

ABOUT US

Easterseals Massachusetts is a statewide, community-based organization that has been empowering people with disabilities to live full and independent lives for 75 years. Our services constantly respond to unmet needs in order to ensure that children and adults with disabilities have equal opportunities to live, learn, work, and play.



ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY & AAC

Assistive Technology (AT) uses clinical expertise to help people with disabilities expand their independence by using devices to achieve greater access to education, employment, and their community. Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) specifically focuses on providing devices and tools for individuals who have difficulty using speech for communication. **For more Info** Leonidas Tonevski LTonevski@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-6431

ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY LOAN PROGRAMS

In partnership with MassMatch, Easterseals MA provides access to low-interest cash loans for the purchase of assistive devices and services, and offers a Long-Term Device Loan Program.

For More Info: Steven Crays SCrays@Eastersealsma.org or 508-471-1558

Assistive Technology Regional Center (ATRC)

MassMATCH Assistive Technology Regional Center (ATRC) at Easter Seals helps people with disabilities in eastern and central Massachusetts make informed decisions about assistive technology (AT) they can use to increase their independence at home, on the job or in school.

For More Info: Robert Bilotta RBilotta@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-6495



RECREATION

Easterseals MA is a proud provider of adaptive and accessible recreational programs (including Martial Arts, and Swim) for individuals with and without disabilities. These programs are focused on recreation and community engagement to ensure that children and adults have equal opportunities to play. **For More Info** Patrick Remy PRemy@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-6417

EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING SERVICES

Employment and Training Services assist people with disabilities by providing internships, personalized training, and on-going support to enhance competitive employment skills and secure fair employment opportunities.

For More Info Nancy Mader @ NMader@Eastersealsma.org or 617-226-2858

YOUTH TRANSITION SERVICES

Transition Services assist youth with disabilities by providing assessment, skills-based transition planning, and coaching to ensure students reach their post-secondary goals. Educators can also receive consultation with transition assessment, planning and programming to help support youth with their next steps.

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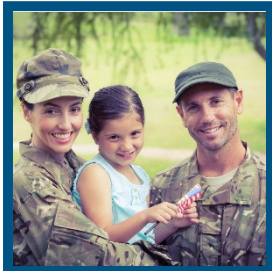


YOUTH LEADERSHIP NETWORK

In partnership with the Mass Rehabilitation Commission, the Easterseals Youth Leadership Network offers opportunities for youth with disabilities under the age of 26 to develop leadership, self-determination, and independent living skills. We also offer various mentoring programs that focus on self-empowerment and advocacy. For More Info Patrick Remy PRemy@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-6417

REHABILITATION & APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS

Easterseals MA partners with community programs and provides services to help each individual achieve greater levels of independence. Our Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Speech and Language Pathologists, and Behavioral Analysts have expertise in a wide range of settings across the lifespan. For More Info Kimberly Sokol KSokol@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-508-751-6446



MILITARY & VETERANS SERVICES

Easterseals MA pledges to achieve an environment that promotes and maintains the physical, financial, and mental wellness of our local service members, veterans, and their family members so that no one is left behind. Services focus on being preventive rather than reactive in order to create sustainable success plans for woman and men transitioning home.

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PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Easterseals MA actively encourages state legislators to create and maintain programs that help people with disabilities gain greater independence. We focus on state initiatives in order to advance the issues important to Massachusetts residents with disabilities.

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STUDENT SERVICES & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Easterseals MA collaborates with Pappas Rehabilitation Hospital for Children to provide after-school community day programs and Student Service Aides. These programs focus on being inclusive and are interactive for children and adolescents with disabilities. For More Info Kimberly Sokol KSokol@Eastersealsma.org or 508-751-508-751-6446