

## UCCCN meeting May 17, 2017

### Resources of the Month

Dear UCCCN members,

Here are your May 2017 resources of the month.

#### Brainstorming:

**Case #1 from Cindy Hally**-- Rwandan 15-year-old girl, arrived here on a medical visa at age 3 for heart surgery, became (or was diagnosed as) deaf shortly thereafter, attends Ogden School for the Deaf, is cared for by her grandmother who distrusts the medical system. Grandma (also from Rwanda) seldom follows through with recommendations, appointments. Communication difficult even between grandmother and grandchild, grandmother suspects abuse at school, girl is probably autistic (based on her behaviors), though grandmother believes her to be normal. They live in Layton, use vouchers for public transit to PCH and school; would like to move to SLC where there's another school for the deaf, and more options, and grandma feels she would learn more sign language. Girl has trouble sleeping. Need a diagnosis beyond deafness to get SSI, which could finance move to SLC.

Ethnic, Religious Support; Mentoring

- [Refugee and Immigrant Center at Asian Association of Utah, Community Center](#) Local community-based nonprofit focused on reducing the barriers that refugees and immigrants face when adapting to life in the U.S. Services are offered in one easily accessible location and include: case management services, employment help, counseling and mental health treatment, English classes, after-school tutoring, mentoring and more.  
[medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10502](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10502)
- [Department of Workforce Services \(DWS\) –Refugee Center](#) The Refugee Center provides culturally and linguistically relevant services: Community & Family Support, Health & Mental Health, Education & Training (Adult, Women's, Youth).  
[medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/11410](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/11410)
- [International Rescue Committee](#) Providing opportunities for refugees and immigrants to thrive. Programs in Salt Lake City include Resettlement, Economic Empowerment, Community Integration and Development, Health and Wellness, and Children, Youth and Education.  
[medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10618](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10618)

Neuropsychological Evaluation

- [University Developmental Assessment Clinics \(UDAC\)](#), Department of Pediatrics, University of Utah UDAC evaluates children with or at risk for developmental delays throughout Utah. Provides developmental assessments and management recommendations for all ages of children and assists families in coordinating child needs.  
[medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/23877](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/23877)

**Case #2 from Alison Lewis**—7-year-old with Downs syndrome, mom wants to apply for SSI

## Services for People with Disabilities; Information Services, Web

- [Applying for Disability in Utah, Social Security Disability SSI Resource Center](#) Web-based information on how to apply for SSI/SSDI. Answers all SSI/SSDI application and appeals questions from A to Z and you can submit questions and get answers via this website, [ssdr.com](http://ssdr.com), [medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/21731](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/21731)
- [Temporary Assistance, Department of Workforce Services](#) Support Services are temporary services to individuals and families in unemployed, underemployed or special needs circumstances. Support services include food, financial, medical and child care assistance. [medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/27345](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/27345)

*Disclaimer: These resources come from our members as part of the meeting brainstorming session; please check with your providers to make sure they are appropriate for your patient/families.*

A list of these service providers in the Medical Home Portal may be found here, [May 2017 UCCCN Cultural Support, Neuropsych Eval for Deaf Child, Services for Disabilities](#).

## Presenter

**Carol Anderson, USBE Educational Specialist – Behavioral Interventions & Supports in Schools**

Carol walked us through the manual schools are trained to use as Least Restrictive Behavioral Interventions (LRBI), available to print from the link, below.

[Least Restrictive Behavioral Interventions \(LRBI\)](#), Utah State Board of Education--A Technical Assistance Manual for positive behavioral supports and selection of least restrictive behavioral interventions. The LRBI document provides guidance and information in creating successful behavioral systems and supports within Utah's public schools; aligns with state and federal laws, rules and policies; published September 2015. [medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/27346](http://medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/27346)

[The Tough Kid](#), William R. Jensen, PhD, a 3-book series, Pacific Northwest Publishing

[Superheroes Social Skills](#), William R. Jensen..., an evidence-based program that enhances the social competence of elementary students with autism spectrum disorders (ASD), behavioral disorders, or developmental delays, 2011.

## Other

Our next meeting will be June 21, 8:30 am at the Utah Parent Center.

Here is the [YouTube Playlist of archived 2017 meeting recordings](#).

Sincerely,

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