-4

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES PROJECT ON RESIDENTIAL SERVICES AND COMMUNITY ADJUSTMENT. The project undertook a survey of public residential facilities. Reports are available on "the most up-to-date descriptive information available on residential facilities and institutions for retarded people." Reports cover: growth of residential facilities, resident characteristics, costs, resident movement nationally.

Order from: University of Minnesota
211 Pattee Hall
150 Pillsbury Drive, S.E.
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55455
(612) 376-5283

NEWSLETTERS/PERIODICALS/JOURNALS

LINKS "LIVING IN NEW KINDS OF SITUATIONS." Newsletter of the National Association of Private Residential Facilities for the Mentally Retarded. \$18.00 yr.

Send checks to: LINKS
P.O. Box 160274
Sacramento, Ca. 95816

PCMR NEWSBREAK. Published quarterly. Provides current information on new innovative programs.

Order from: President's Committee on Mental Retardation
Washington, D.C. 20201

DD POLESTAR. Explores current issues. Includes calendar of events.

Free from: Welfare Research, Inc.
99 Park Ave.
New York, N.Y. 10016

MENTAL RETARDATION NEWS. Only newspaper in the United States devoted exclusively to the field of mental retardation--published bimonthly by ARC. Subscriptions, U.S. and Canada: \$3.50, one year; \$5.50, two years; \$7.00, three years. Foreign subscriptions: \$4.00, one year; \$6.50, two years; \$8.50, three years.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

CANADIAN REPORTER. Newsletter of the Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded. \$2.00 a year.

Order from: Canadian Association for the Mentally Retarded
Kinsmen NIMR Building
York University Campus
4700 Keele Street
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

JOURNAL OF PRACTICAL APPROACHES TO DEVELOPMENTAL HANDICAP.

Order from: 3304 33rd St., N.W.
Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2L 2A6

MENTAL RETARDATION, Journal of AAMD. Non-AAMD members \$26.00 yr. Members--included in dues.

Order from: AAMD
5101 Wisconsin Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20016

Newsletters/Periodicals/Journals (continued)

DISABLED USA.

Order from: President's Committee on Employment of the
Handicapped
Washington, D.C. 20210

AMICUS.

Order form: National Center for Law and the Handicapped, Inc.
1235 N. Eddy St.
South Bend, In. 46617

ACTION TOGETHER/INFORMATION EXCHANGE. ARC monthly newsletter. Includes a roundup of items of interest to and about state and local ARCs and deals in detail with issues and projects of interest in the ARC movement. Subscription rate for one year is \$10.00.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 76011

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES NOW.

Order from: 5667 Westcreek Drive
Dayton, Ohio 45426

GOVERNMENT REPORT. Published monthly by the Governmental Affairs Office of ARC, this report provides a review and analysis of the latest on national legislation and federal agency activities that impact on the lives of retarded citizens. Subscription rate: \$15.00/yr.

Order from: Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
Arlington, Tx. 45426

MENTAL RETARDATION BULLETIN.

Order from: Mental Retardation Center
University of Alberta
Alberta, Canada T6G 0Y1

MENTAL DISABILITY LAW REPORTER.

Order from: 1800 M St.
Washington, D.C. 20036

Newsletters/Periodicals/Journals (continued)

DEFICIENCE MENTALE/MENTAL RETARDATION. \$5.00 yr. non-CAMR members.

Order from: CAMR
4700 Keele St.
Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3

AMERICAN JOURNAL OF MENTAL DEFICIENCY.

Order from: AAMD
49 Sheridan Ave.
Albany, N.Y. 12210

"RECAP ON DD: SUMMARY OF STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS AFFECTING PERSON WITH DD."

Order from: Ohio Association for Retarded Citizens
Northwest Blvd.
Columbus, Ohio 43215

"NEW DIRECTIONS" and "CAPITOL CAPSULE." \$25.00 for both or \$15.00 for one.

Order from: National Association of State M.R. Program Directors
2001 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, Va. 22202

ORGANIZATIONS*

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PRIVATE RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES FOR THE MENTALLY RETARDED

6269 Leesburg Pike
Falls Church, Va. 22044
(703) 536-3311

Serving developmentally disabled and other handicaps usually connected with developmental disabilities, the NAPRFMR is directly concerned with all "out-of-home" living situations. The Association collects and disseminates information on housing, income maintenance/security, and insurance programs for facilities. The Association provides the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to direct service providers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets, or fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies, (5) distributes the organization's newsletter, and (6) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf. Lay persons are also permitted on-site use of the Association's holdings. Also available are reports of studies conducted by the Association.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CITIZENS

2709 Avenue E, East
Arlington, Tx. 76011
(817) 261-4961

NARC is devoted to improving the welfare of all mentally retarded individuals in addition to fostering research into the causes and prevention of mental retardation. NARC provides help to parents, individuals, organizations, and communities in jointly solving problems caused by mental retardation. The Association provides the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets, and fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, (5) provides films or other audiovisuals, (6) sends the organization's newsletter, (7) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf, and (8) permits on-site use of its holdings. Individual bibliographies, indexes or abstracts are also prepared for certain professional requests. Local chapters in many areas sponsor direct services such as day camps, sheltered workshops, special classes and preschool programs, and transportation programs.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION ON MENTAL DEFICIENCY

5101 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20016
(202) 686-5400

The AAMD is an organization of professionals in the field of mental retardation whose purposes are: (1) to disseminate information and promote information exchange among professionals about the most recent knowledge in the field of mental retardation, its prevention and amelioration,

*Descriptions taken from Directory of National Information Sources on Handicapping Conditions & Related Services, Clearinghouse on the Handicapped, DHEW, Washington, D.C. 20201.

Organizations (continued)

(2) increase the skills of professionals and paraprofessionals working in the field of mental retardation through continuing education, (3) develop and disseminate instruments and other materials to help define mental retardation, and provide guidelines to professionals, legislators, and the public about the rights of retarded persons through the development of official position statements, (4) set standards for services to retarded persons through accreditations, litigation and legislation, and (5) educate the public to understand, accept and respect mentally retarded persons. AAMD provides the following information services to professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, and (3) permits on-site use of its holdings. Lay inquirers are referred to other information centers and sent brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets, on request. AAMD publishes the AMERICAN JOURNAL ON MENTAL DEFICIENCY and MENTAL RETARDATION. AAMD has developed an ADAPTIVE BEHAVIOR SCALE.

PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON MENTAL RETARDATION
Office of Human Development
Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
ROB #3, Room 2614
Seventh & D Streets, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20201
(202) 245-7520

The President's Committee on Mental Retardation was established to advise the President on what is being done for retarded people, recommend federal action where needed, promote coordination and cooperation among public and private agencies, stimulate individual and group action, and promote public understanding of mentally retarded people and their problems. The primary information service of PCMR is distribution of its publications. A Publications List is available upon request. PCMR also answers inquiries by phone or letter, refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers, and sends brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets.

AMERICAN COALITION OF CITIZENS WITH DISABILITIES
1224 Dupont Circle Bldg.
Room 308
Washington, D.C. 20036
(202) 785-4265

Serving handicapping conditions in general, the organization is at present working as an information and referral office for handicapped individuals, as well as an active advocate for their rights. The Coalition: (1) answers inquiries by phone, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers, and (3) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf.

Organizations (continued)

UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY ASSOCIATIONS, INC.

66 E. 34th Street
New York, N.Y. 10016
(212) 481-6300

The UCPA engages in direct services, advocacy and public education programs, funding of research, and training of professional and scientific manpower. The Association collects and disseminates information on cerebral palsy and offers the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets and fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, (5) provides films or other audiovisuals, (6) sends the organization's newsletter, (7) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf, and (8) permits on-site use of its holdings. The Association produces public and professional educational materials.

CLEARINGHOUSE ON THE HANDICAPPED

Office for Handicapped Individuals
Office of Human Development
Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
338D Hubert H. Humphrey Building
200 Independence Ave., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20201
(202) 245-1961 TTY: (202) 245-8645

The Clearinghouse acts primarily as a national referral center for questions related to handicapped individuals and serves all persons and organizations seeking information on handicapped individuals. The Clearinghouse intends to collect, organize, and facilitate exchange of information concerning state level programs and information resources. The Clearinghouse provides the following information to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers at the national level, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets, and fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies and resource lists, (5) sends its own newsletter, Programs for the Handicapped, (6) makes inquiries of other organizations or information sources on the inquirer's behalf (in exceptional cases), and (7) permits on-site use of its holdings.

PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON EMPLOYMENT OF THE HANDICAPPED

Department of Labor
1111 20th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210
(202) 653-5044

The President's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped provides a continuing public education and information program in cooperation with public and private groups to create attitudes favorable to employment of handicapped individuals. The Committee prepares and delivers programs, plans, and information to state and local committees. The

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Committee provides the following information services to professionals: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets, (4) lends films or other audiovisuals, (5) makes inquiries of organizations on the inquirer's behalf, (6) prepares bibliographies, indexes or abstracts in response to certain individual requests, and (7) permits on-site use of its holdings. The lay inquirer is generally referred to other information centers.

SEX INFORMATION AND EDUCATION COUNCIL OF THE U.S. (SIECUS)
137-155 N. Franklin Street
Hempstead, N.Y. 11550
(516) 483-3033

Serving handicapping conditions in general, with particular emphasis on physical handicaps and mental retardation, its program has been primarily to reach health professionals through publications and participation in training seminars, organizational meetings at the national or state levels, and by enrolling professionals as Associates of SIECUS. In addition, SIECUS will answer lay and professional inquiries by phone or letter. Inquirers are also referred to other information centers or direct service providers.

NATIONAL CLEARINGHOUSE FOR MENTAL HEALTH INFORMATION
National Institute of Mental Health
Public Health Service
Department of H.E.W.
Rockwall Room 505
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, Md. 20852
(301) 443-4517

The NCMHI is charged with collecting and disseminating mental health information to individuals and organizations in mental health. The Clearinghouse provides the following information services to any lay or professional inquirer: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, (5) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf, and (6) permits on-site use of its holdings by the inquirer. For the professional inquirer, NCMHI will also prepare bibliographies and abstracts in response to individual requests.

MENTAL DISABILITY LEGAL RESOURCE CENTER
Commission on the Mentally Disabled
American Bar Association
1800 M Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036
(202) 331-2240

Organizations (continued)

The Center's first priority project is to publish the MENTAL DISABILITY LAW REPORTER, a bimonthly compendium of legal materials for lawyers, administrators, professionals, and advocates in the mental disability area, and a practice tool for lawyers involved in mental disability litigation. Other functions are: (1) operates a clearinghouse of legal and technical materials, (2) provide technical assistance to federal and state agencies, attorneys, legislative committees, consumer groups, professionals working with mentally disabled persons, and others interested in laws affecting mentally disabled persons, and (3) make recommendations and prepare amicus curiae (friend of the court) briefs to be filed on behalf of the American Bar Association in cases of major importance in the mental disability area. The Center provides the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers, (3) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf, (4) sends copies of materials on request, (5) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, (6) makes the MENTAL DISABILITY LAW REPORTER available to subscribers, (7) prepares bibliographies, indexes or abstracts in response to certain individual requests, and (8) permits on-site use of its holdings.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR LAW AND THE HANDICAPPED
1235 N. Eddy Street
South Bend, In. 46617
(219) 288-4751 Toll free: (800) 348-2240

The NCLH was established to protect and insure protection under the law for all handicapped individuals in our country through provision of legal assistance, legal and social science research activities, and programs and processes of public education and professional awareness. Assistance for disabled individuals is provided through direct legal intervention and indirectly through consultation with attorneys, organizations and individuals considering or involved in questions of law and the handicapped. NCLH provides the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers or direct service providers, (3) sends brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets, (4) sends previously prepared bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, (5) prepares bibliographies, indexes or abstracts, including legal memoranda for attorneys, in response to certain individual requests, and (6) sends the organization's newsletter. The Center's bimonthly publication AMICUS (designed to monitor and report developments in the law as they relate to the rights of handicapped individuals) is disseminated to both the legal and lay public at no cost.

OFFICE FOR CIVIL RIGHTS
Office of the Secretary
Department of Health, Education, and Welfare
330 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20201
(202) 245-6700

Organizations (continued)

The Office for Civil Rights is responsible for investigating discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, mental and physical handicap, and sex in federally assisted programs. The OCR provides the following information services to lay and professional inquirers: (1) answers inquiries by phone or letter, (2) refers inquirers to other information centers, (3) makes inquiries of other organizations on the inquirer's behalf, and (4) sends brochures, pamphlets or fact sheets. Any person who feels that discrimination exists in a federally assisted program or is practiced by a federal contractor or subcontractor is entitled to file a complaint with OCR or one of its regional offices.

MISCELLANEOUS

FIRST AID, EMERGENCY PROCEDURES AND CARE OF ACUTE ILLNESS IN CLASSROOM AND RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES. \$2.00 plus 75¢ shipping.

Order from: Nisonger Center
The Ohio State University
1580 Cannon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43210

DIRECTORY OF NATIONAL INFORMATION SOURCES ON HANDICAPPING CONDITIONS AND RELATED SERVICES. Free for information and service providers.

Order from: Office for Handicapped Individuals
Office of Human Development Services
Room 338D
Hubert H. Humphrey Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20201
Order #017-000-00205-8

FEDERAL ASSISTANCE FOR PROGRAMS SERVING THE HANDICAPPED. (#78-22001)

Order from: Office for Handicapped Individuals
Office of Human Development Services
Room 338D
Hubert H. Humphrey Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20201

RESOURCE GUIDE: ARCHITECTURAL BARRIER REMOVAL. (#79-22006)

Order from: Office for Handicapped Individuals
Office of Human Development Services
Room 338D
Hubert H. Humphrey Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20201

RESOURCE GUIDE: RECREATION AND LEISURE FOR HANDICAPPED INDIVIDUALS. (#79-22004)

Order from: Office for Handicapped Individuals
Office of Human Development Services
Room 338D
Hubert H. Humphrey Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20201

"ACCOUNTING SYSTEM FOR GROUP HOMES FOR DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED PERSONS"
by H.W. Sipe. 1976.

Order from: Rehabilitation Research & Training Center in Mental
Retardation
University of Oregon
Eugene, Oregon

"ALTERNATIVE LIVING PROGRAMS."

Order from: Grant-Blackford Developmental Center
2724 S. Carey St.
Marion, In. 46952

"BREAKING DOWN WALLS TO COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR THE HANDI-CAPPED." Special report in Amicus, Vol. 3, No. 2, March/April 1978.
Five articles related to community residential services.

Write: National Center for Law & the Handicapped
1235 N. Eddy St.
South Bend, In. 46617