DATABASE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS RESOURCES

A resource list for parents, caregivers and teachers

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Compiled by Wendy Singer

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This database is strictly a research guide. The English Montreal School Board highly recommends that you research these resources to determine if they are appropriate for the care of your child.

If you would like to recommend a resource for this list, please contact info@inspirationsnews.com
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Section 1

SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION

Centennial Academy High School
3641 Prud’Homme Ave., Montreal, QC, H4A 3H6
Tel: (514) 486-5533 #236/ Fax: (514) 486-1401
Contact: Director of Marketing and Admissions: Ms. Andrea Burdman
Email: admissions@centennial.qc.ca
Website: www.centennial.qc.ca
Co-Educational, Day School, Secondary I - V & College Pre-University DEC Social Science Program
Centennial Academy understands and respects learning differences. We are an inclusive school that provides an
enriched curriculum through the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme to all students. The
Student Success Team reviews each student’s Individual Success Plan weekly to ensure that learning occurs. A
wide variety of support services are put into place as needed, including accommodations for exams, tutorials,
and the coaching of learning strategies and self-management skills in a Study Block period.

Giant Steps Montreal
5460 Connaught Avenue, Montreal, Quebec H4V 1X7
Tel: 514-935-1911 / Fax: 514-935-9768
Contact: Dr. Jocelyne Lecompte
Website: www.giantstepsmontreal.com
Email: nfontes@giantstepsmontreal.com
Educational services and development of functional skills for children with Autism or Pervasive Developmental
Disorder.

Mackay Centre School
3500 Decarie Blvd, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3J5
Tel: 514-482-0500 / Fax: 514-485-7254
Contact: Patricia Ciccarelli
Email: mackaycenter@ssss.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.emsb.qc.ca/mackay
An EMSB school serving deaf students and students with motor, speech, and language disorders. Majority of
students are ages 4-12, but can go up to age 19.

Montreal Oral School for the Deaf
4670 Ste Catherine West, Montreal, Quebec H3Z 1S5
Tel: Voice/TTY (514) 488-4946 / Fax: (514) 488-0802
Contact: Martha Perusse
Email: info@montrealoralschool.com
Website: www.oraldeafed.org/schools/montreal/
Education and therapy for deaf/hearing-impaired individuals from infancy to young adulthood. Focus on
developing spoken language by listening and talking; also, integration into regular schools.
**Pat Roberts Centre**
16167 Gouin Blvd West, St. Geneviève, Quebec H9H 1C9
Tel: 514-696-5144 / Fax: 514-696-7651
Contact: Lyne Charlebois
Email: pat-roberts@wiaih.qc.ca
Website: www.wiaih.qc.ca
Specialized, bilingual pre-school for children with developmental delays, Autism, communication disorders, etc., from infancy to 5 yrs.

**Peter Hall School**
Email: jilaliberte@peterhall.qc.ca
Website: www.peterhall.qc.ca
A private school. Welcomes 4 – 21 year old students with intellectual disabilities, Pervasive Developmental Disorders and psychopathological disorders.

Head Office
840, Côte-Vertu, St-Laurent, Quebec H4L 1Y4
Tel: 514-748-6727 / Fax: 514-748-5122
Email: info.school@peterhall.qc.ca

Peter Hall School Côte-Vertu
840 Côte-Vertu, St-Laurent, (Quebec H4L 1Y4
Tel: 514-747-4075 / Fax: 514-747-0164
E-Mail: cote-vertu@peterhall.qc.ca

Peter Hall School Ouimet (Pre-school and primary)
1200 Ouimet Street, St-Laurent, Quebec H4L 3P9
Tel: 514-748-1050 / Fax: 514-748-7544
E-Mail: ouimet@peterhall.qc.ca

**Philip E. Layton School for the Blind**
7000 Sherbrooke St. West, Montreal, Quebec H4B 1R3
Tel: 514-489-8207 / Fax: 514-489-3477
Contact: Patricia Ciccarelli
Email: pelayton@emsb.qc.ca
EMSB school includes educational and vision rehabilitation services for blind and visually impaired students 4 to 21 years of age; services provided both within the specialized school setting as well as in regular community schools and include sensory stimulation, Braille instruction, adaptation of educational materials, consultation services to community classroom teachers and individualized programs based on the student's needs.

**Summit School**
1750 Deguire, Saint-Laurent, Quebec H4L 1M7
Tel: 514-744-2867 / Fax: 514-744-6410
Contact: Gloria Cherney
Email: administration@summit-school.com
Website: www.summit-school.com
For students, ages 4 to 21, with developmental disabilities including behavioural and emotional disturbances, Autism, Down Syndrome and severe learning disabilities. Also a satellite high school at Westmount High and Transitional Education Career Centre (TECC).
The New Little Red Playhouse / Coco’s Place
263 Percival, Montreal West, Quebec H4X 1T8
Tel: 514-486-4032
Contact: Sharon McCarrey
Website: www.littleredplayhouse.net
La Fondation Coco is a federally registered not for profit charity that operates and administers a preschool program for 3-6 year. Modelled after the MacKay Center School’s reverse integration, they specialize in integrating a balanced ratio of children of the same age diagnosed with an Autism Spectrum Disorder into their “typical” population. Our goal is to foster true integration and preparation for higher functioning Autistic children before they start school. We offer a low ratio of students to educators and we support undergraduate student placements. Physically located next to Elizabeth Ballantyne School, they enjoy weekly use of the gym and the library. Their renovated building now includes a play space that includes a sensory area based on Snoezelen techniques.

Vanguard Schools - General Admissions
1150 Rue Deguire, Saint-Laurent, Quebec H4L 1M2
Phone: 514-747-5500, ext. 400 / Fax: 514-747-2831
Contact: Lorraine Coulombe
Email: admissions@vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Website: www.vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Elementary school and two high schools for students with severe learning disabilities:

Vanguard Elementary School
1150 Rue Deguire, Saint-Laurent, Quebec H4L 1M2
Tel: 514-747-3711 / Fax: 514-747-2831
Contact: Denise Bédard
Email: dbedard@vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Website: www.vanguardquebec.qc.ca

Vanguard Francophone High School
83 Boulevard des Prairies, Laval, Quebec H7N 2T3
Tel: 450-972-6268 / Fax: 450-972-6269
Email: admissions@vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Website: www.vanguardquebec.qc.ca

Vanguard Intercultural High School
175 Metcalfe, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 2X6
Tel: 514-932-9770 / Fax: 514-932-3893
Contact: Maryse Bessette
Email: mbessette@vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Website: www.vanguardquebec.qc.ca
Yaldei Shashuim School – Ecole Yaldei Shashuim
2100 Marlow, 5th floor Montreal, Quebec H4A 3LA
Tel: 514 279-3666/ Fax 514-278-3666
Contact: Stephanie Meunier
Email: info@yaldei.org
Website: www.yaldei.org

Bilingual school for children 4-8 years old with profound intellectual impairment. Complimentary services of speech, physiotherapy, occupation therapy, music therapy – all offered in French and English. Ratio of 1 teacher for 6 students, plus 1 educator for 2-3 students.
Section 2

SPECIFICALLY AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD), ASPERGER’S SYNDROME, PervasivE DEVELOPMENT DISORDERS (PDD)

These resources treat Autism, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD exclusively. Consult www.autismcentral.ca for extensive lists of resources.
Please consult this database, ie. Therapy / Support Services Section, for other resources that include ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD in their services.

ABILI-T Program – Miriam Foundation, Gold Centre
Supports young children with ASD and other developmental disabilities by providing highly individualized, 1:1 (one therapist, one child) services based on the principles of Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA). Specifically tailored to meet the individual needs of each child and family. The team works closely with parents to develop goals that are meaningful to them, improving the quality of life for the family unit. The program is not-for-profit. The program takes place in their newly opened centre as well as in home, school and community-based settings.
5331 Ferrier, Montreal, Quebec, H4P 2T2
Tel: 514-345-8330
Email: info@goldlearningcentre.com
Website: www.miriamfoundation.ca

ASD Montreal
3333 Cavendish, suite 250, Montreal, Quebec H4B 2M5
Tel: 514-484-9996 / Fax: 514-484-0267
Contact: Myra-Jade Lui
Email: info@asdmontreal.com
Website: www.asdmontreal.com
Centre-based programming and instruction for children with Autism and related disorders.

ASD Healing
5610 Hudson, Montreal, Quebec H4W 2K4
Tel: 514-486-3176
Contact: Sarah Moyal
Email: sarah@asdhealing.com
Website: www.asdhealing.com
A biomedical approach to ASD entails an in-depth look at the child’s symptoms, nutritional and environmental exposures and individual biochemistry revealed through functional lab testing.

Asperger Syndrome Support Group
Contact: Lise Sandstrom
Tel: 514-229-2526
Email: aspergergroup@bellnet
Family support group, social skills groups, individual counselling
Autism and Pervasive Developmental Disorders Montreal (ATEDM)
Autisme et troubles envahissants du développement Montréal (ATEDM)
4450 Saint-Hubert, Montreal, Quebec H2J 2W9
Tel: 514-524-6114, ext. 320 / Fax: 514-524-6420
Contact: Chantal Pivin
Email: atedm@autisme-montreal.com
Website: http://autisme-montreal.com
Direct services through Centre TEDDI include summer camps and outings for high-functioning autistic children and children with Asperger’s Syndrome. Organization also promotes awareness in the community and advocates for individuals with Autism and their families. Information available at bilingual web site.

Autismcentral.ca
Miriam Foundation, 8160 Royden Road, Town of Mount Royal, Quebec H4P 2T2
Tel: 514-345-1300 / Fax: 514-345-6904
Email: info@autismcentral.ca
Website: www.autismcentral.ca
A web-based portal of information regarding developmental disabilities and ASD. Its development was made possible by funding from the Federal Government. It provides valuable information for Canadian parents of children and adults with disabilities and lists resources by province, region and city.

Autism Clinic for Intervention and Consultation
Clinique d’Intervention et Consultation en Autisme (CICA Montreal)
P.O. Box 63133, Nuns Island, Quebec H3E 1V6
Tel: 514-954-8662 / Fax: 514-954-8663
Contact: Marie-Pierre Leblanc
Email: info@cicamontreal.com
Website: www.cicamontreal.com
A private clinic that employs the Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA) approach for autistic children.

Autism Montreal ATEDM
4450 St. Hubert Street, Montreal, Quebec H2J 2W9
Tel: 514-524-6114
Website: www.autisme-montreal.com
Organization that develops and provides services that respond to the needs of children with Autism and other Pervasive Developmental Disorders, and their parents. Defends rights and interests.

Autism Society - Laurentians
474 Laviolette Street, Saint-Jérôme, Quebec J7Z 5V2
Tel: 450-569-1794  Fax: 450-569-6022
Email: vincent.trepanier@autismelaurentides.org
Website: www.autismelaurentides.org
Serves the Laurentian region of Quebec, offering support, advocacy, programs and respite for individuals with ASD or other developmental disabilities.
**Autism Speaks Canada**
1243 Islington Avenue, Suite 504, Toronto, Ontario M8X 1Y9
Tel: 1-888-362-6227 / 416-362-6227
Contact: Suzanne Lanthier
Email: slanthier@autismspeaks.org
Website: [www.AutismSpeaks.ca](http://www.AutismSpeaks.ca)
Research, awareness, advocacy, family services, hope. North America’s largest autism science, awareness and advocacy organization, dedicated to funding research into the causes, prevention, treatment and cure for autism; increasing awareness of ASD; and advocating for the needs of individuals with autism and their families.

**Autism Spectrum Disorders Program**
Douglas Mental Health University Institute, 6875 LaSalle Blvd, Verdun, Quebec H4H 1R3
Tel: 514-761-6131, ext. 3085 / Fax: 514-888-4067
Contact: Dr. Natalie Grizenko
Email: info@douglas.qc.ca
Diagnostic clinic with a multidisciplinary team. Services include diagnosis, referral to appropriate resources for further interventions, the prescription of medication and follow-up with prescribing physicians.

**Behavior Support Partnerships**
5170 West Hill, Montreal, Quebec, H4V 2W7
Tel: 514-998-6132
Contact: Sasha Zalob M.A., BCBA
Email: sashsfdz@yahoo.com
Provides ABA program which includes direct work with children with Autism and other developmental disorders, as well as parent training.

**Big Blue Hug Autism Awareness Project – Drawing on Inspiration**
6800 Darlington Ave., Suite #3, Montreal, Quebec H3W 1C6
Tel/Fax: 514-342-3331
Contact: Jason Goldsmith
Email: info@thebigbluehug.com
Website: [www.thebigbluehug.com](http://www.thebigbluehug.com)
Visual communication strategy called “picture talking” used to communicate with autistic children and children delayed in language, social, and cognitive skills. Early intervention program ages 2 and up; no formal diagnosis needed to start; complements other therapies. Gift products such as cards, artwork available to promote autism awareness.

**Butterfly Education Center**
583 Marshall Avenue, Dorval, QC, H9P 1E1
Tel: 514-538-4655
Email: anna@butterflyedcenter.com
Website: [www.butterflyedcenter.com](http://www.butterflyedcenter.com)
A private ABA center for people with an ASD or other related disorders and/or behavior challenges. Home and center programs as well as integration in daycares, schools, and the work environment for ages 2 years and older (including teenagers and young adults).
Brilliant Beginnings
Contact: Brenda Porter, Tel: 514-708-5437
Email: brenda@brilliant-beginnings.ca
Website: www.brilliant-beginnings.org
Treatment for children with Autism and/or Pervasive Developmental Disorders in newborn to 4 years.

Camp Rock-Camp-Bol (See Section 10.2: Day Camps)

Clinic for Consultation, Intervention and Training in Autism (CCIFA)
Clinique de Consultation, Intervention et Formation en Autisme (CCIFA)
2103 Edouard Blvd, St. Hubert, Quebec J4T 1Z9
Tel: 450-923-9942
Contact: Dr. Marie-Hélène Prud'homme
Email: info@ccifa-ted.com
Website: www.ccifa-ted.com
Private clinic specializing in Autism Spectrum Disorders for children, adolescents and adults. Groups for building social skills, life skills, vocational skills, managing anxiety, etc. Provides follow-up to hospital clinics using established therapies (ABA, CBT, TEACCH, PECS and others). Workshops and training for parents, teachers and professionals.

Club Education
Elm Plaza, 275 Elm Avenue, Unit 10, Beaconsfield, Quebec H9W 2E4
Tel: 514-674-0914
Contact: Darlene
Email: ClubEd@videotron.ca
Website: www.clubed.ca
Physical activity and social skills group for children with Autism, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD. Limited space, ongoing registration.

Coady, Cindy
Tel: 514-660-1714
Email: info@autism-montreal.com
Website: www.autism-montreal.com
Autism specialist works with parents in home environment to improve the quality of life for their autistic children and their families using RDI® and parent coaching.

De Kimpe, Violaine Ph. D., Psychologist
4368 King-Edward Avenue, Montreal, Quebec H4B 2H5
Tel: 514-756-5544
Email: violaine.dekimpe@sympatico.ca
Private practice specializing in children with ASD. Assessments for children with ASD (ADOS, Vineland, ADI, etc), consultation in daycares and schools, parent training, and functional communication stimulation through PECS and play. Services provided both in French and English to families.

Emergo Respite Services for Autism and Other Pervasive Developmental Disorders
2300 Blvd René-Lévesque West, Montreal, Quebec H3H 2R5
Tel: 514-931-2882 / Fax: 514-931-2397
Email: repit-emergo@bellnet.ca
Website: www.servicezderepitemergo.com/e_accueil.html
Offers respite services for parents of autistic children. Includes summer respite programs and respite programs during the school year for weekends and Christmas holidays.
Giant Steps Resource and Training Centre
5460 Connaught Avenue, Montreal, Quebec H4V 1X7
Tel: 514-935-1911, ext. 237
Contact: Marla Cable
Email: mcable@giantstepsmontreal.com
Services include a book and audio-visual lending library, consultation services, workshops, and conferences for the ASD community. (See Giant Steps Montreal in Section 1: Special Needs Education)

G.I.R.A.F. – Groupe d’Intervention et de Réadaptation pour enfants Autistes et leur Famille
360 Lawrence, Suite 2300, Greenfield Park, Quebec J4V 2Z4
Tel: 450-904-2144
Contact: Katia Dorinville, Special Care Counselor: ASD Consultant
Email: katiadorinville@giraf-autisme.com
Website: www.giraf-autisme.com
Specialized services to families with autistic children and other severe communication disabilities. Ages 0-12. Offers different therapies to children who have ASD or are not yet diagnosed or on a waiting list.

La Maisonnette
4450 St-Hubert, #320, Quebec
Tel: 514-524-6114
Email: atedm@autisme-montreal.com
Website: www.autism-montreal.com

Les Répits de Gaby
51, 19e Rue, Crabtree, Quebec J0K 1B0
Tel: 450-754-2782 / 1-866-753-3914
Email: info@repitsdegaby.com
Website: www.repitsdegaby.com
A specialized service that makes it possible for parents to entrust their autistic children to caregivers for a day or weekend. It also provides a day camp during the summer holidays.

Montreal Autism Centre
Queen Elizabeth Health Complex
2100 Marlowe Ave., Suite 23, Montreal, Quebec, H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-369-2688 / Fax: 514-369-2618
Email: info@AutismCentre.org
Website: www.autismcentre.org
Provide clinical assessment and treatment services, conduct research on typical and atypical development, and provide students and professional training.

Montreal Children's Hospital Autism Spectrum Disorders Program
2300 Tupper St., Montreal, Quebec H3H 1P3
Tel: 514-412-4400 ext. 23099 / Fax: 514-412-4319
Contact: Laura Fernandez
Purely diagnostic service. Wait list is 2 years. Will refer to various clinics.
Montreal Children's Hospital Autism Spectrum Disorders Psychopharmacology Program
2300 Tupper St., Montreal, Quebec H3H 1P3
Tel: 514-412-4400 ext. 23099 / Fax: 514-412-4319
Contact: Laura Fernandez
Psychopharmacological consultation and follow-up are available for children with a confirmed diagnosis of Autism. The program offers group intervention for adolescents with Asperger’s Syndrome.

Multidisciplinary Assessment for autism spectrum disorders and other developmental disabilities.
8160 Royden, T.M.R., Quebec, H4P 2T2
Tel: 514-345-8330
Email: info@goldlearningcentre.com
Website: www.goldlearningcentre.com
The Gold Centre offers multidisciplinary assessment and diagnostics with the help of representatives from the field of psychology, speech and language therapy and behaviour analysis. Offered within a not-for-profit model.

PACCK Foundation
647 Route 202, Hemmingford, Quebec J0L 1H0
Tel: 514-876-8888 / Fax: 514-876-8888
Contact: Mark Stolow, Executive Director
Email: info@paccck.org
Website: www.paccck.org
Non-profit, community-based organization that raises and trains Assistance Canines and matches them to families caring for a child diagnosed with a PDD ie. Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder.

Pathways to Learning
Tel: 438 888 0722
Contact: Hanna Raczkowska, B.A. (Hons.) Psych., BCaBA
Email: hanna.pathwaystolearning@gmail.com
website: www.pathwaystolearning.ca
Behavior Analyst in private practice available to supervise, assess, and plan ABA programs for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) in the home, daycare, school or community setting. Uses the Verbal Behavior approach to therapy.

Reisinger, Lisa, PhD
Psychologist, West Island Private Psychology Services
444 Beaconsfield Blvd, Beaconsfield, Quebec
Tel: 514-293-4463
Private practice providing autism assessment. Working with other professionals, Dr. Reisinger can refer to an MD should a medical exam be requested or required. Also provides individual intervention and counselling, and family counselling.

Quebec Federation of Autism and Other Pervasive Developmental Disorders (FQATED)
Fédération québécoise de l’autisme et des autres troubles envahissants du développement (FQATED)
65 de Castelnau West, Suite 104, Montreal, Quebec H2R 2W3
Tel: 514-270-7386 / Fax: 514-270-9261
Contact: Jo-ann Lauzon
Email: secretariatfqa@contact.net
Website: www.autisme.qc.ca
Organization promoting community awareness and rights of autistic individuals.
Trampoline Program – Miriam Foundation – Centre Gold
5331 Ferrier, Montreal, Quebec H4P 1M1
Tel: 514-345-8330
Email: info@goldlearningcentre.com
Website: www.goldlearningcentre.com
An intensive intervention programme that provides specialized, intensive intervention to children aged 18
months to 6 years with ASD and other developmental disabilities. Using the TEACCH model (Treatment and
Education of Autistic and Related Communication Handicapped Children), and other recognized approaches,
children work with a minimum of five therapists to increase potential and skills in a variety of contexts. This is a
not-for-profit program.

Varga, Camelia
440 75th Ave., Lasalle, Quebec H8R 2P5
Tel/Fax: 514-680-2641 / Cell: 514-502-6388
Email: proautism.camilia@yahoo.com
Private therapist specializing in RDI©, a program which emphasizes a family approach to Autism Spectrum
Disorders and Asperger’s Syndrome; therapeutic principles are applied at home and school and by other
professionals.
Section 3

THERAPY / SUPPORT SERVICES

Section 3.1
Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy

Aber, Linda - Nurtured Heart Advanced Trainer & Theraplay Group Specialist
Queen Elizabeth Health Complex
2100 Marlowe and 2111 Northcliffe, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-487-3533
Email: tacticsmtl@yahoo.com
Website: www.lindaaber.com
Offers social skills groups for youth, plus workshops for parents / teachers who live and work with challenging children, (ADHD, LD, ODD, Aspergers Syndrome, mood & attachment disorders).

Nurtured Heart Parent Workshops- 6 weekly sessions. Parents learn a set of effective strategies designed for use with challenging, intense children. Learn a vocabulary of positivity that transforms youth from the inside out. Enforce rules with structured, quick non-punitive consequences, that “repair & refuel” the parent-child connection.

Theraplay Social Skills & Thinking Groups (parents & youth ages 5-15) • Children & parents learn prosocial, cognitive, anger reduction & self-control skills. Through fun, activities, self-esteem, parent-youth & peer connections are enhanced.

Targeted skills: reading faces, body language, empathy, responsibility, integrity.

ABILI-T program. See section 2: Specifically Autism Spectrum Disorders

Agence Ometz (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teacher for information on School Services Program)
1 Cummings Square (5151 Côte Ste-Catherine Road), Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6
Tel: 514-342-0000 #3431 / Fax: 514-342-2371
Contact: Guylaine Wafer
Email: guylaine.wafer@ometz.ca
Website: www.ometz.ca

Ometz West Island:
96 Roger Pilon (in the Federation CJA West Island building), Dollard des Ormeaux, Quebec H9B 2E1
Tel: 514-290-2122
A human services agency, the Ometz team includes clinical social workers, psychologists, mental health professionals, family life educators, occupational and speech therapists, employment counsellors and many other specialists. Counselling for children, individuals and families, including a family play program; Group Services Program for classrooms, schools, groups of families and parents which focus on skill building, life skills development, teen sexuality, substance abuse prevention, social skills development; Parlour Meeting Program which gives parents the opportunity to network with other parents and a qualified facilitator; crisis intervention:
Intake for Jewish families; specialized program for those with chronic mental health illness and their families; social service support for members of the Jewish community.

**ASD Healing – see Section 2: specifically Autism**
Treatment also offered for PDD, ADD/ADHD, Asperger’s Syndrome, developmental and speech delays.

**Bartimaeus Inc.**
Tel: 514-501-8438  
Contact: Melinda Atkinson  
Email: matkinson@bartimaeus.com  
Website: www.bartimaeus.com  
Through their child and family services sector, offer counselling, behaviour management, in-class study skills programming, respite and other support services to families dealing with everything from extreme behaviour issues to Autism.

**BBH Playtime-Interactive Developmental Play Therapy**
St. Lazare, Quebec  
Tel: 514-583-9892  
Contact: Bobby Hamilton  
Email: bbhplaytime@mail.com  
Offers families of children with special needs one-on-one therapeutic interaction for their children within their own environment; provides interactive developmental play therapy to children with special needs; and implements programs as outlined by parents and therapists.

**Bronfman Education Centre (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)**
Placement for Jewish special needs students in Jewish school system. Educational resources.

**Buds in Bloom**
3610 Saint-Charles Blvd, P.O. Box 96515, Kirkland, Quebec H9H 3C3  
Tel: 514-671-2223  
Contact: Michèle L. J. Hébert  
Email: budsinbloom@gmail.com  
Website: http://budsinbloom.googlepages.ca  
Occupational therapy, speech and language pathology, generalized stimulation program for children (ages 0-12) with special needs, such as Autism Spectrum Disorders, developmental and intellectual disabilities, etc. Service provided in child’s setting. Also, summer camp for children ages 3-12. Workshops for parents, professionals and teachers.

**Butterfly Education Center (See Section 2, page 7)**

**Centre for Attention Disorders**
24 Ferncrest Street, Dollard des Ormeaux, Quebec H9H 1Z8  
Tel: 514-894-5050  
Contact: Dinah Dekker, Clinical Social Worker  
Email: dinah.dekker@mail.mcgill.ca  
Helping those with ADHD, Oppositional Defiant Disorder, Conduct Disorder and other related disruptive problems. Services offered include promoting positive behaviour and reducing anti-social behaviour in children, guide to social skills, tutoring, organization and study skills, the educational parent support group, teen drive to survive, individual and family counselling.
Centre Hyperbare de L’Île
117 Cardinal Leger, Pincourt, QC J7Y 7A8
Tel: 514-453-7978
Contact: Tom Fox or Claudine Lanoix
Email: centrehyper@bellnet.ca
Website: www.centrehyperbare.com
Hyperbaric oxygen therapy and motor assisted therapy.

Centre MDC—Multidisciplinary Care Centre
3675 Sources Blvd, Suite 108, Dollard Des Ormeaux, Quebec H9B 2T6
Tel: 514-683-8791 / Fax: 514-683-8072 (call before faxing)
8250 Decarie Blvd. Suite 207, Montreal, Quebec H4P 2P5
Tel: 514-731-4587 / Fax: 514-731-6815
Contact: Harriet Greenstone, Ph.D.
Email: centreMDC@bellnet.ca
Website: www.centremdc.com
Centre specializing in evaluation and treatment of ADHD, ASD, LD, and social and emotional difficulties, providing individual, group, and family therapy; also, social skills group, and parent education & support. Main office in Pointe Claire and two satellite offices in Côte-St-Luc; call above number to inquire.

Coccinelle Foundation for Handicapped Children
Fondation Coccinelle pour les enfants handicapées
Centre les 5 Sens
6630 Papineau, Suite A, Montreal, Quebec H2G 2X2
Tel: 514-725-0009
Contact: Isabelle Lapierre
Email: info@fondationcoccinelle.com
Website: www.fondationcoccinelle.com
Day program for children with special needs and intellectual handicaps; includes activities for recreation and stimulation. Le 5 Sens, promotes development and evolution.

Collage Pediatric Therapy
Montreal
4145 Sherbrooke St. West, Westmount, Quebec, H3Z 1B8
Tel: 514-933-8255
West Island
175 Place Frontenac, Pinte-Claire, Quebec, H9R 4Z7
Tel: 514-461-3928
Contact: Jennifer Spoor
Email: jspoor@collagetherapies.com
Website: www.collagetherapies.ca/en
Speech therapy, child psychology, occupational therapy, and physiotherapy for infants, toddlers, school-aged children and teens. Assessment and treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders, ADHD / ADD, developmental delays, dyslexia, delayed speech, fine and gross motor issues, pronunciation, depression, anxiety, and obsessive compulsive disorder, amongst others.
Coopérative de solidarité ESPACE-TEMPS – Clinique de neuro-développement
41 Grand Boulevard, Lile-Perrot, QC, J7V 4W3
Tel: 514-902-0872
Contact: Rezki Djerroudi
Email: info@espace-temps.ca
Website: www.espace-temps.ca
Therapeutic and educational services for children and adults presenting with neuro-developmental, mental health, or other issues.

Dyslexia Mastery
7433 Cote Saint Luc Road, Montreal, Quebec H4W 3G5
Tel: 514-690-9164
Contact: Tina Panaritis
Email: tina@dyslexia-mastery.com
Website: www.dyslexia-mastery.com
Employs the Davis Dyslexia Correction® for children and adults 8 and up, to overcome learning disabilities.

Dyslexiability
4999 Ste Catherine West, Suite 231, Montreal, Quebec H3Z 1T3
Tel: 514-815-7827
Contact: Renée Figlarz
Email: info@dyslexiability.com
Website: www.dyslexiability.com
Provides Davis Dyslexia Correction® method one-on-one. Tailored to meet client's needs and goals.

Family Resource Centre – Building Community Success On Family at a Time
4855A Blvd. Des Sources Blvd, Pierrefonds, Quebec H8Y 3C8
Tel: 514-685-5912 / Fax: 514-685-5914
Contact: Carry Goldberg or Samantha St. Jules
Email: info@familyresourcecentre.qc.ca
Website: www.familyresourcecenter.qc.ca
Provide support services to all children aged 5-25 who experience academic and social difficulties. Individual and family counselling, social and study skills groups. Familial support through consultation, reference services and parent support groups. Professional support through programs that provide useful information, techniques, classroom management and strategies for education and community services.

Head and Hands
5833 Sherbrooke Street West, C.P. 206, Succ. N.D.G. Montreal, Quebec H4A 1X4
Tel: 514-481-0277
Email: info@headandhands.ca
Website: www.headandhands.ca
Free youth-oriented counselling (ages 12-25). Frequent problems addressed include low self-esteem, anger management, identity issues and relationship issues.

Inov8 Education Consulting
Contact:: Andrea Prupas
Email: andrea@inov8-ed.com
Tel: 514-600-0303 /Website: www.inov8-ed.com
Specializing in assistive and communication technologies for children with ASD and learning disabilities. Parent seminar series and private consultations.
My Smart Hands Quebec  
Tel: **450-458-5274**  
Contact: Denise O'Brien  
Email: denise@mysmarthands.com  
Website: www.MySmartHandsQuebec.com  
Teaches American Sign Language (ASL) to children with special needs and/or language delays to facilitate communication. When these children learn sign language, it becomes a beneficial tool for providing visual benefit in addition to verbal/auditory input. Classes and workshops for parents and educators/daycare providers.

Kleinberg-Bassel, Abby  
5250 Ferrier, Suite 604, Montreal, Quebec H4M 1Z9  
Tel: 514-313-2010 / Fax: 514-748-2340  
Email: abbykb@videotron.ca  
Website: www.abbysoffice.com  
Special needs consultant providing assessments, therapy and family support for young children with Autism and global development delays. Includes school help, building social skills, and behavioural programs.

Logical Letters  
Contact: Marcy Scott  
Email: marcyscott@sympatico.ca  
Dyslexia, reading, spelling and writing remediation. Focuses on phonemic and logic approach. Children ages 3 - 20, seen during school hours only. Offices in Westmount.

Lori Black Community Centre (The Miriam Foundation)  
8160 Royden Road, Town of Mount Royal, Quebec H4P 2T2  
Tel: 514-345-0210 / Fax: 514-345-6904  
Contact: Esther Silver  
Email: esther.silver.miriam@sss.gouv.qc.ca  
Website: www.miriamfoundation.ca/LBCCWhatItIs.php  
Centre for children and adults with special needs (Autism, intellectual disabilities) offering therapeutic intervention in regard to life skills, vocational skills, and social skills. Includes a Drop-In Centre that provides hot meals and social activities three nights a week.

McGill Psychoeducation and Counselling Clinic  
3700 McTavish, Room 614, Montreal, Quebec H4A 2N6  
Tel: 514-398-4641 / Fax: 514-398-6968  
Contact: Jack DeStefano  
Email: alexander.nowak@mcgill.ca  
Website: www.mcgill.ca/edu-ecp/clinic/  
Learning assessments done for children over 5 years of age with ADD, ADHD, Dyslexia, and other learning disorders.

Miriam Home & Services/Centre Miriam (See Lori Black Centre in this section)  
8160 Royden, Montreal, Quebec H4P 2T2  
Tel: 514-345-0210 / Fax: 514-345-6904  
Contact: Esther Silver  
Email: esther.silver.miriam@sss.gouv.qc.ca  
Website: www.centremiriam.ca or www.miriamfoundation.ca  
Residence and services for people with intellectual disabilities. (See The Miriam Foundation in this section)
Montreal Anger Management Centre
5845 Cote Des Neiges, Suite 539, Montreal, Quebec H3S 1Z4
Tel: 514-737-7208 / Fax: 514-737-0497
Contact: Tom Caplan, M.S.W.
Email: tcaplan@sympatico.ca

For adolescents grades 7 – 11.

Montreal Therapy Centre – Counselling Services
Queen Elizabeth Health Complex, 2100 Marlowe Suite 539, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-244-1290
Website: www.montrealtherapy.com
Offers services for children, adolescents, individual, family therapy, art therapy. Learning disabilities, grief, trauma, anxiety, depression, eating disorders, ADHD, self-esteem, behavioural disorders. Counsellors, therapists and psychologists available.

Multidisciplinary Assessment for autism spectrum disorders and other developmental disabilities. See section 2: Specifically Autism Spectrum Disorders
Regroupement pour la Trisomie 21 (Down Syndrome)
3958 Dandurand, Montreal, Quebec H1X 1P7
Tel: 514-850-0666 / Fax: 514-850-0660
Email: info@trisomie.qc.ca
Website: www.trisomie.qc.ca
Provides information and raises public awareness for families of children with Down Syndrome.

Pathways to Learning (See Section 2)

reKinéxion - BrainGym®
64 Franklin Avenue, Mont-Royal, Quebec H3P 1B7
Tel: 514-341-1677
Contact: Lisa Marcovici
Email: Lisa.marcovici@braingymqc.org
Website: www.braingymqc.org
Used to enhance Learning abilities at school, Reading, writing, math, sports, adaptation, concentration, etc. Offer workshops and courses to suit any learner’s needs. Private sessions available upon request.

Rothstein, Alexandra
Tel: 514-916-0136
Email: info@alexandrarothstein.com
Website: www.alexandrarothstein.com
Certified behavioural analyst specializing in Autism Spectrum disorders and behavioural difficulties. Offers private consultations, social skills groups, parent workshops and training.

Special Needs Network
The Donald Berman YALDEI Developmental Centre, 2100 Marlowe, 5th Floor, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Contact: Ayala Conway
Tel: 514-736-CARE (2273)
Email: snn@yaldei.org
Weblink: www.yaldei.org Information and referral line for all special needs issues.
Stars Today Special Needs Consultants  
Tel: 514-296-5891  
Family support, assessments, therapeutic services, educator training, in-school help, social skills training and 
behavioral programs.

SteppingUp Resource Centre Inc.  
5555 Westminster Ave. Suite 201, Cote St. Luc, Quebec, H4W 2J2  
Tel.: (438) 380-3635 (Montreal area code)  
Contact: Ingrid Poupart  
E-mail: info@steppingup.net  
Website: www.steppingup.net or/and www.cellfield.ca  
The first location in Canada to offer the Cellfield Intervention Program, which targets all types of reading 
difficulties, including Dyslexia, at the source. Drastically improve reading skills and comprehension quickly and effectively in a fun, rewarding environment. Also offering affordable private and semi-private tutoring and specialized workshops.

Tactics Resource Services (See Aber, Linda in this section)

The Learning Associates  
4203 Ste. Catherine St. West, Montreal, Quebec H3Z 1P6  
Tel: 514-989-9360 / Fax: 514-989-8419  
Contact: Barbara Bobrow  
Email: lam@lammtl.org  
Website: www.lammtl.org  
Learning assessments, one-on-one tutoring and coaching for children with learning disabilities. Summer camp, co-ed, ages 6-12—intensive 3-week summer reading program for children with learning disabilities.

The Way Through  
Tel: 514-220-5301  
Contact: Valerie Sabbah  
Email: valerie@thewaythrough.ca  
Website: www.thewaythrough.ca  
Private holistic and alternative therapist for treatment of ADD, ADHD, Autism, behavioural and emotional issues. Uses holistic and alternative approaches (yoga, meditation, visualization, Reiki, etc.) in addition to traditional therapies for children.

Trampoline Program – Miriam Foundation – Centre Gold. See section 2: Specifically Autism Spectrum Disorders

West Island Association for the Intellectually Handicapped (WIAIH)  
111 Donegani, Point Claire, Quebec H9R 2W3  
Tel: 514-694-7090 / Fax: 514-694-5839  
Contact: Natalie Chapman  
Email: info@wiaih.qc.ca  
Website: www.wiaih.qc.ca  
Provides support to families, enhances lives of individuals with special needs, promotes awareness in the community, and develops innovative services. Includes activities for building socialization skills and integration of the intellectually handicapped into community recreational activities.
Westmount Wellness Centre
1225 Greene Avenue, Suite B, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 2A4
Tel: 514-448-9777
Biomedical and nutritional approach for special needs including Autism, Asperger’s Syndrome and ADD/ADHD.

YALDEI Developmental Centre
(Also known as: Donald Berman YALDEI Developmental Centre)
2100 Marlowe, 5th Floor, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-279-3666 / Fax: 514-278-3666
Contact: Dina Davis
Email: info@yaldei.org
Website: www.yaldei.org
A child development centre providing early intervention treatment and specialized therapies (speech, OT, physio, art, music etc.) to children with autism, developmental delays, learning and cognitive delays, and genetic and neurological disorders. Also, summer camp and school integration program.
Section 3.2
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY / PHYSIOTHERAPY

Buds in Bloom (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Clinique Postura
2 Desaulniers, suite 400, Saint-Lambert, Quebec J4P 1L2
Tel: 450-671-4675
Contact: Joel Lemaire (Osteopath)
Email: info@postura.ca
Website: www.postura.ca
Uses postural work, visual to improve learning disabilities, Autism, ADD/ADHD, etc.

Collage Pediatric Therapy ((See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Ergothérapie les milles-pattes
699 Marco-Polo, Boucherville, Quebec J4B 6K8
2944 Taschereau #102, Greenfield Park J4V 2G8
Tel: 450-449-4492 or 514-394-7927
Contact: Josiane Caron Santha
Email: jcs@ergomp.com
Web site: www.ergomp.com
Occupational therapy for children with developmental difficulties.

Even, Dana
Tel: 514-935-6262
Email: devenanda@yahoo.com
Mostly elementary school age children with developmental delays, ADD/ADHD, behavioural issues, anxiety, self-esteem. Also does counselling Psychology with psych-education assessments.

Groupe Ergo Ressources
640 Chicoine Road, Vaudreuil-Dorion, Quebe J7V 7E4 – see website for offices in surrounding Montreal areas
Tel: 450-455-3244 / 514-990-6651
Email: vaudreuil@ger-ergo.com
Website: www.ger-ergo.com
O.T., services children with a diversity of ergonomic, occupational therapy services geared towards the needs of each client. Offices in Laval, Longueuil, St-Bruno, St-Hyacinthe, Valleyfield, McMasterville.

Hui, Caroline Choose To Learn
27 Rock Hill, Knowlton, Quebec J0E 1V0
Tel: 450-242-2816 / Fax: 450-242-2331
Email: info@choosetolearn.ca
Website: www.choosetolearn.ca
O.T. for children with special needs including Autism, ADHD, Dyspraxia, sensory and motor difficulties.

L’Ergothérapie de la Maison a l’école (EDME)
1020 Henri-Bourassa East, Montreal, QC H2C 1G2
Tel : 514-337-8866
Email : info@edme.org
Website : www.edme.org
L’Essence en Mouvement
7612 Central, Lasalle, Quebec H8P 1K9
Tel: 514-363-3531
Contact: Sylvie Lalanne / Annemarie Couture
Email: lessence@bellnet.ca
Occupational therapy for children using a sensory approach. Conducts evaluations as well. For all developmental
disabilities including Autism PDD, ADHD, learning disabilities.

Notkin, Dorothy
7797 Kildare, Montreal, Quebec H4W 1C6
Tel: 514-488-3138
Toddlers to teenagers with developmental delay, Autism, Dyspraxia, motor coordination. Uses sensory
integration, neuro-development, Brain Gym®.

Physio Extra
245 E, boul. St-Jean, Pointe-Claire, Québec, H9R 3J1
Tel : 514-787-1866
Contact : Stephanie Swinburne
Email : stephanie.swinburne@physioextra.ca
Web Site : physioextra.ca
Occupational therapy services for children aged 0-18 with Autism, developmental delays, dyspraxia, sensory
integration difficulties and gross and fine motor delays. Evaluation, treatment, family and caregiver education
and group treatment available with a client centered approach to working with each unique family.

Step by Step Physiotherapy
Tel: 514-804-8925 or 514-963-7934
Pediatric physiotherapy, orthopedic, neurology, pulmunology and motor development assessments.

Section 3.3
OSTEOPATHY

LPP - Learning Potential Program
Tel: (514) 880-5424
Contact: Mat Boulé, Osteopath, Posturologist, Educator
Email: info@MatBoule.com
Website: MatBoule.com
A revolutionary program which addresses the root cause of many learning difficulties. If there are 7 types of
intelligences, 2 of them dictate the development of the other 5. They are 1) the capacity to recognize our body
and 2) the capacity to use it effectively. The LPP first optimizes the function of the physical body thru a process
entitled postural reprogrammation. Once the child's system has been enhanced, specific activities to foster new
connections between key parts of the brain are suggested to promote overall improvements in learning of all
academic topics!
Section 3.4
PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Collage Pediatric Therapy ((See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Co-operative Psychological Services
345 Victoria Avenue, # 602, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 2N2
Tel: 514-487-2326
Contact: Mr. Gus Appignanesi
Psychologist offering services to children with ADD/ADHD and ODD, adolescents with eating disorders, addiction, peer pressure, motivational problems, etc.

Dworkind, Marlene M.Ed, OPQ
Tel: 514-488-0555 / Email: marlene.dworkind@sympatico.ca
Assessments for all ages. Learning disabilities, ADHD, comprehensive diagnosis of learning disabilities.

Even, Dana (See Section 3.2: Occupational Therapy)
Tel: 514-935-6262
Email: devenanda@yahoo.com
Counselling Psychology with psych-education assessments (one per month). Mostly elementary school age children with developmental delays, ADD/ADHD, behavioural issues, anxiety, self-esteem.

Kajzer, Branko M.A. CCPA
Tel: 514-886-9901
Specializes in conduct disorders, developmental disorders, behavioural issues. Group, individual, family, counselling, psychotherapy. Also art therapist.

Laval Centre of Neuropsychology and Child and Family Psychology
Centre de Neuropsychologie et de Psychologie Enfant-Famille de Laval
1150 De l’Avenir Boulevard, Suite 320, Laval, Quebec H7N 6L2
Tel: 514-317-3901
Contact: Dr. Mary Tsonis, PH.D. Psychologist
Website: www.neuropsylaval.com
Evaluations and intervention services for children with developmental, learning, behavioural or emotional difficulties. Uses family-based model, involving parents in evaluations and therapies: attachment difficulties, Autism Spectrum Disorders, ADD/ADHD, behaviour problems, blended families, derogations, developmental delays, learning disabilities, Neurological conditions (Tourettes, Epilepsy, Dysexecutive Syndrome etc.), self-esteem, psychiatric conditions, etc.

McGill Psychoeducation and Counselling Clinic (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Montreal Therapy Centre (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Parent-Child Resource Centre
2791 Côte-Ste-Catherine, Montreal, Quebec H3T 1B5
Tel: 514-733-4959, ext. 225 / Fax: 514-733-1219
Contact: Susan Hayut
Email: info@susanhayut.com
Website: http://susanhayut.com
Psychologist does evaluations and treatment interventions for special needs children with ADHD, behavioural and learning difficulties, depression, anxiety, anger. Also, family and couple counselling.
Pazzia-Guiducci, Dr. Olga OPQ  
Tel: 514-466-1537  
Email: olga.pazzia-guiducci@mail.mcgill.ca or olgaphd@yahoo.ca  
Office in Snowdon area. 
Assessment and therapy for children and adults with special needs. Learning and behavioural problems, derogation, individual and family counselling, program development.

Pidgeon, Catherine, M.Ps.  
1480 Belanger East, #101, Montreal, Quebec H2G 1A7  
1172 Champetre, St-Lazare, Quebec J7T 3K9  
273 Lakeshore, Bureau C, Pointe-Claire, Quebec H9S 4L1  
Tel: 514-743-3388  
Email: pidgeon@sympatico.ca  
Evaluation, intervention, supervision, home visits, parental coaching for intellectual deficiencies, anxiety in children, etc.

Psychologue-Montreal.ca  
1480 Belanger East, #101, Montreal, Quebec H2G 1A7  
Tel: 514-273-1444  
Website: www.psychologue-montreal.ca

Norman Giroux – Specialists in autism  
Tel: 514-77-0—TISM (776-8476) / 1-450-298-5228

Isabelle Hénault – Sexologies  
Tel: 514-990-3373 / ihenault@internet.uqam.ca

Shoiry, Elizabeth  
4226 St. Blvd St. Jean, Suite 205, DDO, QC, H9G 1X5 Queen Elizabeth Hospital, 2100 Marlowe, Montreal, QC  
Email: careershoe@gmail.com  
Expert psycho educational/neuropsychological evaluation for children, adolescents and adults with ADHD and LD, as well as ASD screenings. Counselling, interventions, individualized education plans and advocacy, social skills raining. Successful English language eligibility assessments are provided.

Section 3.5  
SEXUAL EDUCATION

Mitelman, Stephanie, MA  
Certified Sexuality Educator  
Tel: 514-983-9600  
Website: www.sexpressions.ca

Stephanie offers private education for individuals with special needs or an autism spectrum disorder on healthy sexuality and relationships. She can see families, couples and individuals.
Section 3.6
SPEECH THERAPY / AUDIOLOGY

Audiology Centre West
2111 Northcliffe, 4th Floor Montreal, Quebec H4A 3K6 (Queen Elizabeth Hospital in NDG)
Tel: 514-488-5558
Contact: Joanne Amore
Email: audioctrwest@videotron.ca
Website: www.audiology-centre-west.com
Private clinic offers hearing health services to patients age 4 and up, but also sees babies and adults. Hearing tests, central auditory testing, especially for children with difficulties learning, rental of m.s. system. Referrals from teachers, psychologists, speech therapists recommended.

Blumberger, Judith
Tel: 514-340-1167
Email: judith.blumberger@gmail.com
Private therapist for early intervention and social integration into kindergarten, ages 3-5. Therapy given at child's daycare centre or in child's home. Treats language delays, language disorders, fluency and developmental delays. Helps to build social skills and make transition to kindergarten.

Buds in Bloom (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Collage Pediatric Therapy—Child Development Centre (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Langmobile
St. Lambert Elementary School
Mailing address: 3071 rue de Cadillac, Montreal QC, H1N 2V6
Tel: 352-4762
Email: info@langmobile.com
Language specialists for children aged 0 – 12.

Maftoul Rebecca
Tel: 514-562-5736
Email: rebecca.maftoul@gmail.com
Specializes in children with autism, language issues, both oral and written. Therapy, parent groups, coaching.

Montreal Fluency Centre
4626 Ste. Catherine St. West, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 1S3
Tel: 514-489-4320 / Fax: 514-489-9249
Contact: Dr. Rosalee C. Shenker
Website: www.montrealfluency.com
Email: info@montrealfluency.com
Provides services in speech and language pathology for children. Treatment of stuttering, developmental apraxia of speech, speech production difficulty, etc. Prevention, early intervention, group therapy and treatment. Also, language summer camp for speech and language therapy—co-ed, ages 4-6.
**Niloff Backler, Mindy, M.S. CCC-SLP**  
Tel: 514-346-4258  
Email: mindy@speechtherapymontreal.com  
Website: www.speechtherapymontreal.com  
Speech language pathologist specializing in the evaluation and treatment of childhood communication disorders. A family-centered private practice, working closely with parents, caregivers, and teachers. Language delays, autism/PDD, language-learning difficulties.

**Spector-Eisenberg, Stacey MSc SLP**  
Tel: 514-862-6344  
Assessment and individual intervention for pre-school and school aged children.

**Tellit-Dire**  
6525 Decarie Blvd, Suite 310, Montreal, Quebec H3W 3E3  
Tel: 514-731-1411 / Fax: 514-678-4662  
Contact: Elaine Wohl  
Email: tellitdire@videotron.ca  
Program offers one-on-one and group speech therapy in English, French, Spanish, Dutch, Russian, and German. Also, therapy for stuttering and Autism Spectrum Disorders.

**The Voice Box**  
3850 Jean Talon West, Suite 139, Montreal, Quebec H3R 2G8  
Tel: 514-739-4949 / Fax: 514-488-9157  
Contact: Nechama Dworkind  
Email: thevoiceboxclinic@gmail.com  
Team of certified speech/language pathologists providing speech and language evaluation, therapy and consultation to children of all ages in areas of voice, stuttering, speech and language. Includes children affected by Autism, hearing impairment, speech and language delays, learning disabilities or children of normal development.

**Zeviar, Michelle**  
236 Neptune Blvd, Dorval, Quebec H9S 2L4  
Tel: 514-567-2625 / Fax: 514-487-1150  
Email: mzeviar@lbpsb.qc.ca  
Speech and language therapist who works with children of all ages and different areas, including receptive and expressive language, articulation of sounds, phonological awareness, Apraxia, PECS communication system and sign-language.
Section 4

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND THERAPIES

Altergo
525 Dominion St., Suite 340, Montreal, Quebec H3J 2B4
Tel.: 514-933-2739 / Fax: 514-933-9384
Contact: Monique Lefebvre
Email: info@altergo.net
Website: www.altergo.net
Promotes sports and recreation for disabled persons, including support to participate in everyday programs offered in their own communities. To help your child participate in recreational activities, the organization he or she attends may be entitled to a subsidy to pay for the costs of a personal attendant. Request information from Altergo.

Click on www.altergo.net/repertoire/ for extensive lists by disability, age or activity of service accessibility and age ranges.

Kéroul
4545 Pierre-De Coubertin Ave., P.O. Box 1000, Station M, Montreal, Quebec H1V 3R2
Tel: 514-252-3104 / Fax: 514-254-0766
Contact: Mr. André Leclerc
Email: infos@keroul.qc.ca
Website: www.keroul.qc.ca
Data on accessible hotels, motels, restaurants and tourist attractions for travellers with restricted mobility. Data bank available on accessible places in Quebec.
Section 4.1
Art / Drama Therapy

Berbrier, Jennifer, Art Therapist
Montreal Therapy Centre
Queen Elizabeth Health Complex, 2100 Marlowe Suite 539, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-249-7262
Email: jbrbrier@montrealtherapy.com
Website: www.montrealtherapy.com
Servicing visually impaired adolescents.

Centre Aion
2902 Av. Lacombe, Montreal
Tel: 514-733-7019
Contact: Olga Lipadatova
Website: www.arttherapyolipa.com
A private therapeutic center where several counsellors, creative therapists and instructors offer counselling, art therapy, sandplay therapy, creative development, process groups, conferences and seminars. Families with children and adolescents challenged in the school environment and communication with parents and others.

Centre for The Arts and Human Development Concordia University – for ages 20 and over
7079 Terrebonne Ave, Montreal, Quebec. H4B 1E1
Tel: 514-848-2424
Contact: Lenore Vosberg
Website: www.cahd.concordia.ca
A division of the Department of Creative Arts Therapies I the Faculty of Fine Arts At Concordia University. Combines art, drama, usic and dance/movement as methods of therapy for improving self-confidence and social skills, encourage autonomy and enhance quality of life. Must be referred. Call for information.

Kajzer, Branko, Art Therapist (See Section 3.3: Psychological Services)

Kerstein, Ali, Drama Therapist
4211 St. Catherine Street West, Montreal, Quebec
Te: 514-887-3674
Email: alikirstein@hotmail.com
Using drama therapy, works with children and families with varying needs including special needs ie. social issues, physical disabilities, emotional difficulties, eating disorders, depression. Provides another avenue for communicating issues.

Maji-Soi
C.P. 86, succursale Ahuntsic, Montreal, Quebec H3L 3N6
Tel: 514-382-6555 / Fax: 514-382-7378
Contact: Marie-Josée Trudeau
Email: maji-soi@bellnet.ca
For all special needs age 5 and up. Art, music, relaxation etc.
Quebec Cultural Society of the Deaf  
Société culturelle québécoise des sourds  
200 Boulevard Crémazie East, Suite 205, Montreal, Quebec H2P 1E3  
Contact: Annik Boissonneault  
Email: scqs@videotron.ca  
Website: http://www.ccsdeaf.com/  
Seeks to preserve, encourage and develop the cultural interests of the deaf and hearing-impaired, including creativity, participation and interest in the arts.

The Children's Theatre  
P.O. Box 48689 CSP, Outremont, Montreal, Quebec H2V 4T9  
Tel: 514-484-6620  
Contact: Danusia Lapinski  
Email: danusia@childrens-theatre.ca  
Website: www.childrens-theatre.ca  
Theatre school offering mainstream classes to develop confidence, self-esteem, communication skills. Acting classes for high-functioning students with Autism and Asperbergs (Starlight Players). (Minimum of six children needed for a special needs class.). (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD)

Visions sur l’Art Quebec  
André Michaud  
7005, boul. de Maisonneuve Ouest, Montreal, Quebec H4B 1T3  
Tel.: 514-487-1891 #119  
Email: andre_michaud@ssss.gouv.qc.ca  
See Altergo website www.altergo.net Develops creativity and artistic talents of people with limitations and special needs.

Section 4.2  
Music Therapy

Mackell, Grace, MTA  
6251 Rue Alma, Montreal, QC H2S 2W2  
Tel: 438-889-1208  
Email: gmackell@gmail.com  
Works with young children with Autism and children with all types of needs. Offering private contracts.

St-Amand, Marinet, Music Therapist  
Tel: 514-509-4852  
Email: marinetta@yahoo.ca  
Website: www.aspire4kids.com  
Music Therapist, works on development of children social skills, language and emotional development. Children of all ages with all disabilities.
Section 4.3
Cheerleading

Flyers Cheerleading
9233 Thimens, Pierrefonds, Quebec
Tel: 514-332-3777
Email: flyerscheerleading@hotmail.com
Website: www.flyerscheerleading.net
Cheerleading for children with special needs. The program runs from September until May, with training once per week. Instructor (from WIAIH) highly trained to work with children with special needs.

North Shore Cheerleading (Extreme Gym)
1430 Hymus Boulevard
Dorval, Quebec H9P 1J6
Tel: 514-683-6111
Email: cheer-nsc@hotmail.com
Website: www.nscheer.com
The ‘Dream Team’ is a team for children with special needs including intellectual disabilities and autism. Has been working in association with WIAIH for 4 years. Also offers hip hop classes as their own endeavour.

Section 4.4
Gym and Swim

Aqua-K.I.D.S.
6366 Rue Cabrini, Montreal, Quebec H1T 3S4
Tel: 514-750-7588
Contact: Linda Aber
Email: tacticsmtl@yahoo.com
Swim, art, and gym program for ADD/ADHD children and children with mild Autism. Ages 6-16.

Aqua Percept and Adapted Gym & Swim Program
Malcolm-Knox Aquataic Centre
98 Douglas Shand, Pointe-Claire, Quebec H9R 2A8
Tel: 514-630-1202 / Fax: 514-630-1265
Contact: Jane Stowe, Catherine O'Rourke or Carole Lefebvre
Email: aquatics@ville.pointe-claire.qc.ca
Website: http://www.ville.pointe-claire.qc.ca/En/services/aquatic/Adaptive/Adaptive.asp
Co-ed, ages 4-10. Aqua Percept: Gym and swim program for children with motor problems, ADD, ADHD, or poor coordination. Adapted Gym & Swim Program for lower functioning children. 1 hour program during the year. For summer camp, see camp section.

Gymn-eau Montréal
Montreal
660 Villeray, Suite 2.109, Montreal, Quebec H2R 1J1
Tel: 514-721-3663
Email: gymn_eaumontreal@yahoo.ca or
Laval
2465 rue Honoré-Mercier, Laval, Quebec H7L 2S9
Tel: 450-625-2674 / Fax: 450-625-3698
Email: info@gymn-eau.org

Repentigny
A/S piscine municipale, 130 rue Valmont, Repentigny, Quebec J5Y 1N9
Tel: 450-582-7930
Email: gymneaurepentigny@hotmail.com

Website: www.gymn-eau.org/montreal.html
Programs that include indoor gym, pool, and socialization activities for children with learning disabilities, ages 5-15.

Just Be Fitness
Kelly Samsonovitch, Certified Personal Trainer
Tel: 514-927-1187
Email: justbefitness@gmail.com
Description of services: personal trainer: specializing in fitness for kids (various programs being offered: yoga, circuit training, music and movement, meditation, deep breathing exercises, etc.) With over 15 years of experience working with children of all needs, Kelly’s programs are a great asset to any child.

Making Waves Montreal
Cégep du Vieux-Montréal, 255 Rue Ontario East H3A 1L2
Tel.: 514-652-6732
Contact: Matthew Morantz
Email: making.waves.montreal@gmail.com
Website: www.makingwavesmontreal.com
A non-profit organization which offers Sunday morning swimming instruction for children with special needs. Run and supported by student volunteers.

Section 4.5
Horseback Riding

Equitation Elysé
1901 Rue du Fief, St. Lazare, Quebec
Tel: 514-941-2959
Horseback riding therapy.

Fondation Equestre L’Étoile Bleue
Mailing address: 132 A Trait Carré, Ste. Anne Des Plaines Quebec J0N 1H0
Contact: Coralie Robin
Tel: 450-478-4931 / Fax: 450-478-4931
Email: coralie.robin@sympatico.ca
Website: www.cantra.ca/centres/etoilebleue.html
A centre for therapeutic horseback riding for the mentally and physically disabled.
Fondation Normandclark – Horseback Riding
Tel: 450-838-0000
Email: nclark@hinerc.com
All ages, all deficiencies, including Autism

Lucky Harvest Therapeutic Riding Centre
1900, Route 202, Hinchinbrooke, Quebec J0S 1A0
Tel: 450-264-0282
Email: info@luckyharvest.org
Equine therapy, rehabilitation and recreational activities for persons of all ages, living with physical and/or intellectual limitations. Bilingual services.

Section 4.6
Sailing

The Association Québécoise de Voile Adaptée (AQVA): Provincial Organization
Head office: 35 - 2025 Quesnel, Montreal, Quebec H3J 2K9
Pointe Claire Yacht Club:
1 Avenue Cartier, Pointe Claire, Quebec H9S 4R3
Tel: 514-694-8021
Email: info@aqvaqc.com
Website: www.aqvaqc.com
Offers disabled children as young as 10 years old the opportunity to learn about sailing, with a fleet of 4 adapted sailboats at Pointe Claire Yacht Club.

Section 4.7
Skating

Club de patinage artistique de Saint-Leonard
C.P. 305, succursale Jean-Talon, Saint-Leonard, Quebec H1S 2Z3
Tel.: 514- 593-7878 / Fax: 514-593-9954
Contact: Annalisa Piccolo
For children 5-13 years with intellectual and physical disabilities.

Section 4.8
Soccer

Super Sonics Soccer Lakeshore Soccer Club
2870 St. Charles #205, Kirkland, Quebec H9H 3B6
Tel: 514-697-6973 / Fax: 515-697-7218
Contact: Kelly-Anne Soutter
Email: info@lakeshoresoccer.ca
Website: www.lakeshoresoccer.ca
Offered to children in age groups 5-9 and 9-15. Summer session every Saturday morning for 1 hour. Program in winter depending on interest. For any type of intellectual disability including Autism and Down Syndrome.
Section 4.9
Skiing

Centre de Ski Mont Rigaud
21 des Érables, Rigaud, Quebec J0P 1P0
Tel: 450-451-0000 or 514-990-1286
Email: info@skimontrigaud.com
Website: www.skimontrigaud.com
Private ski lessons with qualified instructors for children with disabilities.

The Eastern Townships Disabled Skiers Foundation (ETDS)
Fondation des Skieurs Handicapés de l’Estrie (FSHE)
P.O. Box 3732 Knowlton, Quebec J0E 1V0
Tel: 450-243-5985 / Fax: 450-243-1145
Website: www.fshe.org
The mission of ETDS is to establish, operate and maintain educational programs that encourage physically disabled children and adults to discover new abilities through alpine skiing and water sports.

Ski Mont Habitant
12 chemin des Skieurs RR 2, Saint-Sauveur, Quebec J0R 1R2
Tel: 450-227-3168 or 1-866-887-2637
Website: www.monthabitant.com
Private ski lessons with qualified instructors for people with disabilities.

Special Olympics Ski Club of Owl’s Head
40, chemin du Mont Owl's Head, Mansonville, Quebec J0E 1X0
Tel: 450-292-3342 / Fax: 450-292-3067
Website: www.owlshall.co
Alpine ski courses at Owl’s Head Ski Center, under the supervision of instructors/coaches who are qualified in working with people living with an intellectual disability, and assisted by volunteers.

Section 4.10
Yoga

Ondine Guralnick
514-912-7397
Email: art@ondine.ca
Ondine is a certified Yoga teacher, who teaches in a fun and relaxing environment. Yoga helps to increase body awareness, strength and flexibility, with specialized breathing exercises and relaxation techniques to improve concentration and reduce hyperactivity.

Studio Kids Butterfly Yoga
180 18th Avenue, Lachine, Quebec, H8S 3P7
Tel: 514-634-9647
Contact: Angie Continisio
Email: angie@kidsbutterflyyoga.com
Website: www.kidsbutterflyyoga.com
Angie is a certified YogaKids teacher and a 200hr RYT with Yoga Alliance (adults and teens). Yoga classes with the goal to instill in children and their families the importance of physical and mental well being.
Section 4.11
Zootherapy

Coopérative de solidarité Espace-Temps (Neuro development Clinique)
Zootherapy
41 Gran Boulevard, L’Ile-Perrot, Quebec J7V 4W3
Tel: 514-902-0872
Zootherapy as a branch of psychology, decrease anxiety, increase cognitive functions, well-being, communication

Donne La Patte – Animal Assisted Therapy
Contact: Lise Sandstrom
Tel: 514-229-2526
Email: donnelapatte@bell.net
Animal assisted therapy (zootherapy)

Zoo & Play Therapy
Tel: 514-979-2252
Contact: Brittany Fellner
Email: Brittanyf_@hotmail.com
Recreational Therapist Brittany Fellner specializes in zoo and play therapy either at the clinic or home visits.

Section 4.12
Other Recreational Therapies and Activities

Ben Weider Jewish Community Centre
5400 Westbury Ave., Montreal, Quebec H3W 2W8
Tel: 514-737-6551, ext. 235 / Fax: 514-735-8109
Contact: Paul Vincent
Email: marango@ymywha.com or jowens@ymywha.com
Website: www.ymywha.com/Categories/view/10
The Marlene and Joel King Special Needs Department delivers recreational and leisure activities to children and adults with special needs.

Children's Joy
La joie des enfants
8520 St-Urbain, Montreal, Quebec H2P 2P3
Tel: 514-270-0338 / Fax: 514-270-5281
Contact: Lise Séguin
Email: lajoiedesenfants@videotron.ca
Website: http://pages.videotron.com
Babysitting services, respite services, recreational activities, dance class. Also, summer day camp.

Coccinelle Foundation for Handicapped Children (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)
Fondation Coccinelle pour les enfants handicapées
Friendship Circle
3737 Van Horne, Montreal, Quebec H3S 1R9
Tel: 514-735-2255 / Fax: 514-735-8725
Contact: Sima Paris
Email: friend@friendshipcircle.ca
Website: www.friendshipcircle.ca
Respite services for children ages 2 and up. Teenage volunteers and educators interact with children with special
needs to build friendships. Includes children's circle, life skills, karate club, sports night, teen circle, birthday
club. Also, support programs for siblings and parents.

Hope Corporation for the Intellectually Disabled Children
Corporation l'Espoir du Déficient
55 Dupras Ave., Lasalle, Quebec H8R 4A8
Tel: 514-367-3757 / Fax: 514-367-0444
Contact: Huguette Giroux
Email: info@corporationespoir.org
Website: www.corporationespoir.org
Organization founded by parents offering advocacy, dance and aerobic classes, outdoor activities, socio-cultural
activities, day camp and respite services for children with special needs. Also, organization newsletter published
four times a year (in French).

Montreal Recreational Centre for the Deaf (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers, Teachers)
Centre de loisirs des sourds de Montréal.

Odyssey Zone—A Centre for Creative and Play Therapies
Queen Elizabeth Health Complex
2100 Marlowe Ave, 5th Floor, Suite 351, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Tel: 514-485-6556 / Fax: 514-748-6312
Cell: 514-983-8581
Contact: Sheila Karen Ostroff
Email: sheilaostroff@gmail.com
Trained drama, art, play, and sand play therapist who gives therapy and support for children affected by ADHD,
LDs, as well as trauma and loss. Emphasis on creativity and finding individual strengths.

Projet P.A.L. (See Section 8 : Rehabilitation, Adaptation, Social Integration)
Offers recreational activities amongst many other services.

Quebec Blind Sports Association (ASAQ)
Association sportive des aveugles du Québec (ASAQ) - (See Section 10.2: Day Camps)
4545 Pierre-De-Coubertin Ave., P.O. Box 1000, Station M, Montreal, Quebec H1V 3R2
Tel: 514-252-3178
Contact: Nathalie Chartrand
Email: infoasaq@sportsaveugles.qc.ca
Website: www.sportsaveugles.qc.ca
Promotes and organizes sports events for blind and visually impaired athletes in Quebec.
Quebec Deaf Sports Association (ASSQ)
Association sportive des sourds du Québec (ASSQ)
4545 Pierre-De-Coubertin Ave., P.O. Box 1000, Station M, Montreal, Quebec H1V 3R2
Tel/TTY: 514-252-3069 / Fax: 514-252-3049
Contact: Alain Turpin
Email: secretaire@assq.org
Website: www.assq.org
Promotes sports, recreational and physical activity for deaf and hearing-impaired athletes in Quebec.

Quebec Wheelchair Sports Association (AQSFR)
Association québécoise des sports en fauteuil roulant (AQSFR)
4545 Pierre-De-Coubertin Ave., P.O. Box 1000, Station M, Montreal, Quebec H1V 3R2
Tel: 514-252-3108 / Fax: 514-254-9793
Contact: José Malo
Email: aqsfr@aqsfr.qc.ca,
Website: www.aqsfr.qc.ca
Coordinates and facilitates the access to wheelchair sports at every level of performance for disabled people.

Special Olympics Quebec
5311 de Maisonneuve West, 2nd Floor, Montreal, Quebec H4A 1Z5
Tel: 514-843-8778 / Fax: 514-843-8223
Contact: Pierre Bélanger
Email: info@olympiquespeciaux.qc.ca
Website: www.josq.qc.ca
Montreal branch office for the Special Olympics. Ask about their branches in Laval, the West Island and South West, North Island, East End.

Viomax
2275 Laurier Avenue East, Montreal, Quebec H2H 2N8
Tel: 514-527-4527 # 2329 / Fax: 514-527-0979
Email: informations@viomax.org
Website: www.viomax.org
Non-profit, part of the Luci-Bruneau Rehabilitation Centre. Offers vast physical activity programs for physically
Section 5

TUTORING SERVICES

Brightside Learning
Tel: 514-242-5162
Contact: Robin Bernstein
Email: info@brightsidelearning.com
Website: www.brightsidelearning.com
Specialized programs help students realize their potential and become independent, self-advocating learners. Services include academic coaching/tutoring, successful learning strategy implementation and literacy programs for various types of learners, including those with learning disabilities.

Centre for Attention Disorders (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Club Education
Elm Plaza, 275 Elm Avenue, Unit 10, Beaconsfield, Quebec H9W 2E4
Tel: 514-674-0914
Email: ClubEd@videotron.ca
Website: www.clubed.ca
A place to learn, and learn how to learn. Tutoring K- Secondary V, Communication with schools and teachers, educational assessments, learning packages, supervised homework, test & exam preparation, career counseling, study skills, speech/language assessments and therapy, social skill groups for children with high functioning Autism, Aspergers and PDD.

Education360
99 Place Frontenac, Pointe-Claire, Quebec H9R 4Z7
Tel: 514-426-1360 / 1-866-656-1360 / Fax: 514-426-8071
Email: info@education360.ca
Website: www.education360.ca

Kumon Montreal Head Office
4 offices in Montreal.
Tel: 514-733-3889
Contact: Ramona for a centre near you.
Website: www.kumon.com
Practice based learning from Grade 3 to end of high school. Approximately 15% of students have special needs i.e. Learning disabilities. Focus on English or Math (in French or English).

Lansdowne Tutoring Centre
5325 Snowdon Ave. Montreal, Quebec H3X 1Y3
Tel: 514-487-6516 / Fax: 514-487-0909
203 Hymus Blvd #200, Pointe Claire, Quebec H9R 1E9
Tel: 514-697-4133 / Fax: 514-697-4580
Contact: Beverly Baserman
Website: www.thelansdownecentre.org
Specialize in tutoring children with learning disabilities of any age.
Learn & Shine  
4916 rue Sherbrooke Ouest, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 1H3  
Tel: 514-750-8232  
Email: info@learnandshine.ca  
Website: www.learnandshinelca  
Tutoring for all ages and those with learning disabilities.

Liberty Tutoring  
Tel: 514-812-0735  
Contact: Mr. Sam Mahmoody  
Website: www.libertytutoring.ca  
One on one tutoring in the student’s home. Experience with dyslexia, ADHD, visualization problems.

Lise L’Heureux, Written Language Learning Specialist,  
M.A Language Didactics, Grad Dip Psycholinguistics  
4582 Melrose, Montreal, Quebec, H4A 2S9  
Tel: 514.768.9567  
Email: info@liselheureux.com  
Website: www.liselheureux.com  
Learning Specialist who teaches English and French reading and spelling to dyslexic children, teens and adults using a systematic language-based approach developed specifically for learners with language processing deficits associated with dyslexia. Also tutors children with other developmental deficits that inhibit written language acquisition.

Oxford Learning Centre  
4260 Girouard, Suite 102, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3C9  
Tel: 514-481-4441 Fax: 514-481-0446  
3710 St. Jean Blvd., Suite B, Dollard des Ormeaux  
Tel: 514-696-0606  
Website: www.oxfordlearning.com  
Uses cognitive learning techniques to help children develop more effective ways of thinking, concentrating, listening and remembering.

Strategic Learning Centre  
206 - 280, avenue Dorval, Dorval, QC H9S 3H4  
Tel: 514.631.9745 Fax: 514.631.5728  
Website: www.strategiclearning.ca  
Assessments, works with students to get to the root of their specific needs and challenges, be they dyslexia, learning disabilities, ADHD, etc., and then develop solutions to help them become better, more confident learners.

The Learning Associates  
4203 Ste Catherine St. West, Montreal, Quebec H3Z 1P6  
Tel: 514-989-9360 Fax: 514-989-8419  
Contact: Barbara Bobrow  
Email: lam@lammtl.org  
Website: www.lammtl.org  
Learning assessments, one-on-one tutoring and coaching for children with learning disabilities. Summer camp, co-ed, ages 6-12—intensive 3-week summer reading program for children with learning disabilities.
**2Torial Education Centre**  
5050 Paré, Suite # 288B, Montreal, Quebec H4P 1P3  
Tel: 514-739-0075  
Contact: David Schipper  
Email: 2torial@bellnet.ca

Helps students develop lifelong learning skills in every subject at any age level. One of the centre's strengths is providing support and guidance to students with special needs such as struggling academically, learning disabilities, ADD, Dyslexia, mild Autism and Asperger’s Syndrome.
Section 6

VOCATIONAL SERVICES

Agence Ometz: formerly JEM Workshop Inc. (Jewish Employment Montreal)
8400 Mountain Sights, Montreal, Quebec H4P 2B9
Tel: 514-735-4217 / Fax: 514-735-5015
Contact: Gail Krasner
Email: info@jemworkshop.org
Website: www.ometz.ca or www.jemworkshop.org
Vocational workshop for adults with intellectual disabilities.

Avatil (See Section 8: Rehabilitation, Adaptation, Social Integration)

Club Education (See Section 5: Tutoring Services)

Co-Operative Education Program
Lester B. Pearson School Board
Vanier CEGEP and John Abbott College
Tel: 514-422-3000 #4470
Contact: Mr. Patrick O’Connor
Must be 18 and over and sufficiently autonomous to travel and participate in outings, referred by their home high school’s resource department. Students attend classes and work-study.

Centre de Réadaptation Lucie-Bruneau
2275 Laurier Avenue East, Montreal, QC H2H 2N8
Tel: 514-527-4527

Constance-Lethbridge Readaptation Centre (CLRC)
School to Active Life Transition Sector
7005 de Maisonneuve Blvd. West, Montreal, Quebec H4B 1T3
Tel: 514-487-1891 #349
Contact: Marie-Claude Saindon
Offering complete transition services to young adults with spina bifida, cerebral motor deficit and juvenile rheumatoid arthritis. From 16 – 18, transition from school to work.

IAM CARES / AIM CROIT
750 Marcel-Laurin, #450, Saint-Laurent, Quebec H4M 2M4
Tel: 514-744-2944 / Fax: 514-744-5711
Email: emploi@aimcroitqc.org
Website: www.aimcroitqc.org
International network of service providers who use their expertise to find innovative solutions to the occupational needs of persons with physical and/or sensory disabilities.
Labour Action Montreal
Action main d'oeuvre Montréal
3320 Rosemont Blvd, Montreal, Quebec H1X 1K3
Tel: 514-721-4941, ext. 108 / Fax: 514-721-0937
Contact: Nicole Marchessault Lise Sandstrom, ext 118
Email: amo@action-main-doeuvre.qc.ca or lsandstrom@actionmaindoeuvre.ca
Vocational centre/experimental pilot program finding employment for adults who are intellectually challenged (particularly high-functioning adults with Asperger syndrome ages 18-30).

Light a Dream
475 Dumont Avenue, Dorval, Quebec H9S 5W2
Tel: 514-636-9966
Email: lightadream@bellnet.ca
Website: www.lightadream.com
A candle making business intended to promote student’s understanding of various business and economic principles, while enhancing their social, interpersonal, decision making and leadership skills.

L’Étape - SSMO
1001 De Maisonneuve Blvd. East, Suite 527, Montreal, Quebec H2L 4P9
Tel: 514-526-0887 Fax: 514-527-1028
Contact: Mr. Majorique Gariepy
Email: letape@letape.org
Website: www.etape.org
Assisting physically handicapped, deaf and hard-of-hearing persons in their process of integration into the workforce, individual counselling, guidance service, job search techniques, etc.

Mode D'Emploi, Service D'Employabilité de L’A.P.Q.
6020 Jean-Talon East, Suite 400, Montreal, Quebec H1S 3B1
Tel: 514-341-7272 / Fax: 514-341-8884
Contact: Mrs. Walter Zelaya
Email: info@paraquad.qc.ca
Website: www.paraquad.qc.ca
All employment services and assessments; interest and aptitude testing, career and education, individual or group counseling, job seeking, support and training for the neurologically disabled or motor deficiencies.

Option Travail - SEMO
2010 Saint-Elzéar Blvd. West, Laval, Quebec H7L 4A8
Tel: 450-687-6810 / Fax: 450-687-2529
Contact: Mrs. Louise Courteau
Email: info@optiontravail.org
Website: www.optiontravail.org
Facilitates access to paid employment for physically, sensory and mentally disabled. Counselling, evaluation, vocational counselling information about the job market.

Placement Potential
111 Donegani Ave., Pointe-Claire, Quebec H9R 2W3
Tel: 514-694-0315 / Fax: 514-694-8640
Contact: Mr. John Dirlik
Email: placementpotentiel@videotron.ca
Adapted work centre providing employment services for handicapped persons, 18 and over
s.e.m.o. Horizon-Travail
980 Saint-Antoine Street West, Suite 605, Montreal, Quebec H3C 1A8
Tel: 514-933-1141 Fax: 514-933-9359
Contact: Mr. Luc Labbé
Email: info@horizon-travail.org
Website: www.horizon-travail.org/
Manpower external service: integration in the labor market of the visually impaired. Support pertaining to job search, access to employment facilities, adaptation of tasks, follow-up.

TECC - Summit School Copy & Print Centre
1819 Rene Levesque West, Suite 200 Montreal, Quebec H3H 2P5
Tel: 514-933-4464
Contact: Jesse Heffring
Email: copycentre@summit-school.com / jheffring@summit-school.com
A non-profit initiative for 16-21 year olds that creates a dynamic “learn to work” environment for youth with special needs. Includes Westmount satellite school.
Section 7

MEDICAL CLINICS

Douglas Mental Health University Institute

6875 LaSalle Blvd, Verdun, Quebec H4H 1R3
Website: www.douglas.qc.ca

ADD/ADHD Program
Tel: 514-761-6131, # 2113
Diagnosis, psychoeducation around medication and behavioural treatments, psychopharmacology, social skills training. Referrals necessary.

Autism Spectrum Disorders Program (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Eating Disorder Clinic
Tel: 514-761-6131 #22895
Referrals necessary.

Mood Disorders
Tel: 514-761-6131, #3301
Contact: Dr. Johanne Renaud
Referrals necessary.

Jewish General Hospital Child Psychiatry Department

3755 Côte-Sainte-Catherine Road, Montreal, Quebec H3T 1E2
Pavillion A, 4th Floor
Tel: 514-340-8222, ext. 5629
Website: www.jgh.ca/en/ChildPsychiatry

Children aged 3-12 are assessed and treated with their families for a broad range of child problems, including Pervasive Developmental Disorders, conduct problems, attention deficit disorder, depression, suicide risk, psychotic disorders, and anxiety disorders. Waiting list from 6-12 months.

Day/Evening Hospital
Multimodal treatment program for children aged 3-12 who, due to serious psychological, cognitive, behavioural and family problems are unable to function in their communities and are admitted to the program. Comprehensive treatment includes medication, individual and family therapy, social skills training, educational services, neuropsychological assessment, art therapy, occupational therapy.

Outpatient Services
Psychiatric, psychological and psychosocial evaluations to children and their families. Where possible, referrals are made back to the community.
Laval Centre of Neuropsychology and Child and Family Psychology
(See Section 3.3: Psychological Services)

Montreal Children’s Hospital

2300 Tupper, Montreal, Quebec H3H 1P3
Tel: 514-412-4400
Website: www.hopitalpourenfants.com/en/

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Program
Tel: 514-412-4244
Contact: Jody Patterson
Brings together the Division of General Pediatrics, the Child Development Program, Neurology, Psychiatry, Psychology and Nursing for the assessment of ADHD patients. Aims to provide a central intake for ADHD patients and direct them toward the most appropriate care while combining expertise across disciplines.

The Pediatric Clinic of the ADHD Program
A multidisciplinary team comprised of pediatricians, psychologists and specialized nurse asses school-aged children for complex treatment-resistant ADHD. A treatment protocol is established and child returns to regular physician for follow-up care.

Psychiatry ADHD Clinic
4018 Ste Catherine Street West, Montreal, Quebec
Tel: 514-412-4449
Contact: Dr. Lily Hechtman

Autism Spectrum Disorders Program (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Autism Spectrum Disorders Psychopharmacology Program (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Developmental and Behavioral Pediatric Services
Tel: 514-412-4398
Includes Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech and Language Pathology, Audiology, Psychology, Feeding Program, and the Child Development Program under one administrative umbrella. DBPS provides integrated diagnostic and short-term treatment services for children and adolescents from birth to 18 years of age with developmental, behavioral, and adaptive/readaptive problems. Referrals from community pediatricians/physicians for children with developmental delays are coordinated through the central intake office. A form is available and can be faxed or mailed.

Audiology: Tel: 514-412-4454
Child Development Program
Developmental Progress Clinic: Tel: 514-412-4314
A multidisciplinary team assesses pre-school-aged children referred for suspected global developmental delays.
Developmental-Behavioural Assessment and Continuity Clinic (D-BACC): Tel: 514-412-4314
Consultation for children with the following specific issues: questions about gender identity/role or gender variance, elimination disorders (enuresis/encopresis, toileting issues) and parasomnias or dyssomnias.
Learning Progress Clinic: Tel: 514-412-4314
Evaluation and consultation for children aged seven to 11 years who are having difficulty in school, and
who have not been assessed within the school system.

Feeding Program: Tel: 514-412-4400, # 22334
Occupational Therapy: 514-412-4426
Psychology: 514-412-4400 # 23295
Speech and Language Pathology: 514-412-4491

Eating Disorders Clinic
Tel: 514-412-4481
Provides assessment and treatment for pre-adolescents and adolescents with anorexia or bulimia by offering a multidisciplinary approach including individual and family therapy as well as clinical nutrition. Telehealth services are available on demand.

Montreal Children's Hospital Program
Tel: 514-412-4400 ext. 23128 / Fax: 514-412-4319
Contact: Sollie Gliksman
E-mail: mtlchildhosp@emsb.qc.ca
EMSB program held at the Montreal Children’s Hospital to teach children who are in the medical wards; also, psychiatric assessment for children (ages 4-12) and adolescents (ages 13-20).

Neurology
Tel: 514-412-4446 / Fax: 514-412-4373
For challenging and complex neurological conditions. The Division is undergoing a restructuring in its clinical services that will see a re-orientation towards a programmatic model of service delivery. A screening process for consultations has been implemented and only referrals deemed appropriate subsequent to screening and fulfilling the above mandate will be seen. Present resources are not sufficient to see all referrals and in order to permit the timely and expeditious evaluation and follow-up of children requiring neurological intervention the following categories of referrals will not be seen: 1) patients with routine headache who have not received a course of migraine prophylaxis; 2) behavioural disorders (i.e. oppositional defiance disorder, conduct disorder, episodic dyscontrol syndrome); 3) school related problems (i.e. ADHD, learning disabilities); 4) tics or Tourette's Syndrome not requiring medication intervention; 5) Autistic Spectrum Disorders; and 6) febrile seizures, both typical and atypical.

Psychiatry
Tel: 514-412-4449
Provides a variety of services, from inpatient to outpatient clinics, for children and adolescents up to the age of 18 who suffer from a broad range of emotional or behavioral problems, including family and/or school-related.

Spina Bifida Service
Tel: 514-412-4400, ext. 22543 / Fax: 514-412-4477
Contact: Dr. Patricia Forbes
Care of children with Spina Bifida coordinated by a pediatrician and nurse. Multidisciplinary clinic held twice monthly.
**Hôpital Rivière-des-Prairies**  
Clinique des Troubles de l’attention  
7070 Perras Boulevard, Montreal, Quebec H1E 1A4  
Tel: 514-323-7260, ext. 2475  
Website: [www.hdrp.qc.ca](http://www.hdrp.qc.ca)  
Contact: Dr. Philippe Lageix, Christiane Gravel, Elyse Beaucage  
Ages 4-17. Diagnosis, treatment (pharmacological and social training, follow-up, stimulation.

**Royal Victoria Hospital Speech and Hearing Department of the MUCH**  
687 Pine Avenue West, suite E.4.02, Montreal, Quebec H3A 1A1  
Tel: 514-934-1934 #34149  
Contact: Dr. Jill Harrison  
Website: [www.muhc.ca](http://www.muhc.ca)  
Assessment of and intervention for speech and hearing disorders, evaluations for hearing aids, speech and Dysphagia, etc. Patients should be referred by a RVH affiliated Otolaryngologist.

**Sainte-Justine Hospital**

**Psychiatric Department**  
3175 Côte-Sainte-Catherine, Montreal, Quebec H3T 1C5  
Tel: 514-345-4695 / Fax: 514-345-4635  
Contact: Dr. Patricia Garel  
Website: [www.chu-sainte-justine.org](http://www.chu-sainte-justine.org)  
Program providing wide range of psychiatric services to children, adolescents, and their families. From 5-18.

**The Rehabilitation Centre Marie-Enfant of the UHC Sainte-Justine**  
(See Section 8: Rehabilitation, Adaptation, Social Integration)

**Shriners Hospital for Children**  
1529 Cedar Ave. Montreal, Quebec H3G 1A6  
Tel: 514-842-4464, Toll-free: 1-800-361-7256  
Fax: 514-842-7553  
Website: [www.shrinershq.org](http://www.shrinershq.org)  
Children up to 18 are eligible, by referral. Pediatric orthopaedic care and neuro-muscoloskeletal conditions, ie. Osteogenesis Imperfecta (brittle bone disease), Scoliosis, Cerebral Palsy (CP), Spina Bifida, club feet and limb length discrepancy.
Section 8

REHABILITATION / ADAPTATION / SOCIAL INTEGRATION

AVATIL Center for Development / Centre de développement
387, 40th Avenue, Lachine, Quebec H8T 2E7
Tel: 514-634-8944 / Fax: 514-634-2033
Email: avatil@aei.ca
Website: www.avatil.org
Encourages personal and social development through programs, provides emotional support and job assistance, and fosters community acceptance. For adolescents and adults with mild or borderline intellectual disabilities. Includes training for independent living, community support and social/discussion groups.

Centre Rehabilitation Marie-Enfant of the UHC Sainte-Justine
5200 Bélanger Street East, Montreal, Quebec H1T 1C9
Contact: Sylvain Grenier
Tel: 514-374-1710, # 8230
Website: www.crme-sainte-justine.org/defaultEn.aspx
Rehabilitation: 55 beds Long-term care: 20 beds
Provides newborns, children and teenagers who have motor or speech disabilities with highly specialized services in the areas of rehabilitation-accommodation, integration and social participation. Develops personalized intervention programs, tailored to the needs of each child or teenager, including those of the family. Respite services.

Complete Rehabilitation Services
Service de réadaptation L'intégrale
74 rue de Port-Royal East, Suite 110, Montreal, Quebec H3L 3T1
Tel: 514-387-1234 / Fax: 514-387-5013
Contact: Claude Campeau
Email: nbournon@ssss.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.integrale.org/accueil.htm
Provides rehabilitation, adaptive and social integration services for the intellectually handicapped and for those with Pervasive Developmental Disorders. Counselling for parents and family members.

Gabrielle Major Rehabilitation Centre
Centre de Réadaptation Gabrielle Major
6455 Jean-Talon East, 6th Floor, St. Leonard, Quebec H1S 3E8
Tel: 514-259-2245 / Fax: 514-259-5906
Website: www.crgm.qc.ca
Centre provides services for rehabilitation and social reintegration for individuals with intellectual disabilities or Pervasive Developmental Disorders. Also, support services for families.

Lisette-Dupras Rehabilitation Centre
Centre de Réadaptation Lisette-Dupras
8000 Notre Dame West, Lachine, Quebec H8R 1H2
Tel: 514-364-2280, #2152
Contact: Martin Carriere
Website: www.lisette-dupras.ca
Centre providing support services, residential programs.
The MAB/MacKay Rehabilitation Centre
A rehabilitation centre that has merged the former Montreal Association for the Blind with the former MacKay Rehabilitation Centre. Located at two sites—MAB site provides visual rehabilitation programs and services to blind and visually impaired individuals of all age groups; also operates a long-term care centre and a residence for blind and visually impaired seniors; includes the on-site Philip E. Layton School for the Blind. Mackay site provides rehabilitation for children with motor, speech, and language impairments; also, programs for deaf and hard-of-hearing for all age groups.

MAB Site
7000 Sherbrooke West, Montreal, Quebec H4B 1R3
Tel: 514-489-8201 / Fax: 514-489-3477
Email: mabinfo@ssss.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.mabmackay.ca

Mackay Site
3500 Decarie Blvd, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3J5
Tel: 514-482-0500 / Fax: 514-482-4536
TTY: 514-482-0487
Email: mabinfo@ssss.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.mabmackay.ca

Nazareth et Louis-Braille Institute (INLB)
1111, rue St-Charles Ouest, Longueuil, Quebec J4K 5G4
Tel: 450-463-1710 or 1-800-361-7063 / Fax: 450-463-0243
Email: info@inlb.qc.ca
Website: www.inlb.qc.ca
Evaluation of global needs, development, integration for everything from home, school, daily activities, from infancy to adolescents and on.

Projet P.A.L.
861 Rue de l'Èglise, Verdun, Quebec, H4G 2N3
Tel: 514-767-4701 / Fax: 514-767-5304
Contact: John Harvey
Email: projet.pal@rocler.qc.ca
Website: www.projetpal.com
A bilingual non-profit alternative resource for people over 18 years old living with mental health challenges. Offer drop-in centre, community meals, recreational activities, defensive rights, help with housing.

Raymond-Dewar Institute
3600 Berri, Montreal, Quebec H2L 4G9
Voice Tel 514-284-2581 or 514-284-2214, ATS: 514-284-3747
Fax: 514-284-5086
Email: ird@raymond-dewar.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.raymond-dewar.qc.ca
Part of Health and Social Services Quebec, specialized rehabilitation in hearing loss and communication. All ages.
West Island Association for the Intellectually Handicapped (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy

West Montreal Readaptation Centre
8000 Notre Dame West, Lachine, Quebec H8R 1H2
Tel: 514-363-3025, #2257
Contact: Melinda D’Adamao
Web site: www.westmontrealrc.ca
Offers adaptation, rehabilitation and social integration services to persons with intellectual disabilities and support services for their families and friends.
Section 9

RESOURCES FOR PARENTS, CAREGIVERS AND TEACHERS:

Included in this section: INFORMATION, EDUCATION, SUPPORT RESOURCES, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, GOVERNMENT OFFICES

Note from the Office des personnes handicappées du Quebec website: [www.ophq.gouv.qc.ca](http://www.ophq.gouv.qc.ca)

The presence of a disabled child or adult within a family makes for additional responsibilities, which can cause considerable stress and even lead to burnout. If you are in such a situation, contact your CSSS (CLSC). If the disabled person you are caring for receives services from a rehabilitation centre, people there may be able to help you as well.

In the event of an emergency, call the Info-Santé service of the CSSS (CLSC) or dial 911.

**Autisme et troubles envahissants du développement Montréal** offers accompaniment and support to families in crisis.
Tel: 514-524-6114
Email: atedm@autisme-montreal.com

**Abe Gold Learning & Research Centre**
160 chemin Royden Ville de Mont-Royal, Quebec H4P 2T2
Tel: 514-345-8330 ext. 319 / Fax: 514-345-1619
Contact: Julie Klucinskas
Email: info@goldlearningcentre.com
Website: [www.goldlearningcentre.com](http://www.goldlearningcentre.com)

A private, not-for-profit organization with a mission to develop training, research & diagnosis and evaluation programs to support people with ASD and other developmental disabilities. The Centre offers conferences, workshops and training to professionals and parents. Approximately 1,200 participants receive training from the Centre each year, and in 2010, the conference was accredited by McGill University's Faculty of Medicine for its continuing education program. Its team collaborates with professionals, parents and other community agencies to assess and address current gaps in education and training, service delivery and support.

**Active Living Alliance for Canadians with a Disability**
720 Belfast Road, Suite 104, Ottawa, Ontario K1G 0Z5
Tel: 1-800-771-0663 or (613) 244-0052 / TTY: 1-888-771-0663 or (613) 244-0008
Fax: 613-244-4857
Contact: Tommy Chevrett
Email: qc@ala.ca

A database of information regarding ways to have a healthy and active life with a disability.

**Agence Ometz (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)**
School Services Program which provides hundreds of schools with support, including counsellors and social workers; supervision of guidance counsellors and teachers in the schools; Group Services Program for classrooms, schools, groups of families and parents which focus on skill building, life skills development, teen sexuality, substance abuse prevention, social skills development; Counselling for children, individuals and families, including a family play program; Parlour Meeting Program which gives parents the opportunity to network with other parents and a qualified facilitator; crisis intervention: intake for Jewish families; specialized program for those with chronic mental health illness and their families; social service support for members of the Jewish community.
American Foundation for the Blind
AFB Headquarters 11 Penn Plaza, Suite 300, New York, NY 10001
Phone: 212-502-7600 or 1-800-AFB-LINE (232-5463)
Email: afbinfo@afb.net
Website: www.afb.org
Advocacy, education, research, available technology and much more.

Ami du déficient mental inc.
4960, 7th Avenue Montreal, Quebec H1Y 2M9
Tel: 514 527-7671
Email: ldjadmi@hotmail.com

Apraxia-Kids: The Childhood Apraxia of Speech Association of North America (CASANA)
Website: www.apraxia-kids.org
Non-profit organization representing the needs and interests of children and families affected by Apraxia.

Asperger Syndrome Support Group (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Association de la Rive-Sud Pour La Déficience Intellectuelle
80 Bétournay, Saint-Lambert, QC
Tel: 514-735-3669 #3701
Bilingual with majority French, welcomes people with Autism, intellectual disabilities, multi-handicapped.

Association de Montreal Pour La Deficience Intellectuelle (AMDI)
633, Cremazie Blvd. East, #100, Montreal, QC H2M 1L9
Tel: 514-381-2307
Email: info@amdi.info
Website: www.amdi.info
Welcomes people with intellectual disabilities. French and English.

Association de parents de l’enfance en difficulté de la Rive-Sud Montréal (APEDRSM)
(Services in French, South Shore of Montreal)
Tel: 450-679-9310, ext. 235
Contact: Genevieve Ouimet
For parents and caregivers interested in helping children and adolescents with family difficulties, hyperactive, intellectual and physical problems.

Association du Québec pour Enfants avec Problèmes Auditifs
3700 Berri Street, Montreal, Quebec H2I 4G9
Tel: 514-842-3926
Website: www.surdite.org

Association Dysphasie +
384A, Curé-Labelle Blvd, Laval, Quebec H7V 2S3
Tel: 450-687-7639
Email: info@dysphasieplus.com
Website: www.dysphasieplus.com
Association québécoise des personnes de petite taille (AQPPT)
2177 Masson, Room 205, Montreal, Quebec H2H 1B1
Tel: 514-521-9671 / Fax: 514-521-3369
Email: info@aqppt.org
Website: www.aqppt.org

Association québécoise du syndrome de Rett
6525 Côte Saint-Luc Road, app. 602, Montreal, Quebec H4V 1G5
Tel: 514-486-1311
Email: sandrachism@hotmail.com

Association québécoise du syndrome Gilles de la Tourette (AQST)
7070 Perras Blvd., Montréal Québec H1E 1A4
Tel: 514-328-3910
Email: info@aqst.com
Website: www.aqst.com

Autism Central (see Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Autisme Montreal (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Autism Speaks Canada (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD)

Batshaw Youth and Family Centres
Les Centres de la jeunesse et de la famille Batshaw
Head office: 5 Weredale Park, Westmount, Quebec H3Z 1Y5
Tel: 514-989-1885
Website: www.batshaw.qc.ca
Department of Youth Protection – Reception of Reports (Signalements) and Social Emergencies
514-935-6196

Big Blue Hug Autism Awareness Project – Drawing on Inspiration
Offers Picture Talking Workshops and training sessions. See Section 2.

Bronfman Education Centre (BJEC)
1 Cummings Square, Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6
Tel: 514-345-2645, #3076 / Fax: 514-735-2175
Email: fiona.nanson@bjec.org
Website: www.bjec.org
Contact: Fiona Nanson
Special education consulting for the Jewish community. Placement for special needs students in Jewish school system or others. Presentations on special needs, including inclusion, Autism, reading, behaviour management, parenting.

Butters Foundation
Tel: 450-263-4123 / Fax: 450-263-3489
Email: info@buttersfoundation.ca
Website: www.buttersfoundation.ca
Promotes the integration of intellectually disabled and autistic persons from the eastern part of La Monterege into their local communities. Mandates include financial support and services, scholarships and bursaries to promote careers in Helping or Rehabilitative Professions.
Canadian National Institute for the Blind (CNIB-INCA)
3044 Rue Delisle, Montreal, Quebec H4C 1M9
Tel: 514-934-4622 or 1-800-465-4622
Fax: 514-934-2131
Email: quebec@cnib.ca
Website: www.cnib.ca/en/quebec/
Programs, services, resources for visually impaired persons of all ages. Library, games, adapted equipment.

CanChild
CanChild Centre for Childhood Disability Research is a research and educational centre located at McMaster University in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada. Focused on improving the lives of children and youth with disabilities and their families. Their newsletter will keep you up to date with their research and resources.
www.canchild.ca

Carrefour Papillon
On-line database with over a thousand entries provided by Quebec Society for Disabled Children.
Tel: 514-937-6171, ext. 222
Contact: Linda Gaucher
Website: www.enfantshandicapes.com/html/english/carrefour_papillon/index.php
Provides information on the major resources available across Quebec pertaining to physical, intellectual and visual disabilities, and also concerning orthopaedic equipment, specialized camps and schools, day camps, employment, respite residences, respite babysitting, lodging, recreation, transportation, clothing and other areas. Database can be consulted through on-line form provided at web site or by phone.

Centre d’assistance et d’accompagnement aux plaintes-Île de Montréal (CAAPIDM)
7333 St-Denis, Montreal, Quebec H2R 2E5
Tel: 514-861-5998
Email: caap@cpm.qc.ca
Website: www.caapidm.ca
You must submit any complaints in writing, clearly explaining the reasons for your dissatisfaction and specifying the names of the people you contacted. Keep a copy of the letters and documents you send. Can help you express your complaint and provide other assistance.

Centre d’expertise de Montréal en troubles graves du comportement pour les personnes ayant un DI ou un TED (CEM-TGC)
http://www.cemtgc.org
Their mission centres around the development of expertise in severe behaviour disorders presented by persons with intellectual disabilities or Pervasive Developmental Disorders. Conferences and training. Bilingual site.

Centre for Attention Disorders (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Centre François-Michelle
10095 Meunier, Montreal, Quebec H3L 2Z1
Contact: Danielle Sormany
Tel: 514-381-4418
Email: dsormany@francois-michelle.qc.ca
Website: www.francois-michelle.qc.ca
An extensive resource list “Repertoire des resources en deficience intellectuelle”, re: respite care, support.
Centre of Excellence for Physically, Intellectually and Multi-Challenged
Princess Elizabeth Elementary School
120 Bellevue Street, Room 117, Magog, Quebec J1X 3H2
Tel: 819-868-0512
Email: buttersl@etsb.qc.ca
A provincial service offering support and expertise to the English sector for the organization of programs and adapted teaching to students with special learning needs in an inclusive setting. Funded and mandated by MEQ, the IES is managed through the boards, specifically through the Inclusive Education Management Committee (IEMC).

Cerebral Palsy Association of Quebec (QCPA)
Association de paralysie cérébrale du Québec (QCPA)
170 Saint Antoine Street North, Granby, Quebec J2G 8W7
Tel: 1-450-777-2907 / 1-800-311-3770
Contact: Denise Arès
Email: d.ares@paralysiecerebrale.com
Website: www.paralysiecerebrale.com
Information and referral, specialized equipment loans. Summer camp financial aid.

Commission des droits de la personne et des droits de la jeunesse
360 Saint-Jacques, 2nd floor, Montreal, Quebec H2Y 1P5
Tel: 514-873-5146 / 1-800-361-6477
Email: communications@cdpdj.qc.ca
Website: http://www2.cdpdj.qc.ca/en/pages/default/aspx
The mission: to see that human rights are promoted and respected in Quebec.

Empowerment
A business venture that connects people with special needs to those who have the knowledge and expertise to help them.
Contact: Léa Benegbi
Tel: 514-621-6774
Blog: http://empowerment-special-needs-network.blogspot.com/
Tweets: http://twitter.com/WeWillEmpowerU

Épilepsie Montréal Métropolitain (EMMF)
3800, Radisson, Montreal, Quebec H1M 1X6
Tel: 514-252-0859
Email: epimtl@cam.org
Website: www.epilepsiemontreal.ca
A non-profit organization aimed to promote and improve the lives of people living with Epilepsy.

Famille et Aînés Québec
425, rue Saint-Amable, RC, Quebec, Quebec G1R 4Z1
Tel: 1-418-643-4721 or 1-888 643-4721
Website: www.mfa.gouv.qc.ca
Documents regarding ‘Integration into daycare of a child with a disability’ and ‘Exceptional assistance measure for the integration in childcare services of disabled children with major needs (FO-0609-G)’. Go to ‘formulaires et publications’ on the home page, then choose ‘English publications’.
Hope Corporation for the Intellectually Disabled (See Section 4.8: Other Recreational Therapies and Activities)
Corporation l'Espoir du Déficient

laccompagnateur.org
Email: Kathleen@laccompagnateur.org
Website: www.laccompagnateur.org
A website to help parents of disabled children. Lists of respite care across the province, activities.

ILL-Abilities (See Luca Patuelli in this section)

Influential Awareness Workshops
Erika Tencer, Recreational Specialist
Email: etencer2@symaptico.ca
Website: influentialawareness.yolasite.com
Workshops aimed to sensitize students to children with special needs while breaking down barriers, including fears and misconceptions. Geared to Grade 3-4 classes, but adapted to people of all ages.

Kids Move & Learn
A course comprised of four classes covering a unique approach created to enhance the healthy and complete development of children. Created by Mat Boulé, Osteopath, Educator and Posturologist. Topics cover: enhancement of movement and learning strategies, nutrition, conditioning and values of sports involvement, yoga, massage and more.
Tel: (514) 620-3535
Contact: Mat Boulé, Osteopath, Posturologist, Educator
Email: info@kidsmoveandlearn.com
Website: www.kidsmoveandlearn.com

LEARN Quebec
2030 Dagenais Blvd. West, 2nd floor, Laval, Quebec H7L 5W2
Tel: 450-622-2212 / 1-866-622-2212
Fax: 450-622-1460
Website: www.learnquebec.ca
An educational foundation offering e-learning services and support to all English school boards, private schools, community organizations and the private sector in rural and urban settings; publishes quality learning materials to support educators who are implementing competency-based practices in the classroom.

Learning Disability Association of Quebec (LDAQ)
Association québécoise des troubles apprentissage (AQETA)
Street address: 284 Notre Dame West, Suite 300, Montreal, Quebec H2Y 1T7
Mailing address: P.O. Box 1678, Station Place d'Armes, Montreal, Quebec H2Y 3L2
Tel: 514-847-1324, ext. 28
Tel (Montreal Chapter): 514-488-8989 / Fax: 514-281-5187
Contact: Linda Aber (Montreal Chapter)
Email: info@aqeta.qc.ca
Montreal chapter email: montrealchapter@aqeta.qc.ca
Website: www.aqeta.qc.ca
Services include assistance for families, information and active listening, lectures & annual conference, and representation of members.
Learning Disabilities Resource Community  
Website: www.ldrc.ca  
A virtual information community open to anyone affected by learning disabilities, either an individual, a parent, teacher, researcher or a concerned community member. A place to gain knowledge, discover new teaching and educational tools, share information and experiences.

Le Poul de Superman  
4405 De Brebeuf, Montreal, Quebec H2G 3K8  
Contact : Elyse Brais  
Tel : 514-529-4250  
A workshop for parents, caregivers and teachers to gain tools to deal with all types of children including hyperactive and difficult.

Luca Patuelli  
Tel: 514-894-9653  
Email: bboy_lazylegz@hotmail.com  
Website: www.lazylegz.com  
Creator of ILL-Abilities, a crew of breakdancers who perform around the world to help spread the message “No Excuses, No Limits”. Dance shows, motivational speaker.

Metropolitan Montreal Deaf Community Centre (MMDCC)  
200 Cremazie Blvd. East, Montreal, Quebec H2P 1E3  
Tel: 514-279-7609 / Fax: 514-279-5373  
Contact: Mr. Gilles Read  
Email: ccsmm@videotron.ca  
Website: www.ccsmm.net

Miriam Foundation  (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)  
8160 Royden Road, Town of Mount Royal, Quebec H4P 2T2  
Tel: 514-345-1300 / Fax: 514-345-6904  
Email: info@miriamfoundation.ca  
Website: www.miriamfoundation.ca  
A foundation that supports children and adults who have autism or intellectual disabilities. Provides rehabilitative, vocational, and residential services, including community homes, e.g., Miriam Home & Services and the Lori Black Community Centre.

Montreal Association for the Intellectually Handicapped (AMDI)  
Association de Montréal pour la déficience intellectuelle (AMDI)  
633 Boulevard Crémazie East, Suite 100, Montreal, Quebec H2M 1L9  
Tel: 514-381-2307 / Fax: 514-381-0454  
Contact: Frédéric Boisrond  
Email: info@amdi.info  
Website: www.amdi.info  
Leisure and respite services, family support and promotion of community awareness.
Montreal Recreational Centre for the Deaf
Centre de loisirs des sourds de Montréal
8146 Drolet, Montreal, Quebec H2P 2H5
Tel/TTY: 514-383-0012 / Fax: 514-385-6795
Contact: Roland Bolduc
Email: clsm@cam.org
Website: www.surdite.org
Provides deaf individuals with an opportunity to participate in activities adapted to their needs and for members to receive mutual support, along with various other services.

Multi-Ethnic Association for the Integration of Persons with Disabilities (MEAIPD)
Association multi-ethnique pour l'intégration des personnes handicapées [MEIPH]
6462 St-Laurent Blvd, Montreal, Quebec H2S 3C4
Tel: 514-272-0680 / Fax: 514-272-8530
Email: ameiph@ameiph.com
Website: www.ameiph.com
Provides individual and collective services regarding community participation, vocational and language services, social activities and advocacy. Focuses on specific needs of immigrants and persons from different cultural backgrounds.

Muscular Dystrophy Canada—Quebec Regional Office
Dystrophie musculaire Canada—Bureau régional du Québec
1425 René-Lévesque West, Suite 506, Montreal, Quebec H3G 1T7
Tel: 514-393-3522 / Fax: 514-393-8113
Contact: Carole Gagné-Gervais
Email: infoquebec@muscle.ca
Website: www.muscle.ca
Offers services to individuals with Muscular Dystrophy. Promotes public awareness.

My Smart Hands Quebec (see Section 3.1)

Office des personnes handicapées du Québec
Direction de l'intervention collective régionale de l'Ouest
500 René-Lévesque Ouest Bureau 15.700 Montreal, Quebec H2Z 1W7
Tel : 514 873-3905 or 1 888 873-3905 or 1 -800-567-1465
Fax : 514 873-4299
Email : dicro@ophq.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.ophq.gouv.qc.ca
Download Guide to family support needs in English and French. Extensive resource list. Information regarding respite care, adapted equipment, transportation, etc. Can also help you take steps to have a service program prepared, regardless of your child’s impairment.

Our Special Kids
34218 Cass Court, Farmington, MI 48335, USA
Tel: 1-248-478-1130
Email: debbie@ourspecialkids.com
Website: www.ourspecialkids.blogspot.com
Features book reviews, profiles of people working in the special needs community and articles, information about special clothing, etc.
P.A.N.D.A.
Parents Able to Negotiate Attention Deficit Disorder
Parents aptes à négocier le Déficit d'Attention
2 Chemin du Ravin, Ste-Thérèse, Quebec J7E 2T2
Tel: 1-450-979-7788 / Toll Free: 1-877-979-7788 / Fax: 1-450-979-5533
Contact: Jo-Anne Ladouceur
Email: info@associationpanda.qc.ca
Website: www.associationpanda.qc.ca
Helping parents cope with problems related to their children who have ADD.

Projet intégration sociale des enfants handicapés en milieu scolaire – ISEHMS
150 Grant Street #304, Longueuil, QC J4H 3H6
Tel: 450-646-2716 / Fax: 450-646-2714
Email: info@isehms.qc.ca
Website: www.isehms.qc.ca

Public Curator's Office
454, place Jacques-Cartier, Bureau 200, Montreal, Quebec H2Y 3B3
Tel: 514-873-3002 / 1-866-292-6288
Website: www.curateur.gouv.qc.ca
For parents who want information on legal guardianship of adult children with a disability.

Quebec Association for Assistance to Persons Suffering from Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia (ANE)
Association québecoise d'Aide Aux Personnes Souffrant d'Anoréxie Nerveuse et de Boulimie (ANEB)
ANE Quebec
114 Donegani Avenue, Pointe Claire, Quebec H9R 2V4
Tel: 514-630-0907
Email: info@anebquebec.com
Website: www.anebquebec.com
Offers support to people with eating disorders.

Quebec Association for Parents of Visually Handicapped Children (AQPEHV)
Association québécoise des parents d'enfants handicapés visuels (AQPEHV)
10 Churchill Blvd, Suite 203, Greenfield Park, Quebec G4V 2L7
Tel: 450-465-7225 / Fax: 450-465-5129
Contact: Roland Savard
Email: info@aephec.qc.ca
Website: www.aqpehv.qc.ca
Provides services to parents of visually handicapped children. Advocates parents' rights and interests.
An association of parents committed to supporting their children with visual impairments from diagnosis of their child through to adulthood.

Quebec Association of Postsecondary Students with Disabilities (QAPSD)
Association québécoise des étudiantes ayant des incapacités au postsecondaire (AQEIPS)
425, Sherbrooke Street East, Room 06, Montreal, Quebec H2L 1J9
Tel: 514-499-9451 or 1-866-959-9451 / Fax: 514-499-9592
Contact: Marie-Eve Veilleux
Website: www.aqeips.qc.ca
Promotes advocacy, rights and interests of postsecondary students with disabilities, with a cross-disability approach.
Quebec Foundation for the Blind
Fondation des Aveugles du Québec
5112 Bellechasse Montreal, Quebec H1T 2A4
Tel: 514-259-9470 / Fax: 514-254-5079
Prevention and Fundraising
6300-39 avenue, Suite 102 Montreal, Quebec H1T 2W7
Tel: 514-253-3434
Email: info@aveugles.org
Website: www.aveugles.org
A nationally recognized organization concentrating on blindness prevention and the improvement of the quality of life of those affected by it.

Quebec Organization of Agencies for the Deaf (ROSQ)
Regroupement des organismes sourds du Québec (ROSQ)
200 Crémazie Blvd East, Montreal, Quebec H2P 1E3
Tel: 514-279-7609 / TTY: 514-279-4181
Fax: 514-279-5373
Email: rosq@cam.org
Organization involved with needs, concerns and rights of hearing-impaired and deaf individuals; raises awareness, coordinates exchange of information with government and other agencies

Quebec Parapalegic Association (APQ)
Association des paraplégiques du Québec (APQ)
6020 Jean-Talon East, Suite 400, Montreal, Quebec H1S 3B1
Tel: 514-341-7272 or 1-877-341-7272
Fax: 514-341-8884
Contact: Mr. Walter Zelaya
Email: info@paraquad.qc.ca
Website: www.paraquad.qc.ca
Assists in becoming autonomous. Promotes, facilitates social and professional integration. Counselling in rehabilitation and employment.

Quebec Society for Disabled Children
2300 Boulevard René-Lévesque West, Montreal, Quebec H3H 2R5
Tel: 514-937-6171 / Fax: 514-937-0082
Contact: Ronald Davidson
Email: sehq@enfantshandicapes.com
Website: www.enfantshandicapes.com
Offers support services for families, information, and summer camp for disabled children. Extensive database of resources—see Carrefour Papillon in this section.
RAPID – Resources for the Anglophone Population with Intellectual Disabilities
240 avenue Saint-Laurent, Saint-Lambert, Québec J4R 2S2
Tel: 514-487-6304
Contact: Caryn Shacter
Email: rapidmontreal@gmail.com
Website: www.rapidsouthshore.org
Donations: www.CanadaHelps.org

Promotes the development and facilitates delivery of local resources on the South Shore of Montreal. Red Cross babysitting for parents of special needs children, summer day camp, helps parents to connect with existing service providers for respite, daycare on ped days, adult learning opportunities and recreational activities.

Regroupement de parents de personnes ayant une déficience intellectuelle de Montréal
5927 Boyer, Suite 02, Montreal, Quebec H2S 2H8
Tel: 514-255-3064 / Fax: 514-255-3635
Email: marcelfaulkner@rppadim.com
Website: www.rppadim.com
Support groups for parents of children with autism, Down Syndrome and other Pervasive Development Disorders.

Regroupement pour la Trisomie 21 (Down Syndrome) (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Sexpressions™
Mitelman, Stephanie, MA
Certified Sexuality Educator
Tel: 514-983-9600
Website: www.sexpressions.ca
A resource for parents, they also train professionals with an entire website of resources for everyone. Presents educational workshops as well. Offers private education for individuals with special needs or an autism spectrum disorder on healthy sexuality and relationships. She can see families, couples and individuals.

SIVET: Service d’interprétation visuelle et tactile
5000, rue d’Iberville, Suite B-243, Montreal, Quebec H2H 2S6
Tel: 514-285-2229 514-285-8877/1-800-853-1212 / Fax: 514-285-1443
Email: administration@sivet.ca
Website: www.sivet.ca
Supporting deaf and blind persons.

Solidarity of Parents of Handicapped Individuals
Solidarités de parents de personnes handicapées
5095 9th Ave., Montreal, Quebec H1Y 2J3
Tel: 514-254-6067, ext. 22 / Fax: 514-254-7953
Contact: Renée Turcotte
Email: spph@arobas.net
Offering services to lessen the isolation of families of handicapped children; promoting and defending rights and interests of such families.
Special Needs Network
The Donald Berman YALDEI Developmental Centre, 2100 Marlowe, 5th Floor, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3L5
Contact: Ayala Conway
Tel: 514-736-CARE (2273)
Email: snn@yaldei.org
Weblink: www.yaldei.org
Information and referral line for all special needs issues.

Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Association of Quebec (ASBHQ)
Association de spina-bifida et d’hydrocéphalie du Québec (ASBHQ)
3333 Queen Mary Road, Suite 542, Montreal, Quebec H3V 1A2
Tel: 514-340-9019 / Fax: 514-340-9109
Email: info@spina.qc.ca
Website: www.spina.qc.ca

Support Network for Anxiety Disorders
10780 Laverdure Street, Montreal, Quebec H3L 2L9
Tel: 514-334-1587
Support group for people with anxiety disorders, ages 12 and up.

The Interdisciplinary Council on Developmental & Learning Disorders
4938 Hampden Lane, Suite 800 Bethesda, Maryland 20814
Tel: 1-301-656-2667
Email: info@icdl.com
Website: www.icdl.com
Based in the U.S.A., ICDL reaches a wide network of parents and professionals of different disciplines in every state and in more than 80 countries in all continents, advancing the identification, prevention and treatment of developmental and learning disorders. Through its research, training and publications, ICDL has created a cadre of world class professionals across multiple areas of expertise that is extending the reach of the DIR® model and the framework of Floortime as a fundamental component of intervention programs for individuals with difficulties in relating, communicating and thinking, including autism spectrum disorders. Its research focuses on improving understanding of developmental pathways leading to developmental and emotional disorders and the best way to intervene.

War Amps
606 Cathcart Street, Suite 530, Montreal, Quebec H3B 1K9
Tel: 514-398-0759 or 1-900-250-3030
Email: customerservice@waramps.ca
Website: www.waramps.ca
Financial help and moral support to amputees. Children, adults, veterans.

West Island Association for the Intellectually Handicapped (WIAIH)
111 Donegani, Point Claire, Quebec H9R 2W3
Tel: 514-694-7090 / Fax: 514-694-5839
Contact: Natalie Chapman
Email: info@wiaih.qc.ca
Website: www.wiaih.qc.ca
Provides support to families, enhances lives of individuals with special needs, promotes awareness in the community, and develops innovative services. Includes activities for building socialization skills and integration of the intellectually handicapped into community recreational activities.
Section 10

**CAMPS / RESPITE CARE**


**Section 10.1 Respite Care**

**Amis (Les) de l’Est**  
Tel: 514-648-0254  
Email: [lesamisdelest@qc.aira.com](mailto:lesamisdelest@qc.aira.com)  
Intellectual or physical impairment.

**Association de la Rive-Sud Pour La Déficience Intellectuelle**  
See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers

**Bartimaeus Inc. (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)**

**Butters Foundation Respite Home**  
127, rue Principal #105, Cowansville, QC, J2K 1J3  
Tel: 450-263-4123 / Fax: 450-263-3489  
Email: info@buttersfoundation.ca  
A farm in Rougemont Quebec which includes respite and ways of integrating disabled adults into the work force.

**Centre de répit Dépannage Aux Quatre Poches**  
560 ch Du Lac, Boucherville, Quebec J4B 6X3  
Tel: 450-641-1255  
Ages 3-20. Intellectual difficulties and Autism (French).

**Centre de répit Philou**  
3165 rue Jean-Brillant, Montreal Quebec, H3T 1N7  
Tel.: 514-739-4861  
Website: [www.centrehilou.org](http://www.centrehilou.org)  
Non-profit, for children up to 5 years old with physical disabilities. Welcomes stays from one day to three weeks at a time.

**Centre François-Michelle (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)**

**Centre Marcelle et Jean Coutu - Laval**  
Tel: 450-624-0980  
Email: [cmjc@integraction.org](mailto:cmjc@integraction.org)  
Website: [www.integraction.org](http://www.integraction.org)  
All types of impairments, including Autism.

**Centre Rehabilitation Marie-Enfant of the U H C Sainte-Justine (see Section 8: Rehabilitation, Adaptation, Social Integration)**
Children’s Joy (See Section 4.8: Other Recreational Therapies and Activities)
La joie des enfants

Eleanor Côté Home (West Montreal Readaptation Centre - CROM)
Tel: 514-363-3025 #3323
Email: jrophet@ssss.gouv.qc.ca
Website: http://crom-wmrc.ca/maison-repit/index.php?a=welcome
Located in Beaconsfield.

Emergo Respite Services
2300 Rene-Levesque West, Montreal, QC. H3H 2R5
Tel: 514-931-2882
Email: repit-emergo@bellnet.ca
Website: www.servicesderepitemergo.com
For people with Autism aged 4 – 77. French and English

Friendship Circle (See Section 4.8: Other Recreational Therapies and Activities)
laccompagnateur.org (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)

La Maison du Chat Botté Bellerose
See Section 10.2, Day Camps

La maison du Bois-Joli-Laurentides
Tel: 450-431-4772
Email: maisonbj@sympatico.ca
All types of impairments, including mental health problems and Tourette’s syndrome.

La maison de répit la Ressource
8351, 9th avenue, Montreal, Quebec H1Z 2Z4
Tel: 450-442-3552
Email: maisonlaressource@hotmail.com
Website: www.repitlaressource.org Non-profit managed by the parents of intellectually disabled children.

La maison Répit-Oasis (Southwest Region)
Tel: 514-768-7161
Email: mrepitoasis@qc.aira.com
Website: www.maisonrepitoasis.org (French only site) Non-profit, offers respite to intellectual disabled persons.

La Maisonnette Montreal (ATEDM)
4450 Saint Huber Street. #320, Montreal, QC H2J 2W9
Tel: 514-524-6114
Email: atedm@autisme-montreal.com

Le répit des amis !
Tel: 450-687-76390
Email: info@dysphasieplus.com Dysphasia (ages 5 to 13).
Les Répits de Gaby (See Section 2: Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD)

**Maison de Repit La Ressource**
2651 Cremazie East  
Tel: 514-919-3552  
Ages 4 – 30.

**Montreal Association for the Intellectually Handicapped (AMDI) (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)**

**Association de Montréal pour la déficience intellectuelle (AMDI)**

**Prolongement à la famille de Montreal**
2570, rue Nicolet, Bureau 300, Montreal, Quebec H1W 3L5  
Tel: 514-596-2169 / Fax: 514-523-8637  
Contact: Carroll Godin  
Email: upfm@qc.aira.com  
For adolescents 14 and up. For persons with intellectual and physical disabilities.

**Répit-Ressource de l’Est de Montreal**
Day respite (Saturdays and Sundays only)  
Tel: 514-919-3552  
Website: [www.repit-ressource.com](http://www.repit-ressource.com) (French site only)  
Intellectual impairment with or without motor impairments.

**Répit une heure pour moi** (East Montreal only)  
Tel: 514-640-6030  
Respite services provided for a few hours during the day. Children with mental health problems, Tourette’s Syndrome.

**Residence and Auberge Papillon**
Tel: 514-937-6171, extension 227 or 214  
Email: residence@enfantshandicapes.com  
Website: [www.enfantshandicapes.com](http://www.enfantshandicapes.com)  
Physical impairment and multiple disabilities.

**Service de Garde les Apprentis**
See Section 10.2: Day Camps

**Solidarité de parents de personnes handicapées**
All types of impairment  
Tel: 514-254-6067  
Email: info@spph.net  
Respite services provided for a few hours during the day.

**The Centre of Dreams and Hopes**
Tel: 514-941-1560  
Overnight respite for parents as well as therapeutic and recreational activities for children with special needs.
Section 10.2
DAY CAMPS

A Toi de Jouer (AEPDRSM)
Tel: 450-679-9310
Contact: Sophi Plaisance

Ami du Deficient Mental Inc.
See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Teacher, Caregivers.

Aqua Percept (See Section 4.2: Gym and Swim)
Malcolm-Knox Aquatic Centre
98 Douglas Shand, Pointe-Claire, Quebec H9R 2A8
Tel: 514-630-1202 / Fax: 514-630-1265

Association de la Rive-Sud Pour La Déficience Intellectuelle
See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers

Association de Montreal Pour La Deficience Intellectuelle (AMDI)
See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers

Association des sports pour aveugles de Montréal
Tel: 514-252-3178
Email: sportsaveugles.qc.ca
Website: www.sportsaveugles.qc.ca
Visual impairment (ages 14 and up).

Autism et troubles envahissants du développement Montréal (ATEDM) (See Section 2 : Specifically ASD, Asperger’s Syndrome and PDD)

BCA Cote Des Neiges Day Camp
Coronation School and Bill-Durnam Arena
Tel: 514-737-8231
Welcomes children with ASD and intellectual disabilities with or without shadow, 4-15 years, English and French.

Buds in Bloom (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

Camp Allegria (Leonardo DaVinci Center)
8350-8370 Lacordaire Blvd., St. Leonard, Quebec H1R 2Y6
Tel: 514-955-8370 or 514-955-8540
Website: www.youthandsenior.com/campallegrina.html
Bilingual day camp with talent shows and dance choreographies, arts & crafts, sports, theme days, bi-weekly outings and special guest performances. Fosters an atmosphere of caring and teamwork - one where your child's talents can shine. For children who have completed kindergarten through grade six.

Camp de Jour du Centre Communautaire de Loisir de la CDN
Tel: 514-733-1478
Website: www.ccccdn.qc.ca
Welcomes children with ASD and intellectual disabilities with or without shadow, 4-14 years.
Camp de Jour L’Espoir / Corporation L’Espoir
55 Dupra, #511, Ville Lasalle, QC H8R 4A8
Tel: 514-367-3757
Email: info@corporationespoir.org
Ages 4 and older. French.

Camp Rock-Camp-Bol
Tel: 514-524-6114
Website: atedm@autisme-montreal.com
Autism and other PDDs (ages 3 to 14 – Bergamote – and 15 to 24 Rock Camp Bol). English and French.

Campgourou
1395 boul de la Concorde West, Laval, QC. H7N 5W1
Tel: 450-662-4440
All types of impairment (children, adolescents). French.

Centre Didache – Support Organization and Day Camp
1871 Rosemont Blvd., Montreal, Quebec H2G 1S7
Tel: 514-274-9358 / Fax: 514-729-4036
Email: centredidache@avantages.net
Website: www.centredidache.com
Day camp for children aged 6 – 13 with intellectual deficiencies and Autism. A respite service with the objective of giving children the chance to participate in activities and give families respite time. French.

Children’s Joy (See Section 3.1 : Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)
La joie des enfants

Cote Saint-Luc Day Camps
Tel: 514-485-6806
Open to children with special needs aged 2 – 15 years, English and French.

Fondation Coccinelle
6630 Papineau Avenue, Montreal, QC H2G 2X2
Tel: 514-725-0009
All ages. French.

Fondation Normandclark – Horseback Riding (See Section 4.3: Horseback Riding)

Friendly Faces – YM-YWHA Snowdon
Ben Weider JCC 5400 Westbury Avenue, Montreal, QC H3W 2W8
Tel: Marcy: 514-737-6551 # 237
Email: marcy@ymywha.com
Website: www.ymywha.com/programs/view/438

Friendship Circle
4585 Bourret, Montreal, QC H3S 1X1
Tel: 514-735-2255
Email: info@friendshipcircle.ca
Inner City Summer Day Camp – Camp Cosmos
1435 City Councillors, Montreal, QC, H3A 2E4 – St. James United Church
Tel: 514-844-9128 / Fax: 514-844-0067
Welcomes all children aged 5-10 with any deficiencies. English, French and Spanish.

Kamp Kinema Junior/Senior
Westmount YMCA
4585 Sherbrooke West, Montreal, Quebec H3Z 1E9.
Tel: 514-931-8046, ext. 231 / Fax: 514-931-9219
Contact: Chris Lockheart
Day camp that includes facilities for children with various handicaps or disabilities.

L’amidu déficient mental Inc.
Tel: 514-527-7671
Contact: Lynda Bourdeau
Email: ldj.admi@hotmail.com
 Intellectual impairment and Autism (ages 7 to 77). French.

L’espoir du déficient
Tel: 514-367-3757
Website: corporation.espoir@qc.aira.com
Intellectual impairment (ages 4 to 70).

La Maison du Chat Botté Bellerose
34 Bellerose East, Laval, Quebec H7K 1S4
Tel: 450-663-0694 or 450-622-2792 or 450-663-5551
Email: lechatbotte@videotron.ca
Website: www.autisme-laval.org/html/chatbotte.htm
Lodging and activities for 3 – 17 years of age with Autism or Intellectual disabilities. English and French.

Les amis de l’Est de la déficience intellectuelle (AEDI)
12229, 15th Avenue, Montreal, QC H8R 4A8
Tel: 514-648-0254
Email: amisdelest@qc.aira.com
Intellectual impairment, reduced mobility and Autism (ages 5 to 55). French.

Loisirs soleil
7378, rue Lajeunesse, bureau 205, Montreal, Quebec H2R 2H8
Tel: 514-759-6522 / Fax: 514-278-0106
Email: loisirs.soleil@bellnet.ca
Website: www.loisirsoleil.org
Day camp and respite care for physically impaired (ages 6 to 17).

Macdonald Day Camp – Camp du Jour de L’Association des loisier du quariter Snowdon
Macdonald park chalet
Tel: 514-483-0100
Email: macdonalddaycamp@gmail.com
Website: www.macdonalddaycamp.com
Welcomes children with ASD and intellectual disabilities with or without shadow, English and French.

Montreal Fluency Centre ((See Section 3.4: Speech Therapy / Audiology Section)
Pat Roberts Centre Camp – Organized through WIAIH
16167 Gouin Blvd West, St. Geneviève, Quebec H9H 1C9
Tel: 514-696-5144 / Fax: 514-696-7651
Contact: Denise Currie
Email: pat-roberts@wiaih.qc.ca
Website: www.wiaih.qc.ca
Co-ed, ages 2-5. Adapted preschool for developmental, communication, or language delays.

Patro Le Prévost
7355 Christophe-Colom, Montreal, QC H2R 2S5
Tel: 514-273-8535
Welcomes children aged 5-17 with high functioning autism. French.

Regroupement de parents de personnes ayant une déficience intellectuelle
5927 rue Boyer, #2, Montreal, QC H2S 2H8
Tel: 514-255-3064
Email: marcellfaulkner@rppadim.com
Website: www.rppadim.com
Intellectual impairment (15 years and older, adolescents and adults). French.

Service de Garde les Apprentis
5565 8th Avenue, Montreal, QC H1Y 2A5
Tel: 514-728-4418
Welcomes children from 0 – 15 years with Autism or intellectual disabilities. French.

Super Camp at Vanier College
821 Ste-Croix, St. Laurent, Quebec H4L 3X9
Tel: 514-744-7611 / Fax: 514-744-7128.
Contact: Warren Roy
Email: supercamp@vaniercollege.qc.ca
Website: www.supercamp.ca
Ages 5-17. Integrated program. Children with mild to severe mental and physical disabilities.

Tellit-Dire (See Section 3.4: Speech Therapy / Audiology Section)

The Learning Associates (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

The Quebec Foundation for the Blind (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)
La Fondation des aveugles du Québec
Visual impairment (ages 6 to 18). Summer activities.

Viomax, Viocamp
2275 Laurier East, Montreal, QC H1H 2N8
Tel: 514-527-0979
Email: jeunesse@viomax.org
Welcomes children with or without physical limitations aged 5 – 18 years.

West Island Association for the Intellectually Handicapped Day Camp (WIAIH)
(See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)

YALDEI Developmental Centre (See Section 3.1: Counselling / Evaluation / Therapy)
Y Centre Camps:

Downtown Y Centre
1440 Stanley Street, Montreal, Quebec H3A 1P7
Tel: 514-849-8393, #777
Ages 6 – 12.

Du Parc Y Centre
5550 Du Parc Avenue, Montreal, Quebec H2V 4H1
Tel: 514-271-9622
Ages 5-11 (Explorers 12-13).

Hochelaga-Maisonneuve Y Centre
4567 Hochelaga Street, Montreal, Quebec H1V 1C8
Tel: 514-255-4651
Ages 6-12.

NDG Y Centre
4335 Hampton Ave, NDG, Quebec H4A 2L3
Tel: 514-486-7315, #227
Email: charles.daniel@yquebec.org
Ages 6-14 (Preschool day camp 2-5 years).

Pointe Saint-Charles Y Centre
255 Ash, Montreal, Quebec H3K 2R1
Tel: 514-935-4711
Ages 5 and up provided completed Kindergarten.

St-Laurent
Tel: 514-747-9801
Ages 4 – 12

West Island
Tel: 514-630-9864 #265

Westmount
Tel: 514-931-8046

Website: www.yquebec.org
Integrates children with special needs from Autism to physical disabilities. Need and eligibility for a shadow determined according to specific criteria.
Section 10.3
Specialized Vacation Camps / Residential Camps (in part from OPHQ list)

Association de Montreal Pour La Deficience Intellectuelle (AMDI)
See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers

Base de plein air Perce-Neige (respite offered)
Camp Plein Air pour Handicapés du Québec (C.C.P.A.H.Q.)
4610, route principale, Wentworth North, Quebec J0T 1Y0
Tel: 450-226-3336 / Fax: 450-226-5936
Contact: Sandy Duncan
Website: www.perceneige.ca
Non-profit. Offers respite programs and group programs for adults and children with intellectual or physical impairment, multiple disabilities.

B’nai Brith Camp
1 Carre Cummings Square, Suite 232, Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6
Tel: 514-735-3669 / Fax: 514-735-8197
Contact: Lorna Burack
Email: lorna.burack@cbbmtl.org
Website: www.cbbmtl.org
Summer sleep-away camp for children with special needs (with an emphasis on Jewish heritage).

Camp Canawish
132 ch. de la Cinquième-Grève E., Rivière-Ouelle, Quebec G0L 2C0
Tel: 418-856-3674 / Fax: 418-856-3674
For intellectually handicapped and individuals with learning disabilities.

Camp Cité Joie (respite offered)
Capitale-Nationale - Lac-Beauport
28, chemin des Cascades, Lac-Beauport, Quebec G3B 0C4
Tel: 418-849-7183
Website: www.citejoie.com
For children and adults with a variety of handicaps and disabilities. Including intellectual or physical impairment.

Camp d'été de l'Association québécoise du syndrome Gilles de la Tourette – Accès Plein-Air
(Association québécoise du syndrome de la Tourette)
7070 boul. Perras, Montreal, Quebec H1E 1A4
Tel: 514-328-3910
Website: www.aqst.com
For children and adolescents.

Camp Garagona
23 Garagona Road, Frelighsburg, Quebec J0J 1C0
Tel: 450-298-5159 / 514-931-2882 (José Filion) / Fax: 450-298-5554
Email: campgaragona@citenet.net
Website: www.campgaragona.qc.ca
Offers vacation time to people with mild to moderate intellectual disabilities. Adults and children. Plastic arts, theatre and music are an integral part of programming, along with swimming, walking trails, etc.
Camp Gatineau Outaouais (respite offered)
7 Dumas Street, Gatineau, Quebec J8Y 2M4
Tel: 819-777-6164 / Fax: 819-770-7944
Email: info@campgatineau.com
Website: www.campgatineau.com
Offers the intellectually and physically impaired 7 and older leisure and outdoor services focused on play, vacation and respect of individual integral development. Summer and winter.

Camp Kennebec
1422 Cox Road, Arden, Ontario, K0H 1B0 – Four hour drive West of Montreal.
Tel: 613-335-2114 / Fax: 613-335-2988
Contact: Donna Segal
Email: info@campkennebec.com
Website: www.campkennebec.com
Making kids happy since 1967! Welcomes campers with a range of exceptionalities including Autism, Asperger's, ADD, ADHD, Tourette's Syndrome, learning, social and behavioural difficulties and many others. Through their clinical psychologists, ABA & behavioural therapist, registered nurse, social workers and teachers they offer a uniquely designed and structured program for each camper. Our 2:1 camper to staff ratio means that campers receive the individual attention they require.

Camp Massawippi
3161 Round Bay Road, Ayer’s Cliff, Quebec J0B 1C0
Tel: 1-866-838-4707 or 819-838-4707 / Fax: 819-838-1171
For children with motor, language and hearing impairments, with a strong, committed Foundation that contributes generously to the Centre.

Camp Normand Leveillé
950 Hemming Road, Drummondville, Quebec J2B 6W3
Tel: 819-478-1201
For individuals 6 years old and up with all types of disabilities.

CAMP « O » CARREFOUR (respite offered)
1503, Chemin Royal, St-Pierre, Île d’Orléans, Quebec G0A 4E0
Tel: 418-828-1151 / Fax: 418-828-2014
Email: campocarrefour@videotron.ca
Website: www.patro.roc-amadour.qc.ca/carrefour/
For children with a variety of disabilities. Camp and respite.

Camp Papillon
Camp address: 210 Papillon Avenue Saint Alphonse Rodriguez, Quebec H0K 1W0
City address: 2300 Rene Levesque Blvd West, Montreal, Quebec H3H 2R5
Tel: 514-937-6171
Contact: Sylvianne Renaud
Email: camp@enfantshandicapes.com
Website: www.enfantshandicapes.com
For children with physical impairment and multiple disabilities. Offers these youngsters living with a disability the opportunity to intensively enjoy life in the great outdoors.

Les Bosquets Albert Hudon
Tel: 514-937-6171 or 450-467-3918
Email: sehq@enfantshandicapes.com
Camp Papillon’s ‘little sister’. Located in Otterburn Park, Quebec. For children and adults with intellectual disabilities, Autism, PDD.
Donald Berman Yaldei Summer Camp (Laurentians, Quebec)
Tel: 514-279-3666 ext. 1 / Fax: 514-278-3666
Email: camp@yaldei.org
Website: www.yaldei.org/summerCamp.asp
Jewish camp where children with developmental disabilities thrive. With a one-to-one ratio of camper to counsellor, the staff works hard to ensure that the children experience nothing but fun and laughter – all the while learning the daily living skills so crucial to their growth and development. Swimming, water sports, boating, arts and crafts, drama, baking, music hiking and nature trails, horseback riding, and computers – not to mention special events and evening programs.

Centre Notre-Dame-De-Fatima (respite offered)
Montérégie
Tel: 514-453-7600
Website: www.centrendfatima.com
Hearing impairment with or without associated impairments.

Centre plein air du lac Flavrian
100, chemin Docteur-Lemay, Case postale 1055, Rouyn-Noranda, Quebec J9X 5C8
Tel: 819-762-6592 / Fax: 819-762-2049
Email: info@cpalf.com
Website: www.cpalf.com
For people with physical, psychological and intellectual disabilities.

Centre plein air Grand Village (respite offered)
2434 Chemin Marie-Victorin, St. Nicolas, Quebec G7A 4H7
Tel: 418-831-1677 / Fax: 418-831-6561
Email: info@grand-village.com
Website: www.grand-village.com
Intellectual or physical impairment, multiple disabilities.

Emergo Respite Services
Camp Mariste, Rawdon
Tel: 450-834-6383
Email: admin@campmariste.qc.ca
See this section: Respite Services
For children aged 5 – 16 with Autism, intellectual disabilities. French.

Heartfit Respite
Website: www.heartfitrespite.com
A unique summer holiday on a working farm. Guests with intellectual disabilities from 14-50 years old can play farmer for a week.

L’Amitient, Rousseau inc.
585 Sainte-Catherine Street West, Montreal, Quebec H3B 3Y5
Tel: Head office 514-284-8686
Email: amitient@bellnet.ca
Website: www.amitient.org
or
L’Amitient, Luc Bergeron
8865, rue Léonard, Mont-Tremblant, Quebec J8E 2A5
Tel: 819-425-9574
For people 12 and over living with intellectual handicaps which are often associated with behavioural disorders.

La Colonie Les Bosquets Montérégie
Tel: 450-467-3918
Intellectual impairment and multiple disabilities.

The Quebec Foundation for the Blind (See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)
Fondation des aveugles du Québec
Visual impairment (ages 6-18).

For more information on mainstream vacation camps or recreational services that accept disabled children or adults, please contact AlterGo at:

Tel: 514-933-2739
Email: info@altergo.net
Website: www.altergo.net
Section 11

PHYSICAL AID RESOURCES

Ablesee (Beaujoie)
Saint-Bruno, Quebec J3V 1J9
Tel: 450-461-2227 / Fax: 450-461-3081
Email: info@beaujoie.com
Creates and produces overlays for computer keyboards and other equipment. Large print overlays are suitable for children and adults who are visually impaired but not blind.

Adaptatech
780, Chemin Ruisseau, St-Jean Nord, St-Roch Ouest, Quebec J0K 3H0
Tel: 450-588-5947 / 1-977-587-5947 / Fax: 450-588-7928
Email: contact@adaptatech.qc.ca
Website: www.adaptatech.qc.ca
Quebec based vendor of adapted products and services for health professionals, health centres or end consumers looking for ways to improve autonomy for those with special needs.

Discovery Toys
Their goal is to deliver a rich personal experience to children with autism and special needs.
Website: www.discoverytoys.com
Tel: 1-800-341-8697

Dragonfly Toys
Website: www.dragonflytoys.com
Sells toys and technology for children with disabilities.

Easy Access Clothing
Tel: 1-800-775-5536
Website: www.easyaccessclothing.com
Online store with practical, functional clothing and products for disable children and adults.

FDTM
2211, de la Métropole, Longueuil, Quebec J4G 1S5
Tel: 450-321-5500 or 1-866-465-0559 / Fax: 450-321-5503
Website: www.fdmt.ca/catalogue/
Specializes in sensory-motor, oral-motor and tools to support development, adapted equipment (weighted blankets, weighted animals...) and products (Visual Timers, Pencil Grips...) used to promote sensory integration and facilitate the learning of children with special needs such as: Autism, PDD, Asperger’s Syndrome, ADHD and ADD, Dyspraxia, Dysphagia, etc.
HumanWare Canada
445, rue du Parc Industriel, Longueuil, Quebec J4H 3V7
Tel: 450 463 1717 or 1 888 723-7273 / Fax: 450 463 0120
Email: ca.info@humanware.com
Website: www.humanware.com
Focused on enhancing the lives of people with visual and learning disabilities, HumanWare provides intuitive, intelligent products that enable their customers to participate effectively in today's information intensive and highly mobile society.

J.E. Hanger Ltd.
Head Office: 5545 West St. Jacques, Quebec H4A 2E3
See website for various branch addresses. Tel: 514-489-8061
Website: www.jehanger.ca
Offers a variety of services which include manufacturing of orthotic and prosthetic devices and daily on the premises orthopedic doctors clinics with physiotherapy services available.

Koolway Sports
8 Parnell Crescent, Whitby, Ontario, L1R 2L4
Tel: 905-493-3188
Email: jennifer@koolwaysports.com
Website: http://koolwaysports.com
Custom designed coats, outerwear and blankets for individuals confined to wheelchairs, innovative custom clothing for all clients. This Canadian company uses materials made in Montreal and tailor each piece to your size and preferred color. Features include zippered shoulder strap openings and side zippers, boots and hoods.

Mira Foundation
1820, Rang Nord-Ouest, Sainte-Madeleine, Quebec J0H 1S0
Tel: 450-795-3725 / Fax: 450-795-3789
Email: info@mira.ca
Website: www.mira.ca/en/
Provides dogs that have been fully trained to accommodate each visually impaired individual’s needs of adaptation and rehabilitation.

Portable Wheelchair Ramps
Tel: 514-585-031 / 1-866-416-1024
Contact: Martin Decelles
Email: Martin.Decelles@PortableWheelchairRamps.ca
Website: www.portablewheelchairramps.ca
Specializing in portable wheelchair ramps of all shapes and sizes. Ships across Canada

Slawner LTEE
5713 Cote Des Neiges, Montreal, Quebec H35 1Y7
Tel: 514-731-3378 / Fax: 514-731-4571
Website: www.slawner.com
Email: slawners@slawner.com
Full-service provider of mobility aides—guide you through the process of choosing a superior mobility product.
TFH Special Needs Toys Canada Inc.
16-1750 Plummer Street, Pickering, Ontario, L1W 3L7
Tel: 877-509-7524 / Fax: 905-492-9211
Website: www.specialneedstoys.com
Email: info@specialneedstoys.ca
Special needs toys from mobile multi-sensory to swings, trampolines and other sensory integration kits, switches, rewards and small sensory toys.

The Toys “R” Us Toy Guide for Differently-Abled Kids
Email: DifferentlyAbled@toysrus.com
Website: http://www.toysrus.com/shop/index.jsp?categoryId=3261681
A complimentary resource speaks to a child's individual needs and offers qualified toy recommendations based on research from the National Lekotek Center, a nonprofit organization that evaluates all of the toys featured in the Guide.

Wil+Aide Medical
318 St. Jacques, Lachine, Quebec H8R 1E2
Tel: 514-363-0856
Sales, rentals, repairs of scooters, wheelchairs, medical, hospital equipment and supplies.
Section 12

OTHER PROGRAMS AND SUBSIDIES

Section 12.1
INCOME and FINANCIAL ADVICE

Assante Capital Management Ltd.
Nathan Leibowitz, Investment Advisor
8301 route Transcanadienne, Saint-Laurent, Quebec, H4S 1Z1
Tel: 514-832-5144
Email: nleibowitz@assante.com
Website: www.assante.com/advisors/nleibowitz/home.htm

Nathan Leibowitz hosts workshops and seminars, addressing the financial and legal considerations for disabled individuals. Consults with special needs families regarding their finances. Services and products may be provided by an Assante Advisor or through affiliated or non-affiliated third parties. Assante Capital Management Ltd. is registered with IIROC and is a member of the Canadian Investor Protection Fund.

The following information is courtesy of the Office des Personnes Handicappée du Quebec website:
www.ophq.gouv.qc.ca
(See Section 9: Resources for Parents, Caregivers and Teachers)

Child Assistance Measures

Families with dependent children under 18 may be eligible for the child assistance payment, the amount of which varies depending on the family’s income and circumstances.

Contact: Le Régie des rentes du Québec.
Tel: 514-864-3873
Website: www.rrq.gouv.qc.ca

Allowance for Handicapped Children

Regardless of their income, families with a disabled child can apply for the allowance for handicapped children. All families receive the same amount.
Contact the Régie des rentes du Québec.
Tel: 514-864-3873
Website: www.rrq.gouv.qc.ca

Child Disability Benefit (CDB)

The Child Disability Benefit (CDB) is a tax-free benefit, paid by the government of Canada, to low- or middle-income families who care for a child under age 18 with a severe and prolonged impairment in mental or physical functions.

The CDB is added to the monthly Canada Child Tax Benefit payment. For more information contact the Canada Revenue Agency.
Tel: 1-800-387-1194 / Website. www.cra-arc.gc.ca/benefits/cctb/menu-e.html
**Social Assistance and Social Solidarity Programs**

Once your child turns 18, you are no longer entitled to the family allowance. However, he or she may be eligible for benefits under the Employment-Assistance Program. Contact your local employment centre (CLE) for more information.
Website: [www.mess.gouv.qc.ca](http://www.mess.gouv.qc.ca)

**Tax Deductions**

You may be entitled to provincial and/or federal tax deductions for disabled children or dependants. Forms and information brochures can be obtained by contacting:

Consult the following for more information:

**Revenue Quebec**
Taxation and Persons with Disabilities (IN-133-V)
Tel: 514-864-6299
Website: [www.revenu.gouv.qc.ca](http://www.revenu.gouv.qc.ca)

**Canada Revenue Agency**
Information Concerning People with Disabilities (RC4064)
Tel: 1-800-959-3376
Website: [www.cra-arc.gc.ca/tax/individuals/segments/disabilities/menu-e.html](http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/tax/individuals/segments/disabilities/menu-e.html)
Information regarding Disability Tax Credit.
Section 12.2
PHYSICAL HEALTH

Equipment and Supplies

You may be entitled to a subsidy for special equipment and medical supplies (to cover, for example, the cost of diapers for children over three years of age). You must apply for this subsidy to your CSSS (CLSC) or to your local employment centre if you or your child receive benefits under the Social Assistance and Social Solidarity Programs.

Specialized Dental Services

If your child cannot be treated by your regular dentist, accessible, specialized dental care is available from:

SOS dentiste
Tel: 514-990-0911 (home service)
Tel: 514-721-6006 (clinical service)

Centre de réadaptation Marie-Enfant
Tel: 514-374-1710, #8037

Hôpital Sainte-Justine
Tel: 514-345-7757

Two universities also offer dental care to persons with disabilities. To make an appointment for the summer, you must call in the spring.

McGill University
Tel: 514-934-8441

Université de Montréal
Tel: 514-343-6750
Section 12.3  
LIVING ENVIRONMENT

Home Support Program

You may obtain home support services or a home support subsidy if your child requires physical assistance (for example, bathing a child who has become too heavy to lift up). Contact your local CSSS (CLSC).

Residential Adaptation Assistance Program

You may be entitled to a subsidy to adapt your home (house or apartment) in order to make it barrier-free for your child. You may require a wheelchair ramp, wider doors, or an adapted bathroom. For more information on this program and the forms to fill out, there are various contacts. If you live in one of the boroughs of the city of Montréal, contact the program management department at:
Tel: 514-872-3326

If you live in another municipality on the Island of Montréal, contact your municipal authorities. You can also obtain information from the Société d’habitation du Québec at:
Tel: toll free 1-800-463-4315
Website: [www.habitation.gouv.qc.ca](http://www.habitation.gouv.qc.ca)

Stérvivi Ecological Vapor Systems

Tel: 514-551-1021
Contact: Sylvie Ghanimé
Email: stervivi.qc@gmail.com
Services industrial, commercial and residential with applications.
Section 13

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation Expenses

You may claim expenses for transportation, parking and accommodation if you are required to travel, frequently and on a regular basis, in order for your child to receive medical treatment (for example, dialysis) or rehabilitation services. Contact your local CSSS (CLSC).

In addition, if you or your child receive benefits under the Social Assistance and Social Solidarity Programs, you may be entitled to a refund of a portion of the travel expenses you incur for medical reasons. Contact your local employment centre.

Paratransit Services

If your child does not use the regular public transit system, he or she may have access to the paratransit service of the Société de transport de Montréal (STM).

For more information, contact the customer service department at:
Tel: 514-280-8211
Email: transport.adapte@stm.info
Website: www.stm.info

Regular Transportation Services

Furthermore, if your child has a visual or intellectual impairment, he or she is entitled to the STM attendant card, which gives the person accompanying him or her free bus and metro access.

Application forms are available from your CSSS (CLSC) or from the rehabilitation centre your child attends. For more information on the attendant card, please contact the customer service department of the Société de transport de Montréal at:
Tel: 514-280-8211
Or applications are available at the following centres:
Centre de réadaptation de l'Ouest de Montréal: 514-761-5571
Centre de réadaptation Gabrielle-Major: 514-259-3199
Centre de réadaptation Lisette-Dupras: 514-364-2280
Centre Miriam: 514-345-0210
Institut Nazareth et Louis-Braille: 450-463-1710
Montreal Association for the Blind: 514-489-8201
Services de réadaptation l'Integrale 514-327-9933
CSSS
For further information:
Centre Transport Adapté - Société de transport de Montréal (STM)
3111 Jarry Street East, Montreal, Quebec H2C 2C2
Tel: 514-280-8211 / Fax: 514-280-5396
Contact: Mrs. Nevine Tadros
Email: transport.adapte@stm.info
Website: www.stm.info
Transportation services for people unable to use the Metro or regular bus service and eligible for special transportation services. Fees, information, comments, complaints.

Office des personnes handicapées du Québec (OPHQ)
700 Montreal, Quebec H2Z 1W7
Tel: 514-873-3905 or 1-888-873-3905 or 1-800-567-1465 / Fax: 514-873-4299
Email: dicro@ophq.gouv.qc.ca
Website: www.ophq.gouv.qc.ca

Regroupement des usagers du transport adapté (RUTA)
3800 Radisson Street, Montreal, Quebec H1M 1X6
Tel: 514-255-0765
Contact: Mrs. Mathild Le Boedec
Email: rutamtl@biz.videotron.ca
Website: www.rutamtl.com
Works to improve the transportation service of the STM, looks after complaints from users and gives information that could not be obtained from the STM. For disabled persons using adapted transport services.

Attendant Card for Inter-city Transport

An attendant card for inter-city bus transport is also offered to all disabled persons ages eight and over who require the services of a personal attendant when traveling between cities. This card allows the attendant, who must be at least 14 years of age, to travel free of charge. For more information or to fill out an application form, please contact the Association des propriétaires d’autobus du Québec at:
Tel: 418-522-7131
Website: www.apaq.qc.ca

Parking Permits

If your child has trouble moving around, a special parking permit allows you to park in spaces reserved for persons with disabilities. To obtain this permit, please contact the Société de l’assurance automobile du Québec at:
Tel: 514-873-7620
Website: www.saaq.gouv.qc.ca

Vehicle Adaptation Program

You may be entitled to financial assistance to help you adapt your family vehicle so that your child can get in and out safely and easily. Please contact the Société de l’assurance automobile du Québec at:
Tel: toll free 1-800-525-7719
Website: www.saaq.gouv.qc.ca
Aidbus 2000
27 Avenue Milton, Lachine, Quebec H8R 1K6
Tel: 514-955-5500
24 hours advance booking recommended.

Le Bon Pilote
5222 Berri Street, Suite 100, Montreal, Quebec H2J 2S4
Tel: 514-593-5454 / Fax: 514-277-8961
Medical transportation services for blind and visually impaired persons.

Taxi Para-Adapté
Tel: 514-821-3355 / Fax: 514-939-4160
Email: yungcuong@sympatico.ca
24 hours/day, 7 days/week on the island of Montreal. Accessible taxi. 24 hours advance booking recommended.