Assistive Technology Resources





Handout for "Assistive Technology: Tools & Resources for Independence," a presentation of AmeriCorps Seniors Metro Atlanta RSVP www.Empowerline.org

Empowerline

www.Empowerline.org • 463-3333

Empowerline, a service of the Atlanta Regional Commission Area Agency on Aging, provides Information about assistive technology and potential funding sources. Empowerline also connects callers with services and resources for older adults and people with disabilities.

Friends of Disabled Adults and Children (FODAC)

www.fodac.org • 770-491-9014

FODAC refurbishes and sells low-cost durable medical equipment, such as wheelchairs, walkers, hospital beds, ramps, bedside commodes, lift chairs, grab bars, and more.

Georgia Telecommunications Equipment Distribution Program (GATEDP) www.gcdhh.org/gatedp • 404-381-8447

GATEDP provides assistive technology and training to Georgia residents who meet income requirements, own a landline or wireless equipment, and show proof of a speech- or hearing-related diagnosis (GATEDP is managed by the Georgia Center of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing.)

Credit-Able

www.cfiga.org • 404-894-0541 (Georgia Tools for Life)

The Center for Financial Independence and Innovation of Georgia provides low-interest small loans, from \$250 to \$5,000, at a 5-9% interest rate. Credit-Able loans can be used for equipment, software, home modification, and vehicle mods.

disAbility Resource Center

www.disabilityresourcecenter.org • 706-778-5355

The disABILITY Resource Center provides information, advocacy, peer support, and more to individuals with disabilities.

iCan Connect

<u>www.icanconnect.org</u> • 404-381-8447 (Georgia Center of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing) iCanConnect provides people who are deaf-blind or who have both significant vision and hearing loss with free equipment and training.

Dollars & Sense

http://gatfl.gatech.edu//ds • 404-894-0541 (Georgia Tools for Life)

Dollars & Sense: Navigating the Funding Stream is an online funding guide for disability-related resources.