# RESOURCES FOR MEDICAL CONCERNS

## **AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**

4207 Lindell Blvd St. Louis, MO 63108 314-286-8100

## www.cancer.org

A nationwide community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service.

## **AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY (ST.PETERS)**

39 South Winds, St. Peters, MO 63376 314-446-8604

Support Groups Organization provides self-help groups and counseling for cancer patients and education about early detection; also supports research, prevention and early detection education.

#### AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION

10820 Sunset Office Drive; Suite 220 St. Louis, MO 63127 314-822-5490 1-888-DIABETES

## www.diabetes.org

Referrals to support groups for youth, parents and adults with diabetes to provide social and emotional support.

## **AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION**

460 N. Lindbergh Blvd. St. Louis, MO 63141 314-692-5635 1-800-AHA-USA1

## http://www.americanheart.org

Community education on cardiovascular disease & stroke programs are available for children, adults, the public and professionals.

#### AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION OF ST. LOUIS

314 645-5505

www.lungusa.org

# **ASTHMA & ALLERGY FOUNDATION OF ST. LOUIS**

314 645-2422 www.aafastl.org

# **AUTISM SPEAKS**

A National Organization with St. Louis chapter. At Autism Speaks, our goal is to change the future for all who struggle with autism spectrum disorders.

www.autism.org

stlouischapter@autismspeaks.org

# **AUTISM SUPPORT GROUP (St. Charles County)**

636-441-5185

#### **BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION**

10270 Page Avenue St. Louis, MO 63132 314-426-4024 1-800-377-6442

www.biamo.org

Family support groups meet monthly for parents, friends and survivors of brain injury to discuss various issues: medical, advocacy, social, etc., educational/ training programs, camp/respite, prevention, and mentoring.

Population Served: Serves all ages.

## **CENTER FOR HEARING AND SPEECH**

9835 Manchester Rd , St. Louis, MO 63119 314-968-4710

www.hearing-speechstlouis.org

Diagnostic hearing evaluations and hearing aids; speech/language evaluations and individual therapy programs for all ages, all abilities, all disorders.

**Population Served:** All ages served, from newborn up.

# CENTER FOR CEREBRAL PALSY ST. LOUIS at St Louis Children's Hospital

800-678-KIDS

# UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY OF MISSOURI OF ST. LOUIS

314 994-1600

# **CYSTIC FIBROSIS ASSOCIATION**

200 South Hanley, Suite 620 St. Louis, MO 63105 314-721-2490 1-800-727-1464 gateway@cff.org

www.cff.org/Chapters/gateway

Non-profit, donor-supported organization supporting people with Cystic Fibrosis and their families.

#### DOWN SYNDROME ASSOCIATION OF GREATER ST. LOUIS

314 961-2504

www.ndss.org

#### **EASTER SEALS**

13975 Manchester Road Manchester, MO 63011 636-227-6030

800-664-5025

www.mo.easter-seals.org

Creates solutions that change lives of children and adults with disabilities or other special needs and their families.

**Population Served:** Children and adults with disabilities or other special needs.

#### **EPILEPSY FOUNDATION**

7100 Oakland Avenue St. Louis, MO 63117 314-645-6969

epilepsv@stl-epil.org

www.epilepsyfoundation.org/stlouis

Helps clients with epilepsy who have problems involving insurance, social security, job-related issues.

#### **HIV/AIDS Hotline:**

800 533-2437

#### THE AIDS FOUNDATION St. Louis

314 367-7273

www.aidstl.org

# JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Metro Saint Louis/Greater Missouri Chapter 225 S Meramec Avenue Suite 1032T St. Louis, MO 63105 314-726-6778

metrostlouis@jdrf.org

www.jdrf.org/stlouis

Research, support, education and advocacy for people with Type 1 (Juvenile) Diabetes.

#### JUDEVINE CENTER FOR AUTISM

1101 Elavett Executive Parkway, St. Louis, MO 63132 314-849-4440

www.judevine.org/

Therapy, Recreational Activities, Employment Acquisition, Educational Testing, Rehabilitation Services, Respite Care, Rehabilitation/Habilitative Services

#### **LEARNING DISABILITIES ASSOCIATION OF MISSOURI St. Louis**

314 966-3088

www.ldamo.org

# LEUKEMIA SOCIETY OF AMERICA, INC

77 Westport Plaza Suite 101, St. Louis, MO 63146 314 878-0780

# www.leukemia/lymphoma.org

Medical Bill Assistance, Client-to-Client Networking, Mutual Support Groups Disease/Disability Information

#### MARCH OF DIMES

2001 S. Hanley Rd., Suite 10 Brentwood, MO 63144 314-646-8601

### www.marchofdimes.com/missouri/

Not-for-profit improving the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth, and infant mortality.

#### **MCGHEE AUTISM CENTER**

Resource and support for families of autistic children Union, MO 314 458-2942

#### MISSOURI FAMILIES FOR EFFECTIVE AUTISM TREATMENT

2388 Schuetz Rd. Suite A-49 St. Louis, MO 63146 1-877-275-8988

www.mo-feat.org

# **MISSOURI LIONS EYE RESEARCH**

4482 Woodson Road Suite 7 St Louis, MO 63134 314-428-4373

www.mlerf.org

Description: Dedicated to the preservation and restoration of sight.

# MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ASSOCIATION

345 Marshall Ave., St. Louis, MO 63119 314-962-0023

## www.mdausa.org/

Disease/Disability Information, Orthopedic/Orthotic Devices, Outpatient Health Facilities Recreational Activities, Mutual Support Groups, Therapeutic Camps.

#### NATIONAL REYES FOUNDATION

426 N Lewis Street PO Box 829 Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-2679 1-800 233-7393

# www.reyessyndrome.org

Provides emotional support to victims of Reye's Syndrome and their families.

## SPINA BIFIDA ASSOCIATION

8050 Watson Road Suite 115 St. Louis, MO 63119 314-843-2244 800-784-0983 sbastl@charter.net

spasti@cnarter.ne

www.sbastl.com

Service, support and opportunities for people with Spina Bifida and neural tube defects.

# ST. LOUIS SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED

8770 Manchester Road Brentwood, MO 63144 314-968-9000

www.slsbvi.org

A private, not-for-profit organization providing services to help individuals who are blind or visually impaired remain independent.

## ST. CHARLES COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE BLIND

646 Woodchuck Lane, Lake St. Louis, MO 63367 636-561-6947

http://www.scccb.org/

#### Information and Referrals

Voluntary organization to provide referrals and information on issues concerning blindness, to promote individual growth, to serve community, to improve economical and social status of the blind through education of the sighted public, and to encourage employment in the public and private sectors. Majority of members are "legally blind". Sponsors activities geared toward study and action on issues related to sight loss and support of legislation of benefit to those of limited vision. Provides educational scholarships for blind individuals. Offers up to \$1,000.00 per person.

#### ST. LOUIS DIABETES COALITION

PO Box 16712 St. Louis, MO 63105 (314) 446-6485

## www.diabetescoalition.org/

Working collaboratively to improve diabetes awareness, education and adherence to standards of care. Offers Diabetes School, a consumer directed service/website that links patients with diabetes education programs and events in the greater St. Louis region.