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### Resources

#### **American Red Cross**

 Preparing for Disaster for People with Disabilities and Other Special Needs, (2204). Available at http://www.fema.gov/media-library-data/20130726-1445-20490-6732/fema 476.pdf

### U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services' National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR)

Emergency Management Research and People with Disabilities: A Resource Guide, (2008).
 Available at <a href="http://www.ed.gov/rschstat/research/pubs/guide-emergency-management-pwd.pdf">http://www.ed.gov/rschstat/research/pubs/guide-emergency-management-pwd.pdf</a>

#### U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Disability Rights Section

 ADA Guide for Local Governments: Making Community Emergency Preparedness and Response Programs Accessible to People with Disabilities, (2008). Available at http://www.ada.gov/emerprepguideprt.pdf

#### U.S. Department of Labor, Disabilities Preparedness Resource Center

 Emergency Preparedness. Website. Available at <a href="https://www.disability.gov/?s=&fq=topics\_taxonomy:%22Emergency+Preparedness%5E%5E%2">https://www.disability.gov/?s=&fq=topics\_taxonomy:%22Emergency+Preparedness%5E%5E%2</a>

#### Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

• Prepare For Emergencies Now: Information for People with Disabilities, (2013). Available at http://www.ready.gov/sites/default/files/FEMA Disabilities R-6 web june2012.pdf.

#### Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), U.S. Fire Administration

- Fire Risks for the Blind or Visually Impaired, (1999). Available at http://www.usfa.fema.gov/downloads/txt/publications/fa-205.txt
- Fire Risks for the Deaf or Hard of Hearing, (1999). Available at http://www.usfa.fema.gov/downloads/pdf/publications/hearing.pdf
- Fire Risks for the Mobility Impaired, (1999). Available at http://www.usfa.fema.gov/downloads/pdf/publications/mobility.pdf

#### **National Council on Disability (NCD)**

- Effective Emergency Management: Making Improvements for Communities and People with Disabilities, (2009). Available at <a href="http://www.ncd.gov/publications/2009/Aug122009">http://www.ncd.gov/publications/2009/Aug122009</a>
- Saving Lives: Including People with Disabilities in Emergency Planning, (2005). Available at http://www.ncd.gov/publications/2005/04152005

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#### **National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)**

 Personal Emergency Evacuation Planning Tool for School Students with Disabilities. Available at <a href="http://cybercemetery.unt.edu/archive/nccd/20110427005355/http://www.childrenanddisasters.acf.hhs.gov/reports">http://cybercemetery.unt.edu/archive/nccd/20110427005355/http://www.childrenanddisasters.acf.hhs.gov/reports</a> studies/resources/EvacStudentDisabilities.pdf

#### **National Organization on Disability (NOD)**

- Functional Needs of People with Disabilities: A Guide for Emergency Managers, Planners, and Responders, (2009). Available at <a href="http://nod.org/assets/downloads/Guide-Emergency-Planners.html">http://nod.org/assets/downloads/Guide-Emergency-Planners.html</a>
- Partners in Preparedness, (2009). Available at <a href="http://nod.org/assets/downloads/Partners-In-Preparedness.pdf">http://nod.org/assets/downloads/Partners-In-Preparedness.pdf</a>

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- Integrating Students with Special Needs and Disabilities into Emergency Response and Crisis Planning, (ERCMExpress, Vol. 2, Issue 1, 2006). Available at <a href="http://rems.ed.gov/docs/disability\_newsletterv211.pdf">http://rems.ed.gov/docs/disability\_newsletterv211.pdf</a>
- Emergency Planning for Students with Disabilities and Special Needs, (2008). Webinar. Available at http://www.rems.ed.gov/pagedispaly.aspx?page=training\_webinars\_past&w\_id=1