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E-POST

Nevada PEP celebrates 25 years of helping Nevada families!

November 12, 2020

Just released: Nevada PEP Fall Survey Results

As a follow-up to our [Summer surveys](#), Nevada PEP and Youth MOVE Nevada surveyed families and youth to find out how school is going so far. Families rated their stress level related to distance education, progress towards IEP goals, and access to technology. Youth responded to questions about their level of concern over academics, what kind of support they need, and what they find the most difficult or enjoyable about the school year so far. The [Fall Family survey](#) and the [Fall Youth survey](#) results show that many Nevada families and youth are experiencing significant stress and concern related to school.

NvLEND Survey

The Nevada Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (NvLEND) project provides interdisciplinary training to improve the system of services for individuals with neurodevelopmental disabilities (such as autism) and their families. NvLEND is asking you to complete this survey to assess the need and interest in interdisciplinary training on topics related to neurodevelopmental disabilities in Nevada. Begin survey [NvLEND Needs Assessment 2020](#).

Nevada 2020 Children's Report Card

Learn where Nevada currently ranks against the 50 states among children's indicators in the following categories; Health, Safety, Education, and Economic Well-Being see [Nevada's Report Card](#). Each year, the Annie E. Casey Foundation produces a comprehensive report —the KIDS COUNT Data Book

— that assesses child well-being in the United States. Click here to see the [2020 National Data](#) and see where [Nevada](#) ranked overall.

What is a Mobile Crisis Response Team?

The Mobile Crisis Response Team (MCRT) is designed to provide crisis intervention to Nevada families. Families dealing with a behavioral or mental health crisis can call MCRT for help. MCRT can respond either in person or over the phone, this helps to reduce emergency room visits for families. For more information [click here](#).

COVID-19 Resources for Children From Birth to Age 5

The Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center has developed an interactive infographic, [COVID-19 Family Resources](#) to help families that have children with disabilities find COVID-19 information to support their children's learning and development. Click on the highlighted sections of the infographic to access information.

Nevada Ready

Nevada Ready is a statewide initiative that provides students with an equitable, technology-rich education that supports high standards, and a engaging learning environment. Join this month's panelists in a conversation that focuses on what families can expect from educators to support diverse learners. Click here [teaching diverse learners](#).

Supported Decision Making

Nevada is one of 8 states to have a Supported Decision Making Law, [NRS 162C](#), which was developed on premise that a person with a disability is the best person to make decisions about their own lives. The person with a disability determines who they want to help them make important life decisions. Learn more [Click Here](#).

Military-Connected Children News

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This free workshop is

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This workshop is open for registration for Travis AFB, Luke AFB, Davis Monthan, Nellis, and Creech AFB.



You will...

- Get information on your educational rights as a parent of a child with a disability
- Learn what services are available to you through your TRICARE, ECHO, ABA benefits
- Learn about your local and community resources
- Have the opportunity to share solutions, ideas, and connect with other parents and professionals



Workshop Dates and Times

Date: November 14, 2020
Time: 10am-12pm PST & 5pm -7pm PST

Date: November 15, 2020
Time: 10am-12pm PST & 5pm-7pm PST

To Register: <https://www.tfaforms.com/4858203>

Questions about workshop or registration contact: 407-419-1559



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PEP Webinars

Take a short break and get the information you need without leaving the comfort of your home or work. Click the links below to get a description and register for these amazing webinars.

- Presented by Nevada PEP

[Evaluation & Response to Intervention \(Rtl\)](#)

Friday, November 13, 10am – 11am

[Introduction to IEP - Virtual Style](#)

Tuesday, November 17, 4pm – 5pm

[Getting the First Job](#)

Thursday, November 19, 3pm – 4pm

[Ayude A Su Hijo a Concentrarse En El Aprendizaje](#)

Martes, Noviembre 24, 2pm – 3pm



Seek by iNaturalist App

Here's a fun way to keep the learning going while taking a break for some fresh air. You can use the power of image recognition technology to identify the plants and animals all around you. Kids can earn badges for seeing different types of plants, birds, fungi and more!

-Happy Apping



Seek by iNaturalist App, By: iNaturalist, LLC



World of Peppa Pig App

The World of Peppa Pig app offers your family a safe and ad-free environment, filled with lots of learning and fun!

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World of Peppa Pig App, By: Entertainment One



GoGuardian Beacon 24/7 Chrome Book Monitoring

GoGuardian Beacon is a monitoring program that some schools in the Clark County School District are using on school issued chrome books. The program

can identify students who have searched or written text that may mean that they are feeling extreme stressors or experiencing a mental health issue. If the software detects self-harm warning signs, a school administrator is alerted and the student's parents are notified. Parents can ask if their school is part of this pilot program. To learn more about GoGuardian Beacon, check out their information page and [video](#)

PEP Support Groups

Join Nevada PEP's support groups, meet other parents, learn about different resources, and make new friends. Support groups are in both English and Spanish go to our [training calendar](#) to register. These are challenging times for families our support groups will make you feel that you are not alone, PEP is here to support you. To join our zoom meeting follow these simple instructions [English](#) or [Spanish](#).

Office of Special Education Program Q&A

The Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services' Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) released a Questions and Answers (Q&A) document in response to inquiries concerning implementation of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B provision of services in the current COVID-19 environment. [Click here](#) for more information.

Youth M.O.V.E. Nevada Update

Over the past month, Youth M.O.V.E. Nevada has continued to support, inform, and listen to youth. Most of all, we are still having virtual meetings every other week on the first and third Tuesday of the month. The meetings are a safe space for youth to learn and share. In October, we talked about bullying. This month, we are focusing on getting through the holidays. Be sure to listen to our latest podcast episode [The Holiday Season](#), and stay connected with Youth MOVE Nevada on our website at www.nvpep.org/youth-move and don't forget to follow us on Facebook: facebook.com/youthmovenv, Twitter: [@YouthMOVEnv](https://twitter.com/YouthMOVEnv), and Instagram: [@YouthMOVEnv](https://instagram.com/YouthMOVEnv).

Statewide Family News

The Statewide Family Network supports many families that do not have health insurance to meet their children's mental health needs. One resource that families can use is [Nevada Health Link](#). During November, they have Open

Enrollment, a once-a-year opportunity to help families find the right health insurance for their needs. Families also may qualify for payment assistance. You can call Nevada Health Link at 800-547-2927.



AmazonSmile Program

When you use your existing Amazon.com account to shop through AmazonSmile, 0.5% of your eligible purchases will be donated to Nevada PEP. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service. Learn more or get started today!

Go to: [AmazonSmile for Nevada PEP](#)

Smith's Inspiring Donations

Helping Nevada PEP is easy! Simply enroll your rewards card by going to [Smith's Inspiring Donations](#). Once you're successfully enrolled, choose Nevada PEP as your organization of choice. A portion of your purchase will be donated from Smith's. (Does not affect your normal Smith's card rewards!)

Watch a step by step ["How to" video here](#)



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