**ADVOCACY CAMPAIGNS & RESOURCES DURING COVID-19**

**ADVOCACY CAMPAIGNS**

ARCH Advocacy Toolkit – Advocating for Your Support Person, Attendant or Communication Assistant to Be with You in Hospital During the COVID-19 Pandemic

<http://archdisabilitylaw.ca/resource/advocating-for-your-support-person-or-attendant-to-be-with-you-in-hospital-during-the-covid-19-pandemic/>

ARCH Bulletin on COVID-19: Ontario Health’s Clinical Triage Protocol for Major Surge in COVID Pandemic

<http://archdisabilitylaw.ca/resource/arch-bulletin-on-covid-19-ontario-health-clinical-triage-protocol/>

AODA Alliance Campaign and Issues

<https://www.aoda.ca/pressing-need-for-the-ford-government-to-ensure-that-hospital-patients-with-communication-disabilities-face-no-barriers-to-using-technology-that-lets-them-effectively-communicate/>

Autistics for Autistics Ontario (A4A) Petition Protect Patient Rights to AAC in Canadian Hospitals! <https://www.change.org/p/public-health-agency-of-canada-create-protocols-for-aac-access-in-hospitals?recruited_by_id=fcf4a080-bf47-012f-59a7-4040f855b16c>

Basic Income Petition, initiated by Chris Alemany from Port Alberni, British Columbia, will be tabled by Gord Johns, MP, Courtenay—Alberni, New Democratic Party Caucus, British Columbia. The closing date for signatures is June, 06, 2020

<https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Details?Petition=e-2577>

Disability Justice Network of Ontario’s Petition regarding ADP

<https://www.djno.ca/post/petition-to-reform-the-assistive-devices-program-in-ontario>

Family Alliance Ontario’s Open Letter to all levels of government to amend "essential visitor" policy to include essential support person(s) in Ontario <https://family-alliance.com/equitable-access/>

Include Me (Canadian cross disability committee) provides Information, Rights & Advocacy, Open Letters

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<https://www.include-me.ca/covid-19/action/provide-financial-aid-people-disabilities-now>

<https://www.include-me.ca/covid-19>

**ADVOCACY RESOURCES**

ARCH ‘s COVID-19 and Disability: Recommendations to the Canadian Government from Disability Related Organizations in Canada – March 24, 2020

<https://archdisabilitylaw.ca/covid-19-and-disability-recommendations-to-the-canadian-government-from-disability-related-organizations-in-canada-march-24-2020/>

ARCH’s COVID-19 Related Resources and Updates

<https://archdisabilitylaw.ca/covid/>

ARCH Factsheet – The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) and the Optional Protocol

<https://archdisabilitylaw.ca/resource/factsheet-the-crpd-and-the-optional-protocol/>

Autistics for Autistics Ontario (A4A) Resources

<https://a4aontario.com/>

Canadian Association for Community Living (CACL): Disability-Related Resources for Families

<https://cacl.ca/coviddisability/>

Centre for Independent Living Toronto - Information and Resources List related to COVID-19 <https://www.cilt.ca/cilt-resources/information-and-resources-list-related-to-covid-19>

Citizens with Disabilities Ontario (CWDO) Webinars and Resources COVID-19 -Information for People with Disabilities on the Coronavirus-19 <http://www.cwdo.org/node/640>

Centre for Equality Rights in Accommodation (CERA) COVID-19 Resources <https://www.equalityrights.org/covid19>

CareMongering-TO: TO Community Response to COVID-19

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/TO.Community.Response.COVID19/>

My COVID Disability: Canada’s New Q&A Hub for Canadians with Disabilities — CHILD-BRIGHT Network <https://www.child-bright.ca/new-blog/2020/5/11/mycovidq>

COVID-19 Deaf and Disability Community Resources (Toronto Area)

<https://torontopubliclibrary.typepad.com/health-and-wellness/covid-19-deaf-and-disability-community-resources.html>

Demanding Disability Rights Amid COVID-19. The Agenda with Steve Paiken <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KmMlTrNbud8&feature=youtu.be>

Disability Justice Network of Ontario’s COVID-19 Resources Financial Supports & Other Essential Services

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_42FL_qg2-orYmiiOK6RY9O0TXM6GbNOXPnoZsRD5HY/edit>

Disability Justice & COVID-19 Webinar

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc815L0t7jk4sx1knQqc7N2CXyg1X6uLqmfK1e3Ba1qmoGk_A/closedform>

Disability Rights Monitor COVID-19

<https://www.covid-drm.org/>

Ontario Disability Support Program COVID-19 key information

<https://www.mcss.gov.on.ca/en/mcss/programs/social/odsp/odsp-covid-fact-sheets.aspx>

Steps to Justice income assistance during COVID-19

<https://stepstojustice.ca/legal-topic/income-assistance/covid-19>