

Your input is crucial

The DLC needs to prioritize its work because requests for assistance exceed our resources.

The DLC establishes its advocacy goals with input from citizens with disabilities, advocacy groups, advisory councils and our Board of Trustees. Preference is given to issues that have the potential to create the greatest change for the largest number of people with disabilities. Please let us know:

- What issues you think the DLC should be addressing
- How DLC services can be improved
- Trends in the community affecting people with disabilities
- Suggestions for new public policy



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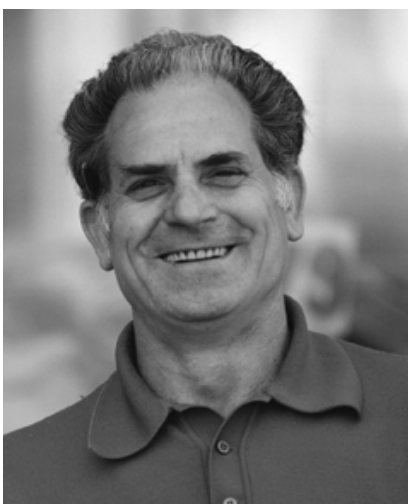
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and speak confidentially with
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What is the Disability Law Center?

We are a private, non-profit organization designated by the Governor to protect the rights of people with disabilities in Utah. The Disability Law Center (DLC) is part of the national Protection and Advocacy system.

Our mission

The mission of the Disability Law Center is to enforce and strengthen laws that protect the opportunities, choices and legal rights of people with disabilities in Utah.



Our vision

We envision a just society where all people are treated with equity, dignity and respect.

Our services

- Information and referrals
- Investigation and monitoring of abuse and neglect in institutions
- Mediation and negotiation
- Presentations and outreach
- Legal advocacy
- Self-advocacy information, support and training on disability laws and related rights
- Legislative and public policy advocacy

Our goals

We focus on four long-range goals:

- People with disabilities will be free from abuse and neglect
- People with disabilities will receive appropriate services
- People with disabilities will be free from discrimination
- People with disabilities will have equal employment opportunities

Priority issues

- Decrease the abuse and neglect of people with disabilities
- Ensure that programs and facilities are accessible
- Protect the rights of individuals with disabilities under state and federal law
- Help people receive assistive technology devices and services
- Ensure appropriate vocational rehabilitation and independent living services
- Ensure that children and young adults with disabilities receive appropriate educational services
- Increase opportunities for people with disabilities to live in the community
- Decrease systemic barriers to employment for people with disabilities

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