# Special Education Useful Web Sites

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#### General Information about Children with Disabilities

- 1. www.ed.gov United States Department of Education
- 2. www.wrightslaw.com The Special Education Advocate
- 3. <a href="www.disabilityrightstx.org">www.disabilityrightstx.org</a> Advocacy for the rights of disabled persons
- 4. www.tea.texas.gov Texas Education Agency
- 5. <u>www.ascd.org</u> Association for Supervision of curriculum Development
- 6. www.cec.sped.org Council for Exceptional Children
- 7. www.aacap.org American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- 8. www.proactiveparent.com Resources for parents/teachers of students with reading difficulties
- 9. <a href="https://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers">www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers</a> US Department of Education Office of Special Education and Rehabilitation

## Information about Bipolar and Other Psychological Disorders

- 1. www.nimh.nih.gov Official site of the national Institute of Mental health
- 2. www.jbrf.org Juvenile Bipolar Research Foundation

## ADD/ADHD

- 1. www.add.org Attention Deficit Disorder Association
- 2. www.chadd.org Children and Adults with ADHD

### Dyslexia

1. www.interdys.org International Dyslexia Association

## Down Syndrome

1. www.ndss.org National Down Syndrome Society

### Autism

- 1. <u>www.feat.org</u> Families for Early Autism Treatment
- 2. <u>www.behavior.org</u> Behavioral Programming for Children with Autism
- 3. <u>www.autism-society.org</u> Autism Society of America

#### Cerebral Palsy

1. www.cerebralpalsyguide.com Cerebral Palsy Guide