

Resources for Stroke Survivors & Families

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Speech/Aphasia Software

-Bungalow Software – Speech and Language Software designed and tested by speech therapists. Computer based for word retrieval, articulation, reading comprehension, memory, logic and reasoning, aphasia, apraxia, cognitive deficits, dysarthria, and more. Go to www.bungalowsoftware.com or call 540-951-0623 for more information. There is an online version.

-Tactus Therapy Solutions-has a list of apps-<http://tactustherapy.com/adultapplist.pdf>

Stroke Associations Offering Support & Information

-American Stroke Association has information about stroke, as well as resources for the survivor and caregiver. www.strokeassociation.org

-National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke has many useful links to other stroke resources and information <http://www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/stroke/stroke.htm>

-National Aphasia Association The National Aphasia Association (NAA) is a nonprofit organization that promotes public education, research, rehabilitation, and support services to assist people with aphasia and their families. www.aphasia.org

Newsletters, Magazines, Etc...

-StrokeNetwork.org has online stroke support and information resources

-Neurology Now Magazine provided by American Academy of Neurology is available free of charge to individuals with a neurologic disorder, their caregivers, and family members/friends residing in the U.S. only. Subscribe online at <http://journals.lww.com/neurologynow/Pages/subscriptionservices.aspx> or by calling 800-879-1960

-Facebook Support Groups: Stroke Talk for Facebook, Young Stroke Survivors, The Stroke Coffee House, Stroke Caregivers, Stroke Caregiving “Wives Only”, and many more

Adaptive Equipment and Home Solutions

-Able Rec – Adaptive Recreation Equipment for the Physically Challenged. Exercise equipment, adaptive chairs, recreational equipment for sewing, gardening, hobbies, typing, and transportation. phone number is 800-634-4351 <https://ablerec.com>

-Bioness has products that use Functional Electrical Stimulation to help people with foot drop and hand paralysis regain mobility and independence to improve quality of life and productivity. www.bioness.com, phone number is 800-211-9136 option 2

-Dr. Leonard's –Healthcare items, socks, shoes, clothing, creams, etc. www.drleonards.com, phone number is 800-785-0880

-Dynamic Living –Gizmos, gadgets, tools, medical supplies for the home www.dynamic-living.com, phone number is 888-940-0605

-Fresh Finds has affordable kitchen & home solutions www.freshfinds.com, phone number is 800-230-3877

-Improvements has solutions for around the house, cleaning, storage, and kitchen. www.improvementscatalog.com, phone number is 800-245-2217

-Make Life Easier has handy gadgets and tools www.make-life-easier.com phone number is 800-522-0227

-Patterson Medical Enrichments has adaptive equipment to help with all aspects of daily life www.pattersonmedical.com phone number is 866-402-8720

-Stroke Rehab is a site with adaptive equipment and a wealth of information for the survivor and caregiver about rehab, treatment, and recovery www.stroke-rehab.com, this is an online resource

-StrokeEngine has a wealth of information about all topics stroke related www.strokeengine.ca

-The Mobility Resource is a place for handicapped vans and equipment. www.themobilityresource.com, phone number is 866-771-7770

-The Wright Stuff has mobility and daily living aids www.thewright-stuff.com phone number is 877-750-0376

-Whatever Works has a variety of helpful everyday products www.whateverworks.com phone number is 800-499-6757