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Manchester Area resources



Here's the latest list of local Manchester Area Resources, compiled in an effort to better equip providers and families with the most up-to-date information available.

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Special Education & Remote Learning Parent Survey

ABLE NH and the Parent Information Center are interested to know how remote learning is working for your student with a disability. We understand it was a herculean lift on the part of the NH Dept. of Education and school districts to launch remote learning in order to keep our children safe and engaged in their education.





It is working well for many students. However, we'd like to collect data to learn more about the ways in which students with disabilities and their families are struggling. This data will help to inform PIC and ABLE NH's work supporting families with students with disabilities.

The survey is anonymous, once the results are compiled, they will be shared with the Rebecca Fredette, Director of Special Education; Commissioner of Education, Frank Edelblut; and Governor Chris Sununu. This survey closes on May 4, 2020.

[Take the Survey](#)

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Health Stress & Anxiety Webinar Series



**Dartmouth-
Hitchcock**

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Health has launched a virtual webinar series to help manage stress and anxiety amidst the Covid-19 pandemic.

The six-part series, which launched Wednesday, April 22, at noon EST with a webinar for parents of children ranging from infancy through sixth grade. It will stream live each Wednesday on the Dartmouth-Hitchcock Facebook page.

The series of webinars will feature D-H experts discussing the challenges and concerns brought about by the pandemic and social isolation, and offer information, tips and techniques for coping and maintaining health and wellness in this trying time.

See the Webinar Series

National Geographic Homeschool Hub - NatGeo@Home

The COVID-19 outbreak has closed schools across most of the U.S., impacting more than 55 million students who are now learning at home. That's created an increased demand for homeschool resources.



Today, National Geographic is responding to that need with the launch of a new online hub, NatGeo@Home, which pulls together all of National Geographic's family-friendly educational content into a one-stop shop for parents and teachers alike.

The free digital resource combines the educational content from the National Geographic Society with those from National Geographic Kids and other tools and services. This includes access to the National Geographic Society's Learn at Home portal, where you'll find educational content like articles, lessons, videos, other online activities and more. [You can access NatGeo@Home directly here.](#)

Learn more

HBO Documentary: "Autism: The Sequel"

A documentary following the lives of five people with autism who are on



the cusp of adulthood is headed to television. The film “Autism: The Sequel” examines how a group of young adults on the spectrum who have varying abilities are faring as 20-somethings.

All of those featured appeared in the 2007 HBO documentary “Autism: The Musical,” an

Emmy-award winning film that centered on a group of children with autism who wrote and performed their own musical.

The current 40-minute film incorporates new interviews and footage taken 12 years ago. The documentary finds its subjects Neal, Wyatt, Lexi, Henry and Adam at various points.

Henry is virtually self-sufficient, living alone and working toward a degree in film and television studies. Similarly, Wyatt has moved into a college dorm. And, Adam has relocated across the country to pursue his cello studies with the help of his mother who moved to support him.

Lexi, meanwhile, lives in a group home and enjoys singing lessons while Neal works on a farm and, despite struggles with speech, has seen improvements in communication.

“Autism: The Sequel” will air April 28 on HBO at 9 p.m. ET.

[Read more & View the Trailer](#)

Supporting Your Student During Covid-19

Here is a link to a webinar recording

presented by the 3-21 Foundation in partnership with the Massachusetts Down Syndrome Congress. It's given by an educator and it is called "Supporting your Complex Learner During Covid-19". This might be helpful for those of you supporting your school-aged kids at home.



[View the Webinar](#)

Children at Home? Free Kids Activities From Red Cross



American Red Cross

As many of us remain under stay-at-home orders, you may be looking for activities to do with your kids. The Red Cross has some free activities on how to keep your children engaged while teaching them something valuable at the same time.

The Pillowcase Project (8-12 years old): Download resources like My Preparedness Workbook, posters and activity sheets in

English and Spanish for kids to learn about home fire prevention and safety and other emergency such as tornadoes, hurricanes, floods, earthquakes and more.

Prepare With Pedro (4-8 years old): A complement to The Pillowcase Project, these materials are designed for kindergarten to second grade students. You can

download storybooks in English and Spanish as well as a disaster preparedness activity book.

Monster Guard: Prepare for Emergencies App (7-11 years old): This is the first mobile app created by the Red Cross that's designed specifically for kids. They'll follow Maya, Chad, Olivia and all the monsters as they teach each other to prepare for emergencies in a fun and engaging game.

[See the Kids Activities](#)

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