



### New Additions to the CDR Library:

- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 8—My House (2008)**
- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 9—My Things (2008)**
- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 10—Helping Out Around the House (2008)**
- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 11—Once Upon a Time (2008)**
- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 12—Box of Crayons (2008)**
- \* **Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 13—Who has the Frog? (2008)**



# From the CDR

# Library Stacks



July 2012

## The Library's Latest: A Note from the Coordinator

—Over the past month the library had the following circulation statistics:

- \* Checkouts: 16
- \* Renewals: 10
- \* Information Requests: 138
- \* Web articles/printouts sent out: 128
- \* Pamphlets sent out: 650
- \* New Patrons: 2
- \* Mediated Searches: 4
- \* Out of State Requests: 6

\* Web Sites' Page Visits:

- CDR Library: 238
- Library Blog: 2386
- CDR: 384
- TECS: 798
- Supported Living: 74
- InfoAble Portal: 60

—Make sure to check out the list of New Additions on the newsletter's left side column and on the subsequent pages.



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—Also, if you have any announcements that you'd like me to post on the blog site or the newsletter, just send them to:



## See What's New at the CDR Blog!

- \* [Elvis Tune Offers Insight On Developmental Disabilities](#)
- \* [Brain Banks for Autism Face Dearth](#)
- \* [Multiple Sclerosis Patients Have Lower Risk of Cancer](#)

- \* [Computer Analysis of EEG Patterns Suggests a Potential Diagnostic Test for Autism at Two Years Old](#)
- \* [Musical Brain Patterns Could Help Predict Epileptic Seizures](#)
- \* [Chicago Woman Cured of](#)

### [Sickle Cell Disease](#)

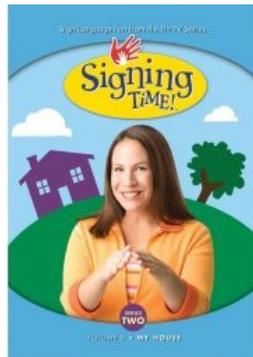
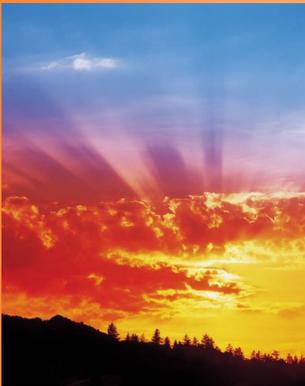
- \* [Autism Insurance Mandates Prompt Families To Move](#)
- \* [Competitors Form Partnership to Develop Autism Drugs](#)
- \* [Freezer Damages Brain Samples Used to Study Autism](#)

## Spotlight on These New Additions...

### Great Books and Videos

*“Oh, the summer night  
Has a smile of light  
And she sits on a sapphire throne.”*

~Barry Cornwall



### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 8—My House (2008)

— “In **My House** you’ll take a singing and signing tour of the rooms in a house! Some of the signs included are:

- \* Kitchen
- \* Refrigerator
- \* Freezer
- \* Family room
- \* Sofa
- \* Rug
- \* Table
- \* TV



### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 9—My Things (2008)

— “In **My Things** you’ll learn signs for lots of your things. When playtime is over, everything goes back to its “right place.” Some of the signs included are:

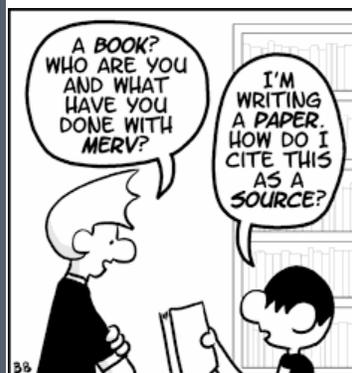
- \* Toys
- \* Books
- \* Socks
- \* Shoes
- \* Closet
- \* Coat
- \* Mitten



### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 10—Helping Out Around the House (2008)

— “In **Helping Out Around the House** you’ll discover that work feels like play as you sing and sign your way through household chores! Some of the signs included are:

- \* Wash clothes
- \* Fold
- \* Towel
- \* Clear the table
- \* Do the dishes
- \* Sweep
- \* Broom



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*“Our hearts are drunk with a beauty our eyes could never see.”*

~George W. Russell



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### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 11—Once Upon a Time (2008)

— “Leah, Alex, and Hopkins love stories and books! Sing and Sign with Rachel as you discover the joy of books in **Once Upon a Time**. Some of the signs included are:

- \* Once upon a time
- \* Story
- \* Beginning
- \* Read
- \* Together
- \* Book
- \* Page



### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 12—Box of Crayons (2008)

— “In **Box of Crayons** you’ll learn signs for lots of colors. Rachel likes pink. Alex and Leah’s favorites are orange and purple. Of course, Hopkins loves green! What’s your favorite color? Some of the signs included are:

- \* Pink
- \* Red
- \* Orange
- \* Yellow
- \* Green
- \* White



### Signing Time! DVD Series 2, Volume 13—Who has the Frog? (2008)

— “Help Rachel, Alex and Leah find Hopkins. Learn to sign questions using *who, what, where, when, why, how, and which*. Some of the signs included are:

- \* Frog
- \* List
- \* Who
- \* Where
- \* How
- \* Find
- \* Guess

## Freezer Damages Brain Samples Used to Study Autism

**AP (June 11, 2012)**—A freezer malfunctioned at a Harvard-affiliated hospital that oversees the world's largest collection of autistic brain samples, damaging a third of the scientifically precious specimens and casting doubt on whether they can be used in research.

The director of the Harvard Brain Tissue Resource Center said the loss was "devastating," particularly in light of the increasing demand for brain samples among scientists searching for the cause of autism and potential treatments.

## News and Events

*"Beauty is not in  
the face; beauty is  
a light in the  
heart."*

~Kahlil Gibran



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## SC Spinal Cord Injury ASSOCIATION



Do you know someone with a spinal cord injury who needs a wheelchair ramp built for his or her home? If they cannot afford the cost of constructing a ramp, there are some limited funds available through the end of 2012 to help them do so. The funds are provided through a grant obtained by the Center for Spinal Cord Injury at Roper Hospital in Charleston. Up to \$1,000 per ramp is available for lumber and supplies. Funds generally take three to four weeks to obtain, and recipients must be residents of South Carolina. Labor is not provided so individuals are recommended to talk with church and community groups about handling the ramp construction. In the Midlands area, two non-profit organizations build ramps with volunteer manpower: World Changers (Contact John Hert at 803-794-0524 or [JHchgewd@msn.com](mailto:JHchgewd@msn.com)) and EmmanuWheel (Contact Jeff Kirby at 803-730-8042 or [james.j.kirby@usarmy.mil](mailto:james.j.kirby@usarmy.mil)). For more information or to apply for ramp funding, contact Lori Wattay at 843-724-2837.

### —About the Library—

The library is a collaborative effort between BabyNet/SC First Steps to School Readiness, the Center for Disability Resources, the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs, and the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library. The CDR Library consists of books, videos, brochures, and audiotapes covering a variety of disability-related topics. The Center for Disability Resources Library is located within the University of South Carolina School of Medicine Library on Garners Ferry Road.