

# Mississippi Partnerships for Employment Resources

## National Disability Employment Awareness Month - October 2013

### Disability Employment Awareness Month - "Because we are EQUAL to the task"

U.S. Department of Labor  
[www.dol.gov/odep/topics/ndeam](http://www.dol.gov/odep/topics/ndeam)

U.S. Department of Labor, Disability Employment Policy Resource by Topic  
[www.dol.gov/odep](http://www.dol.gov/odep)

Library of Congress, About NDEAM  
[www.loc.gov/disabilityawareness/about/](http://www.loc.gov/disabilityawareness/about/)

### Mississippi Resources

Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services  
[www.mdrs.ms.gov](http://www.mdrs.ms.gov)

Mississippi Department of Employment Security Employer and job seeking resources  
<http://mdes.ms.gov/>

WIN Job Centers  
[www.wininmississippi.org](http://www.wininmississippi.org)

Mississippi Industries for the Blind  
[www.msblind.org](http://www.msblind.org)

Goodwill Industries of Mississippi  
[www.goodwillms.org](http://www.goodwillms.org)

Disability Quick Links - Local and State Resources  
[www.ms.gov/content/Pages/Disabilities.aspx](http://www.ms.gov/content/Pages/Disabilities.aspx)

Mississippi Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities  
[www.msccd.org](http://www.msccd.org)

Mississippi Department of Mental Health  
[www.dmh.ms.gov/service-options/idd-services](http://www.dmh.ms.gov/service-options/idd-services)

The University of Southern Mississippi Institute for Disability Studies  
[www.usm.edu/disability-studies](http://www.usm.edu/disability-studies)

Disability Rights Mississippi  
[www.drms.com](http://www.drms.com)

Living Independence for Everyone (LIFE) of MS  
[www.lifeofms.com/index.php](http://www.lifeofms.com/index.php)



Resources on Employment and Youth Transition to Adulthood  
[www.mspeidd.org](http://www.mspeidd.org)

### Hiring People with Disabilities

U.S. Department of Labor, Disability Resources  
[www.dol.gov/dol/topic/disability/hiring.htm](http://www.dol.gov/dol/topic/disability/hiring.htm)

U.S. Small Business Administration  
[www.sba.gov/content/hiring-people-with-disabilities](http://www.sba.gov/content/hiring-people-with-disabilities)

Employment and Training Resources - Financial and Tax Incentives for Hiring People With Disabilities and Other Employer Resources  
[www.etrcc.com/disabilities-employer-resources.php](http://www.etrcc.com/disabilities-employer-resources.php)

Ask EARN – Resource for employers seeking to recruit, hire, and retain qualified employees with disabilities  
[www.askearn.org](http://www.askearn.org)

Job Accommodation Network – Resource related to questions about workplace accommodations or ADA  
<http://askjan.org/>

National Organization on Disabilities  
[www.nod.org](http://www.nod.org)

Social Security Administration  
[www.ssa.gov/work](http://www.ssa.gov/work)

Information to businesses, job seekers and workforce systems for opportunities for job candidates with disabilities.  
[www.thinkbeyondthelabel.com](http://www.thinkbeyondthelabel.com)

### Working with People with Disabilities

Employment Alliance for People with Disabilities  
<http://eapd.weebly.com/7/post/2013/04/creating-an-inclusive-work-environment.html>

National Dissemination Center for Children with Disabilities  
<http://nichcy.org/families-community/help/foradults>

U.S. Office of Personnel Management, Disability Employment  
[www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/disability-employment/](http://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/disability-employment/)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Disability/Health  
[www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/disabilityandhealth/people.html](http://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/disabilityandhealth/people.html)

Easter Seals – Disability Etiquette  
[www.easterseals.com/explore-resources/facts-about-disability/disability-etiquette.html](http://www.easterseals.com/explore-resources/facts-about-disability/disability-etiquette.html)

United Cerebral Palsy – Disability Etiquette  
[www.ucp.org/resources/disability-etiquette](http://www.ucp.org/resources/disability-etiquette)

PACER Center – Champions for Children with Disabilities – Disability Etiquette  
[www.pacer.org/parent/php/php-c127.pdf](http://www.pacer.org/parent/php/php-c127.pdf)

United States Department of Labor - Effective Interaction: Communicating With and About People with Disabilities in the Workplace  
[www.dol.gov/odep/pubs/fact/effectiveinteraction.htm](http://www.dol.gov/odep/pubs/fact/effectiveinteraction.htm)