

## North Texas Organizations that Support Students with Special Needs

| ORGANIZATION                               | LOCATION                     | MISSION / PURPOSE   | PHONE  | WEBSITE  |
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| Achievement Center of Texas                | Garland, TX                  | Provides day care, day habilitation (life skills training), arts exploration, educational assistance, and community inclusion for children and young adults with special needs.   | (972) 414-7700   | <a href="http://www.achievementcenteroftexas.org">www.achievementcenteroftexas.org</a>   |
| Association for Independent Living         | Dallas, TX                   | Strengthens the independence of young adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities through life skills education, vocational guidance, community integration, and spiritual growth in a supportive living environment.   | (214) 351-0798   | <a href="http://www.afildfw.org">www.afildfw.org</a>                                     |
| Callier Center for Communication Disorders | Dallas, TX<br>Richardson, TX | Transforms the lives of those with communication disorders by providing outstanding, leading-edge clinical services, conducting meaningful and innovative basic and applied research into new treatments and technologies, and training the next generation of caring clinical providers. | Dallas:<br>(214) 905-3000<br><br>Richardson:<br>(972) 883-3630 | <a href="http://www.utdallas.edu/calliercenter">www.utdallas.edu/calliercenter</a>       |
| Camp Summit                                | Dallas, TX                   | Provides barrier-free outdoor experiences that promote personal growth and foster independence for children and adults with disabilities.   | (972) 484-8900   | <a href="http://www.campsumittx.org">www.campsumittx.org</a>                             |
| Chase's Place                              | Richardson, TX               | Supports students in discovering their abilities so that they develop independence to their maximum potential, allowing them to live life to the fullest.   | (972) 243-2676   | <a href="http://www.chasesplace.org">www.chasesplace.org</a>                             |
| Child Study Center                         | Fort Worth, TX               | Provides children with complex developmental and behavioral disabilities the highest quality diagnosis, treatment and education, helping them achieve their full potential.   | (817) 336-8611   | <a href="http://www.cscfw.org">www.cscfw.org</a>   |
| Citizens Development Center                | Dallas, TX                   | Training center and employment placement organization for adults with intellectual, mental health and/or physical disabilities (clients) living in Dallas and surrounding areas.  | (214) 637-2911   | <a href="http://www.citizensdevelopmentcenter.org">www.citizensdevelopmentcenter.org</a> |
| Community Homes for Adults, Inc. (CHAI)    | Dallas, TX                   | Provides programs and services to enable adults with cognitive disabilities to live full, rich lives in a safe environment and to meaningfully participate in the community.  | (214) 373-8600   | <a href="http://www.chaidallas.org">www.chaidallas.org</a>                               |
| Dallas Center, Inc.                        | Dallas, TX                   | A non-profit, non-denominational, early intervention and training center for infants, children, and adults with developmental differences serving the greater Dallas metropolitan area.   | (214) 328-4309   | <a href="http://www.dallascenter.org">www.dallascenter.org</a>                           |

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| Dallas Services               | Dallas, TX  | Committed to providing affordable, inclusive, and unique pre-school learning opportunities and low vision services to all individuals in our culturally and economically diverse community.   | (214) 828-9900   | www.dallasser-vices.org         |
| Decoding Dyslexia Texas       | Texas   | Grassroots movement to raise dyslexia awareness, empower families to support their children, and inform policy-makers on best practices to identify, remediate, and support students with dyslexia in Texas schools.                                  | None listed  | www.decodingdyslexiatx.org      |
| Down Syndrome Guild of Dallas | Richardson, TX  | Provides accurate and current information, resources, and support for people with Down syndrome, their families, and the community.   | (214) 267-1374   | www.downsyndromedallas.org      |
| Easter Seals North Texas      | North Dallas, TX<br>-South Dallas,<br><br>TX-Fort Worth, TX-<br>Grapevine, TX | Spreads help, hope and answers, creating opportunities that advance the independence of individuals with disabilities and other special needs.  | North Dallas:<br>(972) 394-8900<br><br>South Dallas:<br>(214) 372-3300<br><br>Fort Worth:<br>(817) 332-7171<br><br>Grapevine<br>(817) 424-9797 | www.easterseals.com/northtexas  |
| Evergreen Life Services       | Dallas, TX<br>Fort Worth, TX<br>Sherman, TX<br>Texarkana, TX<br>Longview, TX  | Offers a wide range of community-based services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities, designed to not only meet basic needs, but also teach life skills and help each individual reach his or her own personal potential. | Dallas:<br>(972) 386-4834<br><br>Ft. Worth:<br>(817)285-8011<br><br>Sherman:<br><br>(903)-893-0149   | www.evergreens.org              |
| Great Lakes Academy           | Plano, TX   | Provides students with average to above- average intelligence, diagnosed with various Learning Differences, Asperger's Syndrome, ADD or ADHD, a stimulating environment and favorable atmosphere which affords each student opportunities to develop. | (972)-517-7498- 103  | www.greatlakesacademy.com       |
| Hill School                   | Fort Worth, TX  | Provides students who learn differently and are of average to above average intelligence a student-centered educational environment that focuses on intellectual development, while supporting social, emotional, and physical well-being.            | Fort Worth:<br>(817) 923-9482  | www.hillschool.org              |
| Jo Kelly Special              | Fort Worth, TX  | Provides for the needs and education of students with multiple disabilities and medical fragility that they may develop to their fullest potential.   | (817) 815-5900   | jokelly.fwisd.org/pages/JoKelly |

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| Lakes Regional MHMR           | Various Locations            | Serves the communities of 15 counties in Northeast Texas with mental health, mental disability and recovery services.  | (972) 524-4159   | www.lakesregional.org                  |
| LifePath Systems              | McKinney, TX                 | Provides critically needed assistance to the intellectually disabled, mental illness treatment, and early childhood intervention, for developmentally delayed infants and their families.  | (972) 562-0190   | www.lifepathsystems.org                |
| Metrocare Services            | Dallas, TX                   | Dedicated to helping people with mental illness, developmental disabilities, and severe emotional problems live healthier lives.   | (214) 743-1200   | www.metrocareservices.org              |
| Metrocrest Community Services | Carrollton, TX               | Provides quality services to individuals with developmental disabilities and other related disabilities by supporting them in day habilitation, vocational and community services of their choice.   | (972) 323-1220   | www.metrocrestcs.org                   |
| My Possibilities              | Plano, TX                    | The first full day, full year continuing education program in Collin County for disabled Texans who have "aged out" of public education.   | (469) 241-9100   | www.mypossibilities.org                |
| Notre Dame School             | Dallas, TX                   | Educates students with intellectual disabilities and facilitates their integration into society.   | (214) 720-3911   | www.notredameschool.org                |
| Partners Resource Network     | Texas                        | A non-profit agency that operates the Texas statewide network of Parent Training and Information Centers.  | Region 9 and 11:<br>(817) 988-7717<br><br>Region 10:<br>(214) 425-3056   | www.partnerstx.org                     |
| Sage Care Therapy             | Dallas, TX                   | Aims to provide the most effective, function- centered therapies to children, and promote the most therapist-friendly Pediatric Home Health Care Company in the Dallas/Ft. Worth Metroplex area.   | (214) 295-5374   | www.sagecaretherapy.com                |
| The Arc                       | Texas                        | Advocates for and serves people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families, encompassing all ages and all spectrums from autism, Down syndrome, Fragile X and various other developmental disabilities.                                       | The Arc of Collin, Dallas and Rockwall Counties:<br>(214) 634-9810<br><br>The Arc of Greater Tarrant County:<br>(817) 877-1474 | www.thearcdallas.org<br>www.arcgtx.org |
| The Shelton School            | Dallas, TX                   | Serves students with learning differences, including dyslexia and related disorders.   | (972) 774-1772   | www.shelton.org                        |
| Therapy 2000                  | Dallas, TX<br>Fort Worth, TX | Delivers high quality individualized home care rehabilitation services to children, such as occupational, physical, and speech therapy services to children (birth-21) with special needs, including disabilities, developmental delays and autism spectrum disorders. | Central Division - Dallas: (214) 467-9787<br><br>West Division - Ft. Worth: (817) 507-1500                                     | www.t2000.com                          |