

Traumatic Brain Injury Resources

It is often difficult for teachers to find resources for working with students with traumatic brain injuries (TBI). Trainings are normally only available at set times during the year, but a school may have a student acquire a brain injury at any time. Therefore, The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, Division of Special Education in conjunction with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, Office of Special Health Care Needs has located an excellent on-line training source from the Tennessee Project Brain network. The training resource was originally developed by the Tennessee Disability Coalition through a collaboration of the Traumatic Brain Injury Program of the Tennessee Health Department and the Tennessee Department of Education, Division of Special Education. The DESE has received permission to post this resource on our website.

The resource information is set up as a “virtual school” for TBI. You can enter the school and go into different parts of the school for information. The school has a “family resource center”, a “nurse’s office” (where you will find medical information), a “library” (for national resources on TBI), and a “classroom” (for academic and behavioral interventions) that are all teacher friendly. The main menu page is called the “hallway.”

In addition to the training resources, the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, Division of Community and Public Health, Special Health Care Needs has developed a list of TBI resources specific to Missouri that can be used. This is included at the end of this page.

Project Brain Virtual School-

<http://www.tndisability.org/brain/cd/ProjectBrain/mediaframeset.html>

MISSOURI RESOURCES LIST

Family Support

Brain Injury Association of Missouri, Inc.

10270 Page Avenue
Saint Louis Missouri 63132
Toll Free (800) 377-6442
Phone (314) 426-4024
Fax (314) 426-3290
www.biamo.org

Educational Information

Center for Innovations in Education

University of Missouri-Columbia
205 London Hall
Columbia, MO 65211-2390
Phone (573) 884-7275
TDD (800) 735-2966
Fax (573) 884-6300
www.cise.missouri.edu

University of Missouri-Columbia School of Medicine

Department of Health Psychology

One Hospital Drive
DC 116.88
Columbia, MO 65212
Phone (573) 882-8847
Fax (573) 884-3518

National Association of State Head Injury Administrators (NASHIA)

4330 East West Highway, Suite 301
Bethesda, MD 20814
Phone (301) 656-3500
Fax (301) 656-3530
www.nashia.org

Governor's Council on Disability

Truman State Office Building
301 West High Street, Room 250-A
P.O. Box 1668
Jefferson City, MO 65102
Toll Free (800) 877-8249 (v/tty)
Phone (573) 751-2600 (v/tty)
Fax (573) 526-4109

Missouri Head Injury Advisory Council
www.dhss.mo.gov/HIA-Council/

State Agencies

Department of Mental Health

1706 E. Elm St.
Jefferson City, 65101
Phone (800) 364-9687
www.dmh.mo.gov

Division of Mental Retardation, Developmental Disabilities

mrddmail@dmh.mo.gov
Phone (573) 751-4054

Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570
Jefferson City, MO 65109

Bureau of Special Health Care Needs

www.dhss.mo.gov/SHCN
Phone (573) 751-6246

Adult Head Injury Program

www.dhss.mo.gov/SHCN/HeadInjury

Traumatic Brain Injury Site

www.dhss.mo.gov/TBI

Department of Social Services

221 West High Street
P.O. Box 1527
Jefferson City, MO 65102-1527
Phone (573) 751-4815
Fax (573) 751-3203
Text Telephone (800) 735-2966
TDD Voice Access: (800) 735-2466
www.dss.mo.gov

Division of Medical Services

615 Howerton Court
Jefferson City, MO 65109
Phone (573) 751-3425

Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

Jefferson Building
205 Jefferson St.
PO Box 480
Jefferson City, MO 65102
Phone (573) 751-0187
Fax (573) 526-5946

Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

3024 Dupont Circle
Jefferson City, MO 65109
Phone (573) 751-3251
Toll Free (877) 222-8963
TDD (573) 751-0881
Fax (573) 751-1441

Rehabilitation Hospitals:

Missouri Rehabilitation Center

600 North Main Street
Mt. Vernon, MO 65712
Phone (417) 466-3711

Howard A. Rusk Rehabilitation Center

315 Business Loop 70 W
Columbia, MO 65203
Phone (573) 817-2703