

Meeting the Needs of Children with Disabilities

If your child has an IEP (Individualized Education Plan) written by the Committee on Special Education, send a copy to the Home Instruction Liaison for the files. This will assist in the process of IHIP evaluations and provide for a complete file for record keeping and graduation purposes.

As of 2008, the Commissioner of Education has reversed a decision directing public school districts not to provide special education services to children who are being home schooled. **Parents of students with disabilities may utilize district resources.**

If at any time, you would like your child assessed by the Committee on Special Education, contact your local school district Chairperson for Special Education or contact Amanda Lawrence at alawrence@ocmboces.org 315-431-8564.

RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Parent to Parent of New York State - <http://www.parenttoparentnys.org/>

Time 4 Learning – https://www.time4learning.com/homeschool/homeschooling_special_needs.shtml

A2Z Home's Cool – http://a2zhomeschooling.com/concerns_homeschooling/special_needs_kids_homeschooling/

Home School Legal Defense Association - http://www.hslda.org/strugglinglearner/sn_Klicka.asp

NATHHAN National Challenged Homeschoolers Associated Network - <http://www.nathhan.com> – Christian Based