

Registered Charity no. 1085491

Local office:

01992 586969 – Hertford



contact@carersinherts.org.uk

Factsheet LD2 –

Information for Carers of Adults with Learning Disabilities – Website addresses for specific conditions

There are many resources available on the internet giving detailed information on conditions and issues that may be of concern to a carer of an adult with learning disabilities. Rather than trying to reproduce this information, this is a summary of some of the more useful websites that are a good place to start any research on specific subjects. If you do not have access to the internet, or if you would prefer us to print off the information for you, please contact Carers in Hertfordshire, and we will be very pleased to help.

www.autism.org.uk Telephone: 0808 800 4104

National Autistic Society - the leading UK charity for people with autism (including Asperger syndrome).

www.harc-online.org.uk Telephone: 07836 667394

harc is the Hertfordshire branch of the National Autistic Society (NAS) based in Hatfield, Hertfordshire.

www.aspergerfoundation.org.uk No Telephone

Asperger's Syndrome Foundation

EPILEPSY is one of the most common conditions affecting the brain. It is not a learning disability but 30% of people with a learning disability also have epilepsy.

www.epilepsy.org.uk Telephone: 0808 800 5050

Epilepsy Action is the largest member-led epilepsy organisation in Britain, acting as the voice for the UK's estimated 456,000 people with epilepsy.

www.epilepsysociety.org.uk Telephone: 01494 601 400

The Epilepsy Society is the leading national epilepsy medical charity working for everyone affected by epilepsy.

www.carersinherts.org.uk

*The information contained on this sheet is correct at the time of issue.
Carers in Hertfordshire takes no responsibility for any inaccuracy in facts supplied to them*

January 2012

www.scope.org.uk Telephone: 0808 800 3333

Cerebral palsy is not a learning disability, but many people with cerebral palsy also have a learning disability

www.downs-syndrome.org.uk Telephone: 0845 230 0372

Help for people with Down's Syndrome.

www.sense.org.uk Telephone: 0845 127 0060 / 020 7520 0999

For people born deafblind with additional learning disabilities.

www.fragilex.org.uk Telephone: 01371 875100

The Fragile X Society

www.angelmanuk.org Telephone: 0300 999 01 02

Angelman Syndrome Support Education and Research Trust

www.adhd.org.uk No Telephone

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

www.carersinherts.org.uk

*The information contained on this sheet is correct at the time of issue.
Carers in Hertfordshire takes no responsibility for any inaccuracy in facts supplied to them.*

January 2012