

ADD WEBSITES

These are some helpful web sites for families with a member who has or may have Attention Deficit Disorder. There is lots of information on the web about ADD, some very good, but much of it is not from reliable sources and is not accurate. There are many people trying to make money with “quick cures” and these unfortunately abound on the web. Like all information, don’t believe everything you read and note the source of the information.

www.add.org -- National Attention Deficit Disorder Association (NADDA)
42 Way to the River, West Newbury, MA 01985 1-800-487-2282

www.addwarehouse.com -- Shop for books, videos, games or assessment items in this catalog created to help parents and educators working with ADD children.
300 Northwest 70th Avenue, Suite 102, Plantation, FL 33317 800-233-9273

www.ama-assn.org -- American Medical Association

www.cdc.gov -- Center for Disease Control & Prevention

www.chadd.org -- Children and Adults with Attention Deficit Disorder (CHADD)
499 NW 70th Avenue, Suite 308, Plantation, FL 33317 305-587-3700

www.kidsmentalhealth.org --Center for the Advancement of Children’s Mental Health.
Basic info about psychiatric disorders in children. 212-543-6066

www.ldanatl.org -- Works to advance the education and welfare of people with perceptual, conceptual, or coordinative handicaps. Publications and a list of events
Learning Disabilities Association of America
4156 Library Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15234 412-341-1515

www.nclld.org/ -- Devoted to improving the lives of those with learning disabilities. Provides legal information and links to book lists and government agencies.
National Center for Learning Disabilities
99 Park Avenue, 6th Floor, New York, NY 10016 212-687-7211

www.nmha.org -- National Mental Health Association

Each of the pharmaceutical companies has a web site about ADD with a lot of great information, and occasionally coupons. Just be aware that the companies are obviously interested in selling their product. (e.g. www.ADHDsupportcompany.com is sponsored by SHIRE, the pharmaceutical company that makes Adderall)

Other sources of help:

Maryland Disability Law Center – For help with Advocacy and Information, not receiving appropriate services from the school system, etc.