

News and Resources

Thanks to a grant from the U.S. Department of Education, this newsletter provides information and resources for **transition-aged youth with disabilities** across the Northeast spanning 11 states, as well as Washington D.C., Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Education

Financial aid resources for college students with disabilities

[Best Colleges](#)

Federal government signals big changes to student loan forgiveness programs for disabled borrowers

[Forbes](#)

Disability and Culture

The policing of disability status

[Catapult](#)

Deaf high school football team aims to make history in state championships

[Today](#)

Independent Living

Self-advocacy skill building

[CPIR](#)

Special Needs Trusts or ABLE accounts?

[The Arc](#)

Services and Systems

A call for increased funding and support for 504 plans
[American Progress](#)

When federal assistance for daily living doesn't include parenting
[The 19th](#)

Work

Preparing for and attending virtual career fairs
[SSA](#)

Job accommodations and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
[The Job Accommodation Network](#)

Science and Technology

What does inclusive design mean?
[Fast Company](#)

Gamers with disabilities
[Refinery29](#)

Request for Proposal

REAL Transition Partners will award three \$2,500 grants to local initiatives assisting young people with disabilities navigate transition to adulthood. Due Friday, January 7

[Learn More](#)

NJ Transition-Related Resources & Online Events

Hispanic Individuals with Disabilities:

This webinar will take a closer look at specific factors that present challenges and needs in Vocational Rehabilitation of Hispanic Individuals with Disabilities

December 16, 2021

1:00

[Register for Webinar](#)

Side by Side Transition Services between
Education and Vocational Rehabilitation

[Resource](#)

Difference between Secondary and Post-Secondary Education

[Resource](#)

Think College Search:

The only directory of its kind, features 309 colleges and universities that offer post-secondary education programs for students with intellectual disabilities

[Resource](#)