During this tutorial, we will learn how to access and use the Center for Disability Resources (CDR) Library web site and services. This tutorial is approximately 3 minutes long.

The CDR Library consists of books and videos 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.

Library Policies & Procedures:

* We loan our materials nationwide! Anyone in the fifty states can check out items.
* Requests are accepted by email, by phone, or on a walk-in basis.
* Books and videos may be borrowed for a month.
* Materials can be mailed to your home or office.
* Postage-paid return mailers are available for materials sent to South Carolina families. And all South Carolina residents may borrow multiple items at one time.
* Residents of states other than South Carolina may check out one item at a time, and are responsible for return postage.

To access the CDR Library’s web site, go to: <https://uscm.med.sc.edu/CDR>.

To search for books and videos, **click on the “Search the Catalog” link** on the left.

Before beginning your search, read through this page for suggestions on how to use the catalog. **Click on the “online catalog” link** above to launch the catalog.

This is an example of a search for autism books and videos. **Click the green magnifying glass icon** above to run the search.

Below is a list of items available in the collection. The catalog will tell you which items are available or checked out.

To request articles and ask questions, **select the Ask a Librarian link.**

Please fill out the form including as many details as possible to help us in assisting you.

**Select the Contact Information link** on the left.

You can also call or email the librarian, and walk-ins are always welcomed.

To view the Library’s blog, **select the Blog link** on the left.

The blog includes interesting disability-related articles and upcoming events. Feel free to share articles and events with the librarian for possible posting.

Next, **click the InfoAble Portal link.**

The InfoAble Portal provides access to disability and health information for parents, caregivers, and Family Connection of South Carolina, and combines information from MedlinePlus, Clinical Trials.gov, PubMed, and the Center for Disability Resources (CDR) Library.

Selecting Help...

There is a separate tutorial available for using the InfoAble Portal here.

During this tutorial, we have learned how to access and use the Center for Disability Resources (CDR) Library web site and services.

Please fill out our brief tutorial evaluation.

[Tutorial evaluation link](https://uscm.libwizard.com/f/cdrlibrarytutorialevaluation)

If you have any questions or comments, please contact:

Steve Wilson

steve.wilson@uscmed.sc.edu

(803) 216-3206