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Nebraska Client Assistance Program Hotline for Disability Services

Contact the Nebraska Hotline for Disabilities

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BRAIN INJURY ALLIANCE - NEBRASKA

Description:

The Brain Injury Alliance works to enhance the quality of life for people with brain injury and their families, and advocates for prevention and care of brain injuries. It is the only statewide non-profit exclusively dedicated to brain injury in Nebraska. Serving the brain injury population means working to secure and develop community-based services, providing support groups and access to pertinent information and medical resources and service referrals. It also means educating professionals who work with children and adults with brain injury. We provide: 1) Education-through extensive information about brain injury at conferences and training opportunities. 2) Outreach and Family Support-by providing resources for educators, employers, and service providers. Provide an 800 number that individuals with brain injury and their families can call for brain injury information and referrals. Support groups offer emotional healing, encouragement, education, socialization and confidence building. 3) Monthly newsletter 4) Public Awareness- through educating the public and increasing statewide awareness of brain injury as a serious disability with lifelong consequences and 5) Advocacy-to promote and advance the rights of people with brain injury. Represent their concerns through legislative efforts.

RESOURCE FACILITATORS: CARRIN MEADOWS-OMAHA, GINA SIMANEK-LINCOLN, MENDI MCCUISTON AND SHIR SMITH-WESTERN NE FOR ANY QUESTIONS RELATING TO BRAIN INJURY AND RESOURCES, INCLUDING CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES.

Eligibility:

ANYONE EXPERIENCING A BRAIN INJURY, FAMILY MEMBERS, PROFESSIONALS OR FRIENDS. ANYONE WITH AN INTEREST IN BRAIN INJURY.

List of Provided Services:

Advocacy and Support: Protection and Advocacy

Case Management: Case Management

Information and Referral: Information and Referral

Contact Information:

Address:

PO BOX 22147

Lincoln NE 68542

Hours of Operation: VARIES

Website: www.biane.org

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Other Phone(s):

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PEGGY REISHER

Other Contact(s):

GINA SIMANEK, CARRIN MEADOWS, MENDI MCCUISTON, SHIR SMITH

General Information

Agency ID: 1459

Counties Served:

Out of State, Antelope, Arthur, York, Wheeler, Webster, Wayne, Washington, Valley, Thurston, Thomas, Thayer, Stanton, Sioux, Sherman, Sheridan, Seward, Scotts Bluff, Saunders, Sarpy, Saline, Rock, Richardson, Red Willow, Polk, Platte, Pierce, Phelps, Perkins, Pawnee, Otoe, Nuckolls, Nemaha, Nance, Morrill, Merrick, McPherson, Madison, Loup, Logan, Lincoln, Lancaster, Knox, Kimball, Keya Paha, Keith, Kearney, Johnson, Jefferson, Howard, Hooker, Holt, Hitchcock, Hayes, Harlan, Hamilton, Hall, Greeley, Grant, Gosper, Garfield, Garden, Gage, Furnas, Frontier, Franklin, Fillmore, Dundy, Douglas, Dodge, Dixon, Deuel, Dawson, Dawes, Dakota, Custer, Cuming, Colfax, Clay, Cheyenne, Cherry, Chase, Cedar, Cass, Butler, Burt, Buffalo, Brown, Boyd, Box Butte, Boone, Blaine, Banner, Adams

Ages Served: All Ages

Disabilities Served:

Brain Injury/Head Injury

Wheelchair Accessible: Yes

Fees: NONE

Sliding Fee Schedule: Yes

Interpreters on Staff:

How to Appeal a Decision: