

ABOUT US

DISABILITY RIGHTS OREGON (DRO)

promotes OPPORTUNITY, ACCESS & CHOICE for individuals with disabilities.

We seek a society in which all people are:

WE SERVE OREGONIANS WITH ANY TYPE OF DISABILITY.

Safe from abuse, neglect, exploitation, discrimination and isolation

Treated with respect and dignity

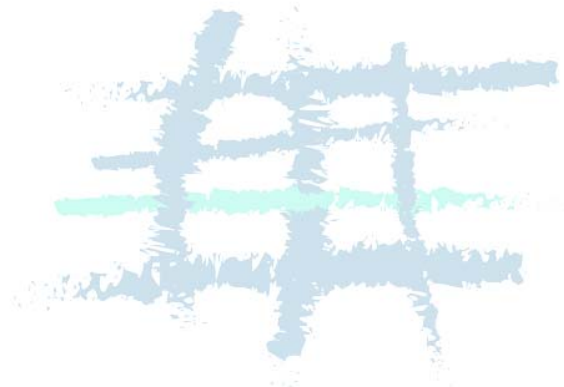
Provided age-appropriate services that promote lifelong learning, growth and development

Free to exercise self-determination in daily routines and major life events

ABOUT 17% OF OREGONIANS HAVE A DISABILITY AS DEFINED BY LAW.

Fully integrated in their communities, with ample opportunity for leadership and professional development

Independent and self-sufficient, with access to quality services and supports



WHAT WE DO

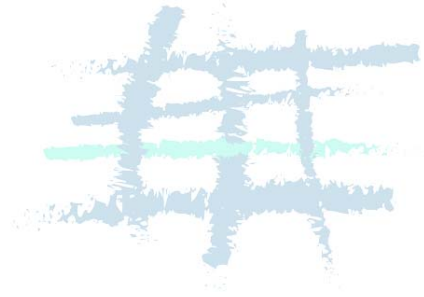
ADDRESS legal problems directly related to individuals' disabilities

PROMOTE public policies that improve the lives of people with disabilities

MONITOR conditions in public and private facilities

OUR ISSUES:

- ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY
- BENEFITS
- COMMUNITY ACCESS & INCLUSION
- EDUCATION
- EMPLOYMENT
- GUARDIANSHIP
- HEALTH CARE
- HOUSING
- PLANNING FOR WORK
- SAFETY IN CARE FACILITIES
- VOTING ACCESS



OUR SERVICES:

- BENEFITS PLANNING
- COMMUNITY EDUCATION & OUTREACH
- INFORMATION & REFERRALS
- INDIVIDUAL REPRESENTATION
- INVESTIGATION OF ABUSE & NEGLECT CLAIMS
- TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE WITH DISABILITY LAW

ELIGIBILITY

Anyone may call Disability Rights Oregon for information.

Direct representation is available to Oregonians whose legal issue is directly related to their disability.

Available resources may affect the kind of assistance we are able to provide.

DONATIONS

Disability Rights Oregon is a Section 501(c)(3) nonprofit. Contributions to support our work are tax-deductible.

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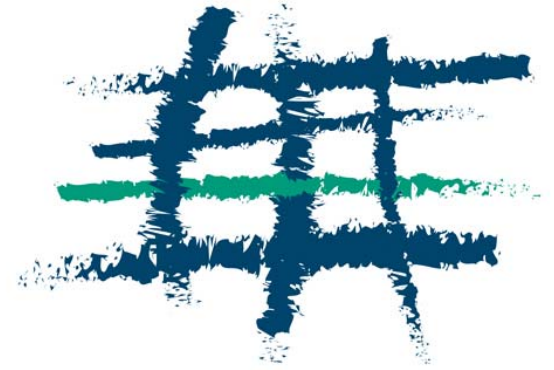
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