

Internet Resources on School Based Services

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Government Websites on IDEA

Public Law 108-446, Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004.
<http://www.copyright.gov/legislation/pl108-446.pdf>
Links to the law itself and should provide links to the rules and regulations .

Special Education & Rehabilitation Services, IDEA 2004 Resources. <http://idea.ed.gov/>
U.S. Department of Education website provides information and services regarding IDEA Parts B & C.

Mediation Information.
<http://www.ed.gov/policy/speced/guid/idea/letters/2000-4/osep0105mediation.4q2000.doc>

Resources on IDEA and Related Issues

Consortium for Citizens with Disabilities (CCD) <http://www.c-c-d.org>
CCD addresses a broad range of federal legislative and legal issues. These issues include: child abuse, developmental disabilities, education employment, fiscal policy, health, housing, long term services, prevention, rights, social security, work incentives, technology/telecommunications and transportation.

Council for Exceptional Children (CEC), <http://www.cec.sped.org>

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). NECTAC.
<http://www.nectac.org/idea/idea.asp>
The National Early Childhood TA Center provides links to IDEA, OSEP Policy Documents, Overviews of the Early Childhood Provisions of IDEA, Federal Regulations and State Special Education Regulations.

The Arc. <http://www.thearc.org>.
Provides resources and legislative information.

Wrightslaw. <http://www.wrightslaw.com>.
Website operated by the Wrights that provides “up-to-date information about special education law and advocacy for children with disabilities. You will find articles, cases, newsletters, and resources about dozens of topics in the Advocacy Libraries and Law Libraries.” They provide a weekly newsletter, links to the latest IDEA rules and regulations, recent legal issues and information on their workshops.