

Get the Parents Perspective!

"We all can learn from this, I am so glad I came."

"There were lots of helpful examples; the presenters are very good speakers."

"I liked that it was informative and that the presenter answered all of our questions"



Building Awareness

LDAH is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization specializing in parent and professional development and support since 1968. As Hawai'i's Parent Training & Information

Center, LDAH strives to spread awareness on disability-related issues through information dissemination, referral, and interactive workshops at no cost to parents.



Workshops vary in length. Please contact LDAH at (808) 536-9685 for additional information.

❁ *New Workshops Available*

Transfer of Rights

In Hawaii, the age of majority is age 18. Parents of children with disabilities and the professionals who support them will learn options to consider as they plan for the transfer of rights according to IDEA 2004 and Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter 60.

Blitz Week

One full week of breaking down the components of the Individualized Education Program (IEP), CLINIC style. Using parent friendly language and a little bit of effort, parents will walk away with tools to develop their child's IEP.



❁ *List of Workshops Still Available:*

- A-B-C's of Advocacy
- All About Inclusion
- Understanding Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Chapter 19; Rules Regarding Discipline
- Early Childhood Health and Development
- Learning Disability, 101
- My Future! Post-secondary Transition
- So We Don't Agree-Resolve Disputes
- Who We Are, LDAH!

❁ *Future Workshops*

LDAH is committed to bringing new trainings from our national technical assistance center and making them culturally relevant for our communities. Visit our website for new training updates.

Education & Training

HAWAII & PACIFIC ISLAND PARENT TRAINING & INFORMATION CENTER



Leadership in Disabilities & Achievement of Hawai'i

Supporting Families Since 1968

► *Schedule your next workshop! Call, 536-9685 ext. 102* ◀

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Our Services

Leadership in Disabilities & Achievement of Hawai'i (LDAH), Hawai'i's Parent Training & Information Center, provides training and information statewide to parents of infants, toddlers, school-aged children, and young adults with disabilities and to the professionals who serve them.



Over 30 Training Topics to Choose From

LDAH has a comprehensive "interactive" training program offering workshops to the community on the islands of O'ahu, Maui, Kaua'i, Hawai'i, Moloka'i, and Lana'i. Our interactive workshops provide various educational content and last from one to six hours. Parent, professional, and youth workshops are scheduled through the LDAH Education & Training Coordinator. Call us today!

❁ Building the Foundation

The Law: IDEA 2004 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

Learn about the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504), and how they are designed to meet the unique needs of students with disabilities. Compare and contrast between a Individualized Education Program and a Modification Plan and how each affects your child. Also covered, Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapters 60 and 61 respectively.

❁ Special Education Workshop Series

Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter 60

The New Chapter 60 has been signed by the Governor and is in place, as of November 23, 2009. Become familiar with the rules affecting your child who receives or needs a Free Appropriate Public Education.

Understanding the Evaluation Process

Become familiar with the evaluation process and learn how to understand and utilize specific information from reports, and prepare for eligibility determination and the development of the IEP.

Developing My Child's IEP

Become familiar with the process of developing, reviewing, and revising an Individualized Education Program as an IEP team member according to standards presented in IDEA 2004 and Hawai'i's Administrative Rules Chapter 60.

❁ For Parents Only!

IEP Clinic, Parents as Collaborative Leaders

Parents play a big role in leadership, advocacy and policy making. Learn steps to approach your concerns, plan for your next IEP meeting and be a part of the solution when working alongside your child's IEP Team. Receive Tips and Tools for your child's future!

Small Group Sessions

Receive individualized support from LDAH personnel while developing a plan of action to address your primary concerns and networking with other parents. *(A parent favorite!)*



Gather five or more people and we'll come to you!

Ask about our technology capabilities for remote access to workshops and training. We want to be accessible to you wherever you are in the state.

❁ New Workshops Available

The Journey to Adulthood: What Parents Need to Know.

Participants will take a journey through preparing their youth for the changes of puberty and adolescence. They will learn to identifying skills needed for adulthood and discussing ideas and tools to assist with relationships, sexuality, personal safety skills and why preparation is necessary.

❁ Organizing Your Documents

Have you ever thought . . . I'll never get my self organized? Well, now we have an opportunity for you. LDAH will help you bring a "method to your madness". If you have IEP's, evaluations and forms, forms and more forms from the school? We will teach you a method to get organized and be ready for your next meeting.



For a complete list of workshops we offer visit our website at: www.ldahawaii.org or call 536-9684

Neighbor Islands: 1-800-533-9684

Letter Writing, "What Do I Say?"

Participants will receive effective letter writing approaches to use when raising a concern, requesting information, request an action, provide information, decline a request and expressing appreciation. How to begin a letter, writing simple clear and concise letters, who and what is their position, and what to do when there is no response. Samples and suggested letter writing approaches are taken from Wrights Law, Emotions to Advocacy by Pete and Pam Wright.