

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD - DISABILITY NETWORK DIRECTORY

Sibling Support

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Jewish Social Service Agency (JSSA) - Sibling Support Workshop

200 Wood Hill Road
Rockville, MD 20850
301-610-8328 (V)

www.jssa.org

For siblings of children with physical and/or developmental disabilities. Groups may be co-ed and will be formed based on age/specific needs. Discussion topics include: education about disabilities, coping strategies, and strengthening communication.

Maryland Sibling Network

www.facebook.com/MarylandSiblingNetwork

Facebook group for adult siblings in Maryland to connect with others that have a sibling with a disability to asks questions, gain information, get and provide support, vent, network or simply connect with others sibs.

Sibling Leadership Network

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<http://siblingleadership.org>

Provide siblings of individuals with disabilities the information, support and tools to advocate with their brothers and sisters and to promote the issues important to them and their entire families.

Sibling Support Project

www.siblingsupport.org

National effort dedicated to the life-long concerns of brothers and sisters of people who have special health, developmental, or mental health concerns, host online groups for teen and adult siblings, and presented workshops on sibling issues internationally and in every state.

Sibshops - The Arc Montgomery County Children & Youth Services

Haydee De Paula, Family Services Liaison
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<http://thearcmontgomerycounty.org/Support-Groups/sibshops.html>

Program for brothers and sisters of kids with special needs. Children ages 8 to 13 who have a sibling with special health or developmental needs can connect with peers having similar family situations. Offered on Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. There is a fee and pre-registration is required.

Sibteen

www.facebook.com/groups/SibTeen

A closed Facebook group where teenage siblings of people with disabilities can connect. Members can share unique concerns, joys, frustrations and information with others who understand.