



Palm Beach County Community Resource Guide

Florida Diagnostic & Learning Resources System
FDLRS/Alpha Center
Discretionary Project serving Palm Beach County



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Parents As Liaisons (PALs) help guide you through the Exceptional Student Education (ESE) process. PALs are parents of children with special needs. The PALs are trained to assist parents and educators in a variety of ways, by encouraging positive communication between families and educators. PALs are contracted consultants with the Department of Exceptional Student Education (ESE) and the Florida Diagnostic Learning Resources System (FDLRS).



Bridging the gap between families of children with special educational needs and available supports is a major role of a PAL. Parents as Liaisons are available to listen, answer questions and refer parents to appropriate school personnel or other community agencies.

Contact Information

PALs (561) 434-8393

About the Resource Guide

The FDLRS Community Resource Guide is designed to encourage communication among families of children with disabilities and Palm Beach County organizations. The inclusion of a provider or organization identifies a community resource and distribution does not imply endorsement or recommendation by Palm Beach County Public Schools or FDLRS/Alpha. It is the responsibility of the service consumers to evaluate the credentials of any provider they choose.



The mission of the FDLRS Associate Center network is to support the implementation of the Bureau of Instructional Support and Community Services and local district initiatives. The initiatives include highest student achievement, high performance work force, personal safety, and partnerships. FDLRS assists in the enhancement of learner outcomes for students through provision of information, training and technical assistance to persons involved with students with exceptionalities. Collaboration among centers within the network and across functions to develop resources and products to support the initiative is essential.

The Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System (FDLRS) is a network of 19 Associate and 4 Specialized Centers in Florida which provide support services to educators, parents, and other professionals who work with exceptional students.

FDLRS ensures that families have access to exceptional student training and information, provides information to families and professionals about local resources and family support groups and promotes partnerships between schools and parents to support student achievement.

The entire resource guide is downloadable in PDF format at:
www.palmbeachschools.org/ease/fdlrs



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HELPLINE INFORMATION

Dial 211

www.211palmbeach.org

By dialing 2-1-1 parents & caregivers of children (birth to 22) with special needs can easily and effectively navigate community services.

211 Palm Beach/Treasure Coast's mission is to connect people to answers 24 hours a day by understanding their individual emotional, financial and community needs and to support the health & human service system.

Callers can get help with:

Family Counseling
Depression
Relationship Problems
Suicide
Alcohol/Drug Abuse
Parenting Problems
Child Care
Divorce
Health Insurance
Food Assistance

Clothing
Employment
Education
Housing
Financial Assistance
Support Groups
Domestic Abuse
Rape Crisis
Crises Intervention
Transportation



ADVOCACY

4 A Better Education

Non-profit advocacy services for students with special needs.

1061 Summerwood Circle
Wellington, FL 33414
(561) 718-1884

Coalition for Independent Living Organization

2751 S. Dixie Highway
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
(561) 966-4288
www.cilo.org

Florida Rural Legal Services

Dedicated to providing quality civil legal advice, representation and education for low income people and communities, social security and disability services.

2051 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd., Suite 101
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
(561) 820-8902
<https://www.frls.org/>

FDLRS - Parent As Liaisons (PALS)

Exceptional Student Education advocacy and community resources

Child Find/ESE Diagnostic Center
John F. Kennedy Middle School
1901 Avenue "S", Room 159
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
(561) 434-8393
www.palmbeachschools.org/ese/fdlrs.asp

Legal Aid Society of Palm Beach County Inc.

Providing high quality civil legal advice, representation and education to the disadvantaged of Palm Beach County so as to protect their personal safety, enhance their opportunities and living conditions and promote self-sufficiency.

www.legalaidpbc.org

Main Office (*Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. or by appointment*)

423 Fern Street
Suite 200
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
561-655-8944
Toll Free: 800-403-9353

West County Satellite Office
by appointment only
38844 State Road 80
Belle Glade, FL 33430
561-655-8944 (Main Office #)

South County Satellite Office

200 W. Atlantic Ave, Delray Beach, FL 33444
561-655-8944 (Main Office #)

AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER

Autism Project of Palm Beach County

APPBC is a parent found & sponsored non-profit organization for services, resources, and education to improve the lives of individuals with autism spectrum disorder and their families.

18370 Limestone Creek Rd
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 748-3299
www.autismproject.org

Autism Society

A national organization that exists to improve the issues facing people on the spectrum by advocating for services and providing the latest information regarding treatment, education, and research.

National Telephone: (301) 657-0881
Toll Free: 1.800.3AUTISM
Palm Beach/Martin Affiliate:
5500 Military Trail #22-197
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 389-6671
www.autism-societypb.org

Autism Speaks

National organization with a goal to change the future for all who struggle with autism spectrum disorders. Dedicated to funding research into the causes, prevention, treatments and a cure for autism; increasing awareness of autism spectrum disorders; and advocating for the needs of individuals with autism and their families.

National Telephone: (888) 288-4762
Spanish: (888) 772-9050
Local Telephone: (561) 465-0050
www.autismspeaks.org

Els for Autism

Committed to helping people on the autism spectrum lead positive, productive and rewarding lives, through understanding the cause and facilitating the development and delivery of treatment therapies, educational programs, training programs and sports programs as well as residential and independent living programs. Global outreach programs and raising awareness of autism.

18370 Limestone Creek Rd.
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 598-6200
www.elsforautism.com

Florida Atlantic University (FAU-CARD)

The FAU Center for Autism and Related Disabilities (CARD) provides expert consulting, training and support, at no charge, for people with autism and related disabilities, their families and the professionals serving them.

Toll free: (888) 632-6395
Boca Raton Office:
777 Glades Rd.
Boca Raton, FL 33431
Jupiter Office: (561) 297-2023
www.autism.fau.edu

Palm Beach School for Autism

A non-profit charter school that provides a developmentally appropriate education using intensive behavioral strategies for students with autism spectrum disorder and related disabilities.

8480 Lantana Road
Lake Worth, FL 33467
(561) 533-9917
www.pbsfa.org

CAMPS AND RECREATION

The Arc of Palm Beach County

Offers a wide variety of leisure time activities and camps for children and teens with special needs.

1201 Australian Ave.
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
(561) 842-3213
www.arcpbc.org

Christ Fellowship Therapeutic Riding Center

Therapeutic Horseback riding, grooming & tracking programs. Riding center is PATH/NARHA Certified.

5343 Northlake Blvd.
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418
(561) 799-7600
www.cftoday.org

JCC Jewish Community Center

Provides year around programs for children and adults with disabilities. (Non-Denominational)

8500 Jog Rd., Boynton Beach, FL 33472
(561) 740-9000
www.jcconline.com

Horseback Riding Hopes, Dreams and Horses

Mission is to improve the quality of life of children through equine therapy and interaction. Therapeutic riding and summer camp programs.

2 S. Old Dixie Hwy
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 262-3038
www.hopedreamsandhorses.moonfruit.com

Palm Beach County Parks and Recreation

Wheelchair exercise course, fully accessible playgrounds, therapeutic recreation center

2728 Lake Worth Rd.
Lake Worth, FL 33461
(561) 966-7015 or 966-7088
www.pbcgov.com/parks

Special Olympics

Provides year-round sports training and competition to children and adults 8 years of age and older with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

2728 Lake Worth Road, FL 33461
(561) 966-7027
www.specialolympicspbc.com

VSA

State Organization on Arts and Disabilities

Promoting the creative power in people with disabilities, access to high-quality arts learning experiences.

2728 Lake Worth Road
Lake Worth 33461
(561) 966-7015
www.vsafl.org/content/vsa-palm-beach-county

Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center

PATH accredited center that offers therapeutic riding, therapeutic carriage driving, hippotherapy, and drill team programs.

13300 6th Court North
Loxahatchee, FL 33470
(561) 792-9900 www.vinceremos.org

CLOTHING

Dress for Success Palm Beaches

Promote the economic independence of disadvantaged women by providing professional attire, a network of support women thrive in work and in life.

118 E Ocean Avenue

Lantana, FL 33462

(561) 249-3898

www.dressforsuccess.org

Family Promise

Organization that utilizes existing resources of local faith communities.

The program provides temporary shelter, meals, and support services. The goal is to restore the families to sustained independence.

1003 Allendale Rd.

West Palm Beach, FL 33405

(561) 318-8864

www.familypromisencpbc.org

Salvation Army Corps of the Palm Beaches

Provides Christmas assistance (clothing and gifts), case management, emergency financial and disaster assistance.

2122 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd

West Palm Beach, FL 33409

(561)686-3530

<https://salvationarmyflorida.org/westpalmbeach>

Kid's Kloset- Trinity United Methodist Church

Provides used and new clothing and shoes to children and families.

9625 North Military Trail

Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

(561) 622-5278

www.trinitypbg.org

Oasis Compassion Agency

Identify roadblock to success, devise a plan to overcome them, and act on that plan. Assists with food pantry, clothing ministry, the opportunity for counseling through the career center, formulating a plan to help clients take the steps that will enable them to stabilize their economic circumstances.

4872 10th Ave North

Greenacres, FL 33463

(561) 967-4066

www.oasiscompassion.org

DEAF and HARD of HEARING

Audiology Centers For Hearing Tests

Hearing testing and resources for children living in Palm Beach County.
For appointments: (561) 434-3257

Communication Service for the Deaf (CSD)

A non-profit organization that provides quality American Sign Language Interpreters and Translators for the deaf and hard of hearing population.
Toll Free Voice: (800) 642-6410
Videophone: (605) 496-0738
www.c-s-d.org

Deaf and Hearing Resources of Palm Beach County, Inc.

Ensuring that quality of loss is will not be limited by hearing loss. Providing preventive care, regular check-ups and helpful resources for deaf community.
3111 South Dixie Highway, Suite 237
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
V/TTY: (561) 802-3353
email: info@mydhr.org

The Deaf Service and Hearing Wellness Center of Palm Beach County

Nonprofit local agency devoted exclusively to meeting the needs of deaf and hard-of-hearing children and adults. Providing free hearing evaluations and patient consultations.
3111 S. Dixie Hwy. #237
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
Telephone / TTY: (561) 802-3350
Videophone: (561) 290-1044
Deaf Service Center:
dscpbc@deafservicecenter.com
Hearing Wellness Center:
hwcpcb@hearwellpbc.com

Florida Association of the Deaf, Inc. (PBCAD)

National Association of the Deaf affiliate. They work to promote awareness of communication difficulties and promote the use of communication devices.
3901 Davis Road
Lake Worth, FL 33461
Video Phone: (561) 290-0002
www.pbcadfla.org

Learning Ally

Recording for the blind and dyslexic. Nation's largest library of accessible educational materials for students who are blind, visually impaired dyslexic or physically disabled.
777 Glades Road, Building 49
Gladys Davis Pavilion
Boca Raton, FL 33431
1 (800) 221-4792 / (561) 297-4444
www.learningally.org

EDUCATION

The Arc of Palm Beach County

Providing quality services, education and advocacy for children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families. Programs offer a continuum of care from birth throughout a person's life.

1201 Australian Avenue
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
(561) 842-3213
www.arcpsc.org

Unicorn Children's Foundation

Dedicated to awareness, and research on behalf of children and young adults with developmental, communication, and learning disorders.

21100 Ruth & Baron Coleman Blvd.
Suite 250
Boca Raton, FL 33428
(561) 620-9377
www.unicornchildrensfoundation.org

United Way of Palm Beach County

Funds programs through individuals, corporate campaigns and partnerships. These funds help promote education, employment skills training, financial stability education, credit counseling, health insurance enrollment and emergency food & shelter.

477 S. Rosemary Ave, Suite 230
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 375-6600
www.unitedwaypsc.org

The School District of Palm Beach County

The District is committed to providing a world-class education with excellence and equity to empower each student to reach his or her highest potential with the most effective staff to foster the knowledge, skills, and ethics required for responsible citizenship and productive careers.

3378 Forest Hill Blvd.
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
www.palmbeachschools.org

(561) 514-3300 Main

(561) 434-8100 Boundaries

(561) 434-7337 Child Find

(561) 434-8740 Exceptional Student Education (ESE)

(561)434-8975 Florida Diagnostic & Learning Resources System

(888) 383-2025 Free & Reduced Meal

(561) 629-8516 Head Start & Early Start

(561)434-8029 Records and Transcripts

(561) 357-1110 Transportation



EMOTIONAL/BEHAVIORAL

Boys Town of South Florida

Provides a variety of services to assess children's needs and keep struggling families together. Gives at-risk children the family, support and care they need to overcome their circumstances.

1655 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd., Suite 300
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

(561) 612-6000

www.boystown.org/locations/south-florida

CHRYSALIS Center

Serving the needs in the areas of mental health, substance abuse, and child welfare.

230 S. Dixie Hwy, Suite 102
Lake Worth, FL 33460

(561) 533-6640

<http://www.chrysalishealth.com>

Children's Service Council of Palm Beach County

Plans, develops, funds, and evaluates programs and evaluates public policies which enhance and benefit the lives of Palm Beach County children and families.

2300 High Ridge Rd.
Boynton Beach, FL 33426

(561) 740-7000

www.cscpb.org

Legacy Behavioral Center

Improving the quality of life and level of performance of emotionally and behaviorally challenged children, adolescents, families and adults through an array of diverse and culturally sensitive services. Provides services in English, Spanish, French and Creole.

2640 Forest Hill Blvd.,
West Palm Beach, FL 33406

(561) 616-8411

www.legacybhc.com

Mental Health Association of Palm Beach County Inc.

Promoting mental wellness for children, adults, and families, and providing advocacy for those with mental disorders through education and cooperative planning.

909 Fern St.

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

(561) 832-3755

www.mhapbc.org

Multilingual Psycho Therapy Centers

Providing behavioral health services to children in multiple languages

1639 Forum Place

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

(561) 712-8821

www.mpcipbc.com

FOOD

Food Pantries

A directory of food banks, soup kitchens and non-profit organizations committed to fighting hunger.

www.foodpantries.org/st/florida

Harvest AME Church Axillaries & Organization

Runs a soup kitchen, clothing closet, and offers academic tutorial.

825 Larrimore Rd.

Pahokee, FL 33476

(561) 924-4263

New Hope Charities, Inc.

Multi-service center that consists of daycare center, youth center, Health center, basketball courts, soccer, baseball, and football fields.

7450 State Road 15

Pahokee, FL 33476

Telephone: (561) 924-7986

www.newhopecharities.com

Palm Beach County Food Bank

Rescues, collects and distributes food to agencies that take on the daily responsibility of feeding the hungry.

Warehouse and distribution offices:

525 Gator Dr.

Lantana, FL 33462

Immediate Food Assistance Telephone:

(561) 670-2518

www.pbcfoodbank.org

True Fast Outreach

Providing food, clothing and basic needs.

638 Sapodilla Ave.

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

(561) 594-5689

www.tfom1.org

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Department of Children and Family Services (DCF)

Dept. Of Children and Family Services programs to help Florida families: ACCESS Florida, Adoption, Adult Services, Child Care, Child Welfare, Food Stamps, Developmental Disabilities, Foster Care, Homelessness and Mental Health.

111 S. Sapodilla Ave., #3
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 837-5078
www.dcj.state.fl
www.myflfamilies.com

Florida Health Palm Beach County

Protect, promote, and improve the health of all people in Florida. Programs include disease prevention and control, environmental health and engineering, school health and health education. Health centers are located throughout the county.

800 Clematis St.
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 840-4500
www.pbchd.com

Office of Minority Health (OMH)

Florida Department of Health Programs address disease prevention, health promotion, risk reduction, healthier lifestyle choices, use of health care services, and barriers to health care.
4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin A25
Tallahassee, FL 32399
(850) 245-4439
minorityhealth.hhs.gov

Palm Beach County

Courthouses, Youth Service Bureau, Guardian Ad Litem, Mental Health
301 N. Olive Ave., Suite 1102
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 355-2754
www.pbcgov.com

Palm Beach County Guide to County Services

A listing of services provided by PBC government and many community organization and agencies.
www.discover.pbcgov.org/pdf/publications/guide_services

Social Security Administration

West Palm Beach
801 Clematis St., Suite 2
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(800) 772-1213

Boca Raton
621 NW 53 St., Suite 400
Boca Raton, FL 33487
(800) 772-1213

Belle Glade
925 SE 1st St
Belle Glade, FL 33430
(561) 992-7304
www.socialsecurity.gov

HOUSING

Catholic Charities Samaritan Center

Transitional housing, employment counseling, transportation, parenting class, educational workshops and life skills counseling.

9995 North Military Trail
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410
(561) 775-9560
www.catholiccharitiesdpb.org

Center for Family Services of Palm Beach County, Inc.

An emergency shelter for homeless families with dependent children. The program provides food vouchers, assistance with rent, mortgage and utilities. Referrals, food, clothing and personal hygiene items are provided to the homeless and at-risk.

4101 Parker Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
(561) 616-1222
www.ctrfam.org

Families First

Building strong, safe, healthy and sustainable environment for children and their families through innovative programs and services including permanent housing, child abuse prevention and healthcare.

3333 Forest Hill Blvd., 2nd Floor
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
(561) 721-2887
www.familiesfirstpb.org

Farmworker Coordinating Council of Palm Beach Co.

Promote self-sufficiency and improve the quality of life of migrants and farmworker families at risk of becoming homeless through education, advocacy, and access to services.

1123 Crestwood Blvd.
Lake Worth, FL 33460
(561) 533-7227
233 W. Ave. A Suite D
Belle Glade, FL 33430
(561) 992-0603
www.farmworkercouncil.com

Grandma's Place, Inc.

An emergency shelter for children from birth to 12 years old. Shelter for physically or emotionally abused children.

184 Sparrow Dr.
Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411
(561) 753-2226
www.grandmasplacepb.org

Homeless Coalition

Advocacy, education, community outreach and raising funds and resources to sustain the Ten-Year Plan to End Homelessness.

810 Datura St.
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 355-4663
www.homelesscoalitionpb.org

The Lord's Place

Dedicated to breaking the cycle of homelessness.

2808 N Australian Ave
West Palm Beach, FL 33407
(561) 494-0125
www.thelordsplace.org

INFANT /TODDLER

Early Learning Coalition of Palm Beach County

Provides parents with assistance and information in selecting high quality early learning programs, child assessments, VPK and access to local scholarships.

2300 High Ridge Rd., Suite 115
Boynton Beach, FL 33401
(561) 514-0564

www.elcpalmbeach.org

Early Steps Children's Medical Services

Serves children with developmental delays or established conditions from birth-3. Including Early intervention support.

(800) 654-4440 / (561) 881-2822

www.floridahealth.gov

Easter Seals Florida

Provides exceptional services, education, outreach, and advocacy so that people living with disabilities and special needs can live, learn, work and play in our communities.

Amar Child Development Center.
213 South Congress Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33409
(561) 471-1688

www.easterseals.com/connect-locally

Family Central, Inc.

Mission to promote children's success by providing quality family support and educational services.

3111 South Dixie Highway, Suite 222
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
Toll Free: (800) 683-3327
(561) 514-3300

www.familycentral.org

Florence Fuller Child Development Centers

Infant through school age education for economically challenged children and families.

200 NE 14th St.
Boca Raton FL 33432
(561) 391-7274

Head Start and Children's Services

A school readiness program that provides comprehensive education, health, nutrition, and parent involvement services to children from low-income families.

3691 Oswego Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33409
(561) 694-5490

www.floridaheadstart.org

Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies

Support throughout your pregnancy including medical services and providers.

Locations in Greenacres, West Palm Beach and Belle Glade
Toll Free: 1-888- 414-4642

www.hmhbpbpc.org

Home Safe, Inc.

Promote healthy births, ensure children are ready and eager to learn by Kindergarten.

2840 6th Avenue South
Lake Worth, FL 33461
(561) 383-9800

MEDICAL / DENTAL

Caridad Center

Health, education and community outreach. Dental and medical clinic.
8645 West Boynton Beach Blvd.
Boynton Beach, FL 33472
(561) 737-6336
Medical Clinic: (561) 853-1634
Dental Clinic: (561) 853-1637
www.Caridad.org

Children & Adults with Attention Deficit Disorder (CHADD)

A national non-profit organization, providing education advocacy and support for people with ADHD.
4601 Presidents Drive, Suite 300
Lanham, MD 20706
National Telephone: (301) 306-7070
Local Palm Beach County Affiliate:
(561) 478-5160
www.chadd.org

Free Dental Care (FDC)

Comprehensive lists of free and sliding scale dental resources on the Internet.
www.freedentalcare.us/st/florida

Palm Beach County Medical Society

Provides and coordinates continuing medical education for physicians and allied health professionals, informs and educates the public on health care issues, and improves patients' access to health care. Assists with finding a doctor, hospital, vital medical contacts and Community Medical Resources.
3540 Forest Hill Blvd., Suite 101
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
(561) 433-3940
www.pbcms.org

Epilepsy Foundation of Florida

Dedicated to enhancing the personal and social adjustments of individuals with epilepsy and seizure disorders.
3222 Commerce Place, Suite B
West Palm Beach, FL 33407
(561) 478-6515
www.epilepsyFLA.org

Tourette Syndrome Association

(888) 4-TOURET
www.tsa-usa.org

Palm Beach County Health Department

(561) 840-4500

Children's Medical Services
(877) 822-5203

Clinics Can Help (Medical Equipment)
(561) 640-2995

Domestic Abuse/Rape Crisis
Florida Abuse Hotline
(800) 962-2873

Victim Services of PBC
(561) 355-2418

Health Insurance
(866) 930-0035

Vita Health Program
Anonymous HIV/AIDS Screening, Info
(561) 804-7900

Pregnancy First Care Women's Clinic
(561) 996-6888

MENTAL HEALTH

Children's Home Society

Creating strong families, breaking the cycle of abuse.

3333 Forest Hill Blvd.
West Palm Beach FL 33406
(561) 868-4300
www.chsfl.org/palmbeach

Community Partners Center for Child Counseling

Offering an array of mental health services.

2001 Blue Heron Blvd
West Rivera Beach, 33404
(561) 841-3500
www.cp-cto.org

Gold Coast Down Syndrome Organization

A non-profit family support and resource organization, dedicated to making the future brighter for individuals with Down's Syndrome

915 S. Federal Hwy
Boynton Beach 33435
(561) 752-3383
www.goldcoastdownsyndrome.org

Hispanic Human Resource Council

Providing senior programs, employment and training, affordable housing, and advocacy.

1427 S. Congress Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
(561) 641-7400
www.hhrcinc.org

Multilingual Psychotherapy Centers, Inc.

Helping through diversity. Psychiatric, psychological, therapeutic support services: behavior modification, social skill training, case management, group counseling.

1639 Forum Place, Suite 7
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 712-8821
www.mpcipbc.com

United Way of Palm Beach County

4775 S. Rosemary Ave., Suite 230
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
(561) 375-6600
www.unitedwaypbc.org

PHYSICALLY DISABLED

Jewish Federation of Palm Beach County

1 Harvard Circle, #100
West Palm Beach, FL 33409
(561) 478-0700
<http://jewishpalmbeach.org/fed>

Government Center

301 North Olive Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 355-2996
pbcgov.com

Pinecrest Brain Injury Support

Pinecrest Rehab Hospital
Delray Medical Center
5360 Linton Blvd.
Delray Beach, FL 33484
(561) 495-3048

Rehabilitation Center for Children and Adults

Physical therapy, Speech therapy,
Occupational therapy.
300 Royal Palm Way
Palm Beach, FL 33480
(561) 655-7266
www.rcca.org

The First Tee of the Palm Beaches

The Michael B. Finnegan Learning
Center & Foundation
7301 N. Haverhill Road
West Palm Beach, FL 33407
(561) 842-0066
www.thefirstteepalmbeaches.org

SUBSTANCE ABUSE / DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse, Inc. (AVDA)

P.O. Box 6161
Delray Beach, FL 33482
(561) 265- 3797 (800) 355-8547
www.avdaonline.org

Association for Abused Women and Children

Helps victims of domestic violence, abused, and struggling women and children in Palm Beach County. Provides temporary shelter, clothing, etc. for abused women. Must have full time employment.
7106 S Dixie Highway
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
(561) 586-1888

The Chrysalis Center

Providing outpatient services that include mental health or substance abuse treatments.
230 S. Dixie Hwy., Suite 102
Lake Worth, FL 33460
(561) 533-6640
www.chrysalishealth.com

Federation of Families of Palm Beach County, Inc.

Substance abuse prevention programs.
1402 Royal Palm Beach Blvd., Suite 102
Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411
(561) 246-3334

Harmony House – YWCA Palm Beach County

1016 North Dixie Highway
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
T: (561) 640-0050 F: (561) 640-9155
www.ywcapbc.org

Rape and Abuse/Public Safety

Nicole A. Bishop
205 N. Dixie, Suite 5-1100, 5th floor
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 355-6409

Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse
(561) 265- 3797 or (800)355-8547

Anonymous HIV/AIDS Screening and Info (561) 804-7900

Florida Abuse Hotline (800) 962-2873

Victim Services of PBC (561) 355-2418

TRANSPORTATION

South Florida Regional Transportation

Authority/Tri-Rail

801 Northwest 33rd Street
Pompano Beach, FL 33064
Toll Free: (800) TRI-RAIL
www.sfrta.fl.gov

Palm Tran Bus

Public bus transportation and fixed routes.
3201 Electronics Way
West Palm Beach, FL 33407
(561) 841-4200
www.palmtran.org

Palm Tran Connection

Connection is a shared ride, door to door, service that provides transportation for disabled residents under Americans with Disability Act Program (ADA) or discounted Transportation Disadvantaged Program (TD).
50 S. Military Trail, Suite 101
West Palm Beach, FL 33415
(561) 649-9838
Toll Free 1 (877) 870-9849
www.pbcgov.com/palmtran

VISUALLY IMPAIRED

Florida Division of Blind Services

Early intervention programs for babies and learning and independence programs for school-age children intended to foster each child's learning and ability to function independently.
400 N. Congress Ave, Suite 305
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
(561) 681-2548
dbs.myflorida.com

Learning Ally

Recording for the blind and dyslexic. Nation's largest library of accessible educational materials for students who are blind, visually impaired dyslexic or physically disabled. Audio books are available in all K-12 curriculums.
777 Glades Road
Building 49—Gladys Davis Pavilion
Boca Raton, FL 33431
Toll Free: 1 (800) 221-4792 /
(561) 297-4444
www.learningally.org

Lighthouse for the Blind of the Palm Beaches

Enhancing independence for people with sight difficulties. Information on education and a variety of services from technology, summer camps and more.
1710 Tiffany Drive East
West Palm Beach, FL 33407
(561)586-5600
www.lighthousepalmbeaches.org

Palm Beach County Library

Books on tape and large type print books for the visually impaired.
3650 Summit Blvd.
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
(561) 233-2600

South County and Glades:

1 (888)-780-4962

Email: talkingbooks@pbclibrary.org

VOCATIONAL REHAB

Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD)

Government program that supports persons with developmental disabilities in living, learning, and working in their communities.

State Office:

4030 Esplanade Way, Suite 380

Tallahassee, FL 32399

(850) 488-4257

Toll-Free: 1-866-APD-CARES (1-866-273-2273)

email: APD.info@apdcares.org

Local Office:

111 S. Sapodilla Ave., Suite 204

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

(844) 766-7520

www.apd.myflorida.com

Career Source Palm Beach County

Provides job placement, recruitment assistance and funds for skills training.

3400 Belvedere Road

West Palm Beach, FL 33406

(561) 340-1060

www.careersourcepbc.com

Gulfstream Goodwill Industries, Inc.

Youth enrichment services for youth aged 16-22. Vocational rehabilitation centers offering assessments, case management, tutoring, employment search strategies and more.

1715 Tiffany Drive East

West Palm Beach, FL 33407

(561) 848-7200

www.gulfstreamgoodwill.org

Job Access and Ability Jobs

Provides job opportunities to those with disabilities.

<https://abilityjobs.com>

Palm Beach Habilitation Center

Providing skills, training and employment for individuals with disabilities.

4522 S. Congress Ave.

Lake Worth, FL 33461

(561)965-8500

www.pbhab.com

Seagull Achievement Center of the Palm Beaches

Workforce development and employment services for the disabled.

3879 Byron Drive

West Palm Beach, FL 33404

(561) 842-5814

www.seagull.org

PARENTING SUPPORT

Best Buddies

Creates partnerships between high school and college students and intellectually challenged people of the same age for support and friendship.
784 US Highway 1, Suite 20
North Palm Beach, FL 33408
(561) 972-5312
www.bestbuddies.org/florida

Florida Atlantic University (FAU-CARD)

Transition and sib shop training and friendship support groups, at no charge, for people with autism and related disabilities, their families and the professionals serving them.
Boca Raton Office:
777 Glades Rd.
Boca Raton, FL 33431
Jupiter Office:
(561) 297-2023
Toll free: (888) 632-6395
www.autism.fau.edu

International Dyslexia Association (Florida Affiliate)

6088 Sabal Hammock Circle
Port Orange, FL 32128
(904) 607-2775
www.interdys.org

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS)

Pre-K mother support groups (nondenominational)
For local Palm Beach affiliate chapters visit online directory
(888) 910-6677
www.MOPS.org

Respite Care

The Arc of Palm Beach County
Providing short term care that helps a family of a disabled child or adult to take a break from the stress of their daily routine.
1201 Australian Ave.
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
(561) 842-3213
www.arcpcb.org



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