# UTAH STATE SERVICES RESOURCES GUIDE

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Website: www.utahparentcenter.org Spanish Speaking: (801) 272-1067

Purpose: The Utah Parent Center is a statewide non-profit organization founded in 1984 to provide training,

information, referral, and assistance to parents of children and youth with all disabilities.

211 Utah Information and Referral Center

3150 South 900 West Phone: 211

Salt Lake City, UT 84119 Toll Free: (888) 826-9790

**Purpose:** Simply dial 2-1-1 to reach the information and referral line for health, human, and community services.

211 provides information and referral on topics such as emergency food pantries, rental assistance, public health clinics, childcare resources, support groups, legal aid, and a variety of non-profit, governmental

agencies.

7-1-1 Utah Relay Services

**Phone: 711** 

Purpose: 7-1-1 is a new statewide and nationwide telephone relay number that connects standard (voice) telephone users with the deaf, hard-of-hearing, and/or speech disabled people who use text telephones (TTY's).

**Access Utah** 

155 South 300 West, Suite 100 Phone: (801) 533-4636 Salt Lake City, UT. 84101 Toll Free: (800) 333-UTAH

Website: www.accessut.org

**Purpose:** Access Utah Network is a statewide information and referral service providing information on issues

related to people with disabilities. Information is disseminated primarily via telephone. On their website,

you can find information on disability-related events, services, and products.

**Accessible Home Foundation (AHF)** 

P.O. Box 26383 Phone: (801) 969-8475 Salt Lake City, UT 84126 Phone: (801) 696-8124

Website: www.accesshomes.org

**Purpose:** The AHF is dedicated to promoting the development of accessible homes for people with disabilities, listing accessible homes for sale or rent, providing referrals to other agencies as needed, and planning to assist low

income persons with disabilities to have a home to meet their needs.

**Baby Watch Early Intervention** 

Utah Department of Health, Bureau of Child Development Phone: (801) 584-8226
44 North Medical Drive Toll-Free: 1-800-961-4226

PO Box 144720

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4720

Website: <a href="http://www.utahbabywatch.org/">http://www.utahbabywatch.org/</a>

**Purpose:** This program provides early identification and developmental services for families of infants and toddlers, birth to

age three. There are 16 local programs in the state of Utah that provide these Early Intervention services. See

following page for local program listings.

### **Early Intervention Providers**

Central Utah Health Dept. Early	Davis School District/Davis Early	DDI VANTAGE Early Intervention
Intervention	Intervention Early Learning Center	3950 S 700 E, Suite 101,
70 Westview Dr.,	115 South 200 East, PO Box 588,	SLC, UT 84107
Richfield, UT 84701	Farmington, UT 84025	Phone: (801) 266-3939
Phone: (435) 896-5451	Phone: (801) 402-5408	(Salt Lake/Granite School Dist., Murray
Juab, Millard, Sanpete, Sevier, Piute,	Davis County	School Dist., Tooele, Duchesne
Wayne Counties		Counties)
Easter Seals Northern Rocky Mountain	Jordan Child Development Center	Kids On The Move
- Provo Early Intervention Program	2827 West 13400 South,	475 W 260 N,
(PEIP)	Riverton, UT 84065	Orem, UT 84057
1165 E 300 N,	Phone: 801-567-8510	Phone: 801-221-9930
Provo, UT 84606	(Jordan School District, Canyons School	(Alpine School District
Phone: 801-852-4525	District)	
(Provo School District)		
Kids Who Count	Prime Time 4 Kids	San Juan School District Early
PO Box 1039,	1360 W Hwy 40 Ste 1,	Intervention
Salem, UT 84653	Vernal, UT 84078	200 N Main,
Phone: 801-423-3000	Phone: 435-789-5409	Blanding, UT 84511
(Nebo School District)	(Uintah, Daggett Counties)	Phone: 435-678-1222
		(San Juan County)
Southern Utah University Early	<b>South East Early Intervention Program</b>	Summit County Health Dept. Early
<u>Intervention</u>	59 S 700 E, Price, UT 84501	Intervention
2390 W HWY 56 STE 1,	Phone: 435-637-3950	650 Round Valley Dr.,
Cedar City, UT 84720	(Carbon, Emery, Grand Counties)	Park City, UT 84060
Phone: 435-586-6070		Phone: 435-333-1520
Beaver, Iron, Garfield, Kane Counties)		(Summit, Wasatch Counties)
The Learning Center for Families	Up To 3 Early Intervention	Weber School District Early
2044 S Mesa Palms Drive. St. George, UT	USU,UMC 6810,	<u>Intervention</u>
84770	Logan, UT 84322-6810	955 West 12th St.,
Phone: 435-673-5353	Phone: 435-797-3727	Ogden, UT 84404
(Washington County)	(Cache, Rich, Box Elder Counties)	Phone: 801-476-5460
		(Weber, Morgan Counties)
Deaf/Blind Services	Parent Infant Program	
742 Harrison Blvd.,	742 Harrison Blvd.,	
Ogden, UT 84404-5204	Ogden, UT 84404-5204	
Phone: 801-629-4732	Phone: 801-629-4743	
(Statewide)	(Statewide)	

# Blind and Visually Impaired, Utah State Division of Services for the

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation (USOR)
Phone: (801) 323-4343
250 North 1950 West, Suite B
TTY: 801-323-4395
Salt Lake City, UT 84116-7902
Toll Free: 1-800-284-1823
Website: http://www.usor.utah.gov/division-of-services-for-the-blind-and-visually-impaired

**Purpose:** The Division of Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired (DSBVI) has developed programs to help meet the needs of Utah citizens who are blind or have significant visual impairments. These services include computer evaluation and training, orientation and mobility services, daily living skills, home repair courses, low vision screening, magnification and other assistive aids, and a variety of adjustment-to-blindness classes and services. The DSBVI also provides preschool vision screening, services to individuals

who are both deaf and blind, and Independent Living services to older blind Utahans.

# **Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)**

**Utah Department of Health** 

PO Box 144102 Toll Free: 1-877-KIDS NOW

Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4102 Website: <a href="https://www.health.utah.gov/chip">www.health.utah.gov/chip</a>

Purpose: CHIP is a state health insurance plan for children ages birth-18 yrs old. Many working Utah families who

do not have other health insurance can qualify for CHIP.

### **Children with Special Health Care Needs**

Utah Department of Health, Division of Family Health Preparedness

44 N. Mario Capecchi Drive, P.O. Box 144610 Phone: (801) 584-8284

Salt Lake City, UT 84114 Toll-free in Utah: 1-800-829-8200

Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/cshcn">http://health.utah.gov/cshcn</a>

Purpose: To improve the health and functional status of all children in Utah with Special Health Care needs by

assuring access to coordinated and quality care that is family-centered and community-based.

### **Choose To Work**

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation & Utah Dept. of Workforce Services

250 East 500 South Phone: (801) 538-7590

Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Website: <a href="http://www.usor.utah.gov/choose-to-work">http://www.usor.utah.gov/choose-to-work</a>

**Purpose:** Choose to Work Utah Employment Specialists provide statewide job development and placement

services to Utah job seekers with disabilities who are job ready. Services include working with employers, job development, job placement, on-the-job-training, job fairs and support services for employers willing

to employ people with disabilities.

# Colleges & Universities, Centers for Disability Services - Utah Institutions of Higher Learning

**Purpose:** The mission of the Centers for Disability Services at Institutions of Higher Learning is to allow equal access to college programs, services, and activities for students with disabilities under the American with Disabilities Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Check with each campus center to determine eligibility requirements.

Brigham Young University - University Accessibility Center	Dixie State College of Utah - Disability Resource Services	
2170 WSC, Provo, Utah	225 S. 700 E., St George, UT 84770	
Phone: (801) 422-2767	Phone: (435) 652-7880	
Website: https://uac.byu.edu/	Website: http://new.dixie.edu/drcenter/	
Salt Lake Community College - Disability Resource Center	Snow College - Accessibility Resource Center	
4600 South Redwood Road, Salt Lake City, Utah 84123	150 East College Avenue	
Phone: (801) 957-4659	Ephraim, UT 84627	
Website: http://www.slcc.edu/drc/	Phone: (435) 283-7321 or (435) 283-7000	
	Web: http://www.snow.edu/ada/	
Southern Utah University - Disability Support Center	University of Utah - Center for Disability Services	
351 West University Boulevard, Cedar City, UT 84720	200 So. Central Campus Drive Room 162, SLC, UT 84112-9107	
Phone: (435) 865-8022	Phone & TDD: (801) 581-5020	
Website: <a href="http://www.suu.edu/ss/support/disability/">http://www.suu.edu/ss/support/disability/</a>	Website: http://disability.utah.edu/	
Utah State University - Disability Resource Center	College of Eastern Utah, USU Disability Resource Center	
6101 Old Main Hill, Logan, UT 84322-0101	451 East 400 No., Price, Utah 84501	
Phone: (435) 797-2444	Phone: (435) 613-5112	
Website: http://www.usu.edu/drc/	Website: http://www.ceu.edu/disabilityresource/	
Weber State - Services for Students with Disabilities	Westminster College- Start Center – Disability Services Program	
1129 University Circle, Ogden, UT 84408-1129	Carlson Hall 1840 South 1300 East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84105:	
Student Service Center, Rm. 181	http://www.westminster.edu/student/disability_support/dis_ov	
Phone: (801) 626-6413	<u>erview.cfm</u>	
Website: http://www.weber.edu/ssd		

# **Community Development Corporation of Utah**

501 East 1700 South Phone: 801-994-7222 Salt Lake City, Utah 84105 Toll Free: 866-994-7222

Purpose: The Community Development Corporation of Utah develops quality and affordable housing, revitalizes

neighborhoods and communities, and encourages individual and family self-sufficiency through homeownership. The Community Development Corporation of Utah offers home buyer education and counseling, down payment assistance, low interest loans for home repair and information on home

buying in Utah.

# Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Utah Division of Services for the (DSDHHH)

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation Voice/TDD: (801) 263-4861/ 5709 South 1500 West Toll Free: (877) 860-4861

Salt Lake City, UT 84123-5217

Website: <a href="http://www.deafservices.utah.gov/">http://www.deafservices.utah.gov/</a>

Purpose: Division of Services to the Deaf and Hard of Hearing provides education, advocacy, and accessible services

to enhance the quality of life for people who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing. Services also available in

Southern Utah.

### **Disability Law Center (DLC)**

205 North 400 West Phone: (801) 363-1347
Salt Lake City, UT 84103 Toll Free: (800) 662-9080

Website: <a href="http://disabilitylawcenter.org/">http://disabilitylawcenter.org/</a>

**Purpose:** Disability Law Center is a private, non-profit organization designated by the Governor to protect the

human and civil rights of people with disabilities in Utah through legal advocacy services. Their services

are statewide and free of charge.

## Division of Services for People with Disabilities, (DSPD)

 Department of Human Services
 Intake: 1-877-568-0084

 195 North 1950 West
 Toll Free: 1-800-837-6811

 Salt Lake City, Utah 84116
 State Office: (801) 538-4200

Website: www.hsdspd.utah.gov

Purpose: DSPD provides long-term supports and services for people with disabilities so they can participate fully in

their communities and in Utah life. The Division also promotes public awareness and acceptance of

people with disabilities.

## Easter Seals – Goodwill Northern Rocky Mountain

Website: <u>www.esgw-nrm.easterseals.com</u> Phone: (406) 761-3680

Toll Free: (800) 771-2153

Autism PLAY Project: 801-633-2091

Purpose: Easter Seals provides services for children and adults with disabilities and other special needs and

support to their families. Programs for children with disabilities it includes pediatric therapy services, Provo Early Intervention Program, and the PLAY Project. Programs for adults with disabilities include

workforce development including transition.

### **Guardianship Associates of Utah, Inc.**

320 West 200 South, Suite: 140-B Phone: (801) 533-0203

Salt Lake City, UT. 84104

Website: www.guardianshiputah.org

Purpose: Guardianship Associates serves individuals who have intellectual or related disabilities. They are

dedicated to providing guardianship services and information.

### **Home Medical Portal - Utah**

Website: www.medicalhomeportal.org/

Purpose: Reliable information and resources to help physicians and parents care for children and youth with special health care needs (CYSHCN). The site includes information on learning about your child's condition, caring for your child's special needs, working with schools and educators, a Care Notebook and forms, transition and much more!. Care Notebook can be downloaded at <a href="http://www.medicalhomeportal.org/living-with-child/caring-for-children-with-chronic-conditions/managing-and-coordinating-care/care-notebook/">http://www.medicalhomeportal.org/living-with-child/caring-for-children-with-chronic-conditions/managing-and-coordinating-care/care-notebook/</a>

# **Independent Living Centers**

**Utah State Office of Rehabilitation** 

Website: http://www.usor.utah.gov/independent-living

**Purpose:** To assist persons with disabilities in achieving greater independence by providing services and activities which

enhance independent living skills in the community and promote the public understanding, accommodation and

acceptance of their rights, needs and abilities.

Ability First of Utah 491 North Freedom Blvd Provo, Utah 84601 Voice/TTY: 801-373-5044 Website: http://abilityfirstutah.org/	Active Re-Entry Independent Living Center 10 S. Fairgrounds Road Price, UT 84501 Voice/TTY: 435-637-4950 Website: http://www.arecil.org/  Moab Satellite Office Voice/TTY: 435-259-0245  Vernal Satellite Office Voice/TTY/Fax: 435-789-4021	OPTIONS for Independence 1095 North Main Logan, Utah 84341 Voice: 435-753-5353 Website: http://www.optionsind.org/ Brigham City Satellite Office Voice/TTY: 435-723-2171
Red Rock Center for Independence 515 West 300 North Suite A St. George, Utah 84770 Voice/TTY: 435-673-7501 Website: http://redrockcenter.weebly.com/	Utah Independent Living Center 3445 South Main Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84115-4453 Voice/TTY: 801-466-5565 Toll Free: 800-355-2195 (Utah only) Website: http://www.uilc.org/	Tri County Independent Living Center of Utah  2726 Washington Blvd Ogden, Utah 84401 Voice: 801-612-3215 Website: http://www.tri-county-ilc.com/

### Juvenile Justice, Division of

Dept. of Human Services 120 North 200 West, Rm. 419

more.

Salt Lake City UT

Website: www.hsdyc.state.ut.us/

Purpose: Provides comprehensive services for at risk youth within the framework of the Balanced and Restorative Justice Model. Community Protection, Accountability, and Competency Development are integrated goals and philosophical foundations of the model.\_Youth Services diverts youth from the juvenile justice system. It provides immediate intervention by engaging and motivating youth and families to access resources and resolve conflict. It provides crisis counseling, individual and family therapy, group therapy, assessment, short-term residential placements, referral to community agencies, education groups, and

Phone: (801) 538-4373

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### Medicaid

Website: http://health.utah.gov/medicaid/

Purpose: Medicaid is a program which covers medical expenses for certain groups of people who have limited

income and resources. Eligibility for Medicaid programs is determined by eligibility workers in the

Employment Centers at the Department of Workforce Services (DWS).

### **Neighborhood Nonprofit Housing Corporation**

Toll Free: (866) 493-4500

Website: Website: www.nnhc.net

Purpose: The Nonprofit Housing Corporation provides homeownership opportunities for Utah residents with

disabilities or those who have family members with a disability. This program provides first-time homebuyers with financial counseling and assistance. The disability is defined by the Fair Housing Amendments Act. Those households earning 80% or less of the area median income may be eligible for direct down payment/closing cost assistance and low-interest rate mortgages, ranging from 1 to 3%.

Home Choice is funded by the Olene Walker Housing Loan Fund

# **Primary Care Network (PCN)**

Utah Dept. of Health Phone: 1-888-222-2542

PO Box 144102

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4102

Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/pcn">http://health.utah.gov/pcn</a>

**Purpose:** The Primary Care Network (PCN) is health plan offered by the Utah Department of Health. It covers

services administered by a primary care provider. Applications are only accepted during open

enrollment periods, which are held when resources are available to cover more people.

# Social Security Administration (SSA)

202 West 400 South, Suite 500 Phone: (801) 524-5047 Salt Lake City, UT 84101 Toll Free: (866) 851-5275

Website: www.ssa.gov

Purpose: Social Security Disability/SSI. Their mission is to advance the economic security of the nation's people through

compassionate and vigilant leadership in shaping and managing America's Workforce Social Security Programs. Be sure to download a copy of **The Red Book** http://www.socialsecurity.gov/redbook/ to use as general reference source about the employment-related provisions of Social Security Disability

Insurance and the Supplemental Security Income programs.

### Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services, Division Of

Utah State Office of Human Services Phone: (801) 538-4410

195 North 1950 West Salt Lake City, UT 84103

Website: http://dsamh.utah.gov/

Purpose: The Utah Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health is the State agency responsible for ensuring

that prevention and treatment services for substance abuse and mental health are available statewide. If you, a friend, or family member is struggling with a mental health problem or a problem with alcohol,

tobacco, or other drugs there is help available. Hope and recovery are possible.

### **Community Mental Health Centers**

Bear River Mental Health	Central Utah Counseling & Substance	Davis Behavioral Health
90 East 200 North	Abuse Center	934 South Main Street
Logan, UT 84341	255 West Main	Layton, UT 84041
Phone:(435) 752-0750	Mt. Pleasant, UT 84647	Phone:(801) 544-0585
Website: http://www.brmh.com/	Phone:(435) 462-2416	(801) 773-7060
	Website:	Website:
	http://www.swbehavioralhealth.com/	http://www.dbhutah.org/
Four Corners Community Behavioral	Northeastern Counseling Center	San Juan Counseling
Health, Inc.	1140 West 500 South	356 South Main
105 West 100 North	PO Box 1908	Blanding, UT 84511
PO Box 867	Vernal, UT 84078	Phone:(435) 678-2992
Price, UT 84501	Phone:(435) 789-6300	
Phone:(435) 637-7200		
Website: http://www.fourcorners.ws/		
Salt Lake County Behavioral Health	Southwest Behavioral Health Center	Valley Mental Health - Tooele
Services	474 West 200 North	100 South 1000 West
2001 South State Street	St. George, UT 84770	<b>Tooele</b> , UT 84074
Suite S2300	Phone:(435) 634-5600	Phone:(435) 843-3520
Salt Lake City, UT 84190	(800) 574-6763	Website:
Phone:(801) 468-2009	Website:	http://www.vmh.com/tooele/
Website:	http://www.swbehavioralhealth.com/	
http://behavioralhealthservices.slco.org/		
Valley Mental Health - Summit	Wasatch Mental Health	Weber Human Services
1753 Sidewinder Drive	750 North 200 West	237 - 26th Street
Park City, UT 84060	<b>Provo</b> , UT 84601	<b>Ogden</b> , UT 84401
Phone:(435) 649-8347	Phone:(801) 373-4760	Phone:(801) 625-3700
	Website: http://www.wasatch.org/	Website:
		http://www.weberhs.org/home/

# **Utah Assistive Technology Program**

Utah State University/Center for Persons with Disabilities Toll Free: (866) 284-2821 Janet Quinney Lawson Building on USU Campus

Logan, Utah 84322-6835

**Purpose:** The Utah Assistive Technology Program (UATP) helps individuals with disabilities, their family members, and providers with information about available assistive technology (AT). We also provide AT training, funding and information resources. This website provides links to AT demonstration centers, equipment lending centers, and equipment reutilization programs.

# Utah Benefits Planning Assistance & Outreach/ Work Incentive Planning & Assistance

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation Phone: (801) 887-9530

1595 West 500 South Salt Lake City UT 84104

Website: <a href="http://www.usor.utah.gov/specialized-services/employer-resource-center/utah-benefits-planning-assistance-and-outreach-program-bpao-work-incentive-planning-and-assistance-program-wipa/">http://www.usor.utah.gov/specialized-services/employer-resource-center/utah-benefits-planning-assistance-center/utah-benefits-planning-assistance-program-wipa/</a>

Purpose: The Utah Benefits Planning, Assistance and Outreach (UBPAO) are for persons who receive Social Security.

This program provides information to help make an informed choice about work. UBPAO provides you information about how employment may change your benefits from SSA, Medicaid, housing, food stamps and other programs.

**Utah Center for Assistive Technology (UCAT)** 

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation Phone: Phone: (801) 887-9380

1595 West 500 South Salt Lake City, UT 84104

Website: <u>www.usor.utah.gov/ucat</u>

**Purpose:** UCAT is a state government agency that provides assistive technology services to anyone in Utah. They help people

with disabilities and their caregivers select, acquire, and learn to use assistive technology devices that can help them

cope with the functional limitations caused by their disabilities.

**Utah Colleges of Applied Technology** 

Board of Regents Building, The Gateway Phone: (801) 456-7400

60 South 400 West

Salt Lake City, UT 84101-1284

Website: <a href="http://www.ucats.org/abouthistory.html">http://www.ucats.org/abouthistory.html</a>

Purpose: The mission of the Utah College of Applied Technology (UCAT) is to provide, through its regional campuses, market-

driven career and technical education to both secondary and adult students that meet the demand by Utah employers for technically skilled workers. Students are assisted in acquiring the basic skills necessary to succeed in

these technical training programs. (Ask if they have an ADA Coordinator or a specialist on disability issues)

Bridgerland Applied Technology College Campus	Davis Applied Technology College Campus	
1301 North 600 West	550 East 300 South	
Logan, UT 84321-3228	Kaysville, UT 84037	
Phone: (435) 753-6780	Phone: (801) 593-2500	
Fax Number: (435) 753-3451	Fax Number: (801) 593-2400	
Website <u>www.batc.edu</u>	Website <u>www.datc.edu</u>	
Dixie Applied Technology College Campus	Mountainland Applied Technology College Campus	
46 South 1000 East	987 S. Geneva Road	
St. George, UT 84770	Orem, UT 84058	
Phone: (435) 652-7730	Phone: (801) 863-6282	
Fax Number: (435) 656-4076	Fax Number: (801) 863-7531	
Website www.dixieatc.org	Website <u>www.mlatc.edu</u>	
Ogden-Weber Applied Technology College Campus	Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College Campus	
200 N. Washington Blvd	3760 South Highland Drive	
Ogden, UT 84404-4089	Salt Lake City, UT 84106	
Phone: (801) 627-8300	Phone: (801) 493-8700	
Fax Number: (801) 392-2140	Fax Number: (801) 493-8750	
Website: <u>www.owatc.edu</u>	Website: <u>www.sltatc.edu</u>	
Southwest Applied Technology College Campus	Uintah Basin Applied Technology College Campus	
510 West 800 South	1100 East Lagoon Street (124-5)	
Cedar City, UT 84720	Roosevelt, UT 84066	
Phone: (435) 586-2899	Phone: (435) 722-6900	
Fax Number: (435) 586-2873	Fax Number: (435) 722-6999	
Website: www.swatc.edu	Website <u>www.ubatc.edu</u>	

# **Utah Developmental Disabilities Council**

 Utah Dept. of Human Services
 Phone: (801) 533-3965

 155 South 300 West, Suite 100
 Toll Free: 800-533-4636

 Salt Lake City, UT. 84101
 Language Line: (801) 533-4636

Web Site: www.gcpd.org

**Purpose:** The mission of the Utah DD council is to be the state's leading source of critical innovative and progressive knowledge, advocacy, leadership and collaboration to enhance the life of individuals with developmental disabilities. For Transition – Check out the *People First Groups* and the Book on Housing.

**Utah Family Voices** 

230 West 200 South, Suite 1101 Phone: (801) 272-1068
Salt Lake City, UT 84101-1337 Toll Free: (800) 468-1160

Website: www.familyvoices.org

**Purpose:** Utah Family Voices is a national grassroots organization of families who have children and youth with

special health care needs. They provide information, training and family-to-family support around health and community services to families throughout the state of Utah. We are committed to strong

collaborative partnerships between families and health care professionals to improve the systems of

supports and services for our children.

### **Utah Futures**

Website: https://www.utahfutures.org/

**Purpose:** Utah Futures helps is designed to help students and parents develop a plan for the future. The site

includes information about occupations and jobs, education and training, career interest surveys and

other resources. "The best way to predict the future is to plan for it."

**Utah Housing Corporation** 

2479 South Lake Park Blvd. Phone: (800) 344-0452
West Valley City, Utah 84120 Toll Free: (800) 284-6950

Website: http://www.utahhousingcorp.org/

Purpose: Utah Housing Corporation (UHC) was created in 1975 by Utah legislation to serve a public purpose in

creating an adequate supply of money with which mortgage loans at reasonable interest rates could be made to help provide affordable housing for low and moderate income persons. Section 8 / Housing Choice, Public Housing and Elderly / Disabled Housing. These programs are administered by local Housing Authorities all over the state. Each local Housing Authority may have a waiting list, so consider

applying to each in the areas you want to live.

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Utah's Premium Partnership, (UPP) - Health Care

Utah Dept. of Health, UPP Phone: (888) 222-2542

PO Box 144102

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4102

Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/upp/">http://health.utah.gov/upp/</a>

Purpose: Utah's Premium Partnership for Health Insurance (UPP) helps make health insurance more affordable for

working individuals and families who do not currently have health insurance. UPP is for adults and children who do not currently have health insurance UPP will help you pay your monthly premiums when you enroll in your employer's health insurance plan. You or your dependents may qualify for UPP based

on family size, income, and if your employer's health insurance plan meets basic guidelines

### Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind

**Ogden Campus** 

742 Harrison Blvd. Phone: (801) 629-4700

Ogden, UT 84404

**USDB SLC Highland Offices** 

3098 Highland Dr., Suite 205 Phone: (801) 464-2000

Salt Lake City, UT 84106

**USDB Salt Lake Campus** 

Jean Massieu School of the Deaf

1655 East 3300 South Phone: (801) 464-2003
Salt Lake City, UT 84106 Video Phone: (866) 280-2717

USDB Website: www.usdb.org

**Purpose:** To provide consultation, resources, and direct education services to children from birth through age 21 with

hearing and/or visual impairments and their families. Family support specialists can be contacted through the

main number listed above.

### **Utah State Instructional Materials Access Center (USIMAC)**

742 Harrison Blvd., E-171 Phone: (801) 629-4811

Ogden, UT 84404

Website: <a href="http://www.usimac.org/">http://www.usimac.org/</a>

Purpose: To provide assistance to local education agencies in meeting the requirements of the Individuals with

Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 (IDEA) for the provision of accessible instructional materials. The USIMAC offers the opportunity for students with print disabilities to gain increased access

to the general curriculum by making core instructional material available in alternate formats.

### **Utah State Office of Education, Adult Basic Education**

250 East 500 South PO Box 144200

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4200

Website: www.schools.utah.gov/adulted

Purpose: The primary focus of this program is to provide instruction for adults who lack competency in reading,

writing, speaking, problem solving or computation skills at a level necessary to function in society, job or family. Academic instruction is provided for students whose assessed skills are below the 9.0 grade level.

### **Utah State Office of Education, Educational Equity**

Utah State Office of Education Phone: (801) 538-7647

250 East 500 South PO Box 144200

Salt Lake City, UT 84111-4200

Website: <a href="http://www.schools.utah.gov/equity/Civil-Rights-Information/Section-504.aspx">http://www.schools.utah.gov/equity/Civil-Rights-Information/Section-504.aspx</a> (Section 504)

Purpose: Educational Equity is a federally mandated monitoring office for the K-12 public school system at the Utah

State Office of Education (USOE) who monitors civil rights compliance in accordance with the U.S.

Department of Education and the Office for Civil Rights (OCR) regulations.

# **Utah State Office of Education, Special Education Services, USOE**

Utah State Office of Education Phone: (801) 538-7587

250 East 500 South PO Box 144200

Salt Lake City, UT 84111-4200

Website: www.schools.utah.gov/sas/

Purpose: The primary goal of the Utah State Office of Education Special Education Services section is to provide

leadership and support for educators, parents, and students with disabilities receiving special education

and related services throughout Utah public schools and communities.

### Vocational Rehabilitation, Division of Services for

Utah State Office of Rehabilitation Phone: (801) 538-7530

250 East 500 South

Salt Lake City, UT 84111-3204

Website: <a href="http://www.usor.utah.gov/division-of-rehabilitation-services">http://www.usor.utah.gov/division-of-rehabilitation-services</a>

Purpose: The mission of Vocational Rehabilitation is to assist and empower eligible individuals with disabilities to

prepare, achieve, and maintain meaningful employment. Services include transitional services,

employment services, and evaluation. Call the main office for the number and address to the local VR

Office serving your area.

# Work Ability Utah – Utah Work Incentives Program

Department of Health Phone: (801) 887-9529 1595 W. 500 South, Toll free (887) 246-9675

**SLC, UT 84104** 

Website: <a href="http://www.workabilityutah.org/">http://www.workabilityutah.org/</a> ......

**Purpose**: Work Ability Utah strives to link employers in the business community with a qualified workforce.

Goals include increased communication, reduction of barriers, and creation a comprehensive system of work incentives and supports for both the employer and the individual with disabilities. Work Ability

Utah has an excellent website to provide links for transition services.

# **Workforce Services - Utah Department of**

P.O. Box 45249 Phone: (801) 526-9675 Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0249 Fax: (801) 526-9211

Website: www.jobs.utah.gov Toll Free in Utah 1-877-817-1800

**Purpose**: To provide employment and support services for our customers to improve their economic opportunities.

Contact the above number or visit www.jobs.utah.gov to find the Employment Center nearest you.

Check out the following on the website:
Just For Youth <a href="http://justforyouth.utah.gov/">http://justforyouth.utah.gov/</a>

Job Seeker Guides <a href="http://jobs.utah.gov/jobseeker/guides/jstools.asp">http://jobs.utah.gov/jobseeker/guides/jstools.asp</a>

Careers.utah.gov http://careers.utah.gov/careers/