

# Resources and Links: Resources and Links

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## 1 Links and Resources

Here are links to information and resources, and other tools that may be helpful. These sites were not created by, and are not maintained by AASPIRE.

### 1.1 General Autism Information: Medical Focus

- [National Institute of Mental Health \(NIMH\)](#)
- [Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#)

### 1.2 General Autism Information: Service and Resource Focus

- [Autism NOW Center](#) - National Autism Resource and Information Center, sponsored by the Administration on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AIDD)
- US Department of Health and Human Services [Administration for Community Living](#) maintains a comprehensive list of relevant agencies and resources
- [Autism Society of America](#)

### 1.3 The Americans with Disabilities Act in Healthcare

- Main ADA page - <http://www.ada.gov>
- For more information on the ADA and healthcare - <http://www.pacer.org/publications>
- For more a very in-depth legal analysis of the ADA in healthcare, see <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK11429/> (note: this article is written in a very academic style)
- ADA Centers see <http://adata.org/Static/Home.html>
- ADAdata.org has a frequently asked questions page where you can learn more about the ADA. <http://adata.org/faq-page>

### 1.4 Autistic Community Links

See the patient section for [Links and Resources for Connecting with Other Autistic Adults](#).