HELP US EDUCATE OTHERS!

We are a 501(c)(3) organization that depends on donations to fund our outreach activities and materials. All donations are greatly appreciated and tax deductible.

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One-time or small monthly donations can be done via PayPal, our PayPal email address is projectair21@gmail.com.

Zelle:

Donations via Zelle can be made using our email address, projectair21@gmail.com. Arrangements for small monthly donations can be made as well.

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"There is no greater disability in society, then the inability to see a person as more." Robert M. Hensel

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PROJECT AIR

Our organization was created to bring awareness of individuals with more severe disabilities and speech impairments, who are not always seen or treated as competent members of society. Whether it is due to a lack of knowledge about disabilities or a refusal to accept differences, individuals with such disabilities deserve to be treated as everyone else.

Our goal is to educate about disabilities, to eliminate stigmas in communities, so that individuals with disabilities are viewed as equal participants in society, as opposed to having to deal with the unsubstantiated perception that too many encounter. These individuals are too often not only judged incorrectly, but are treated and interacted with inappropriately, simply because of the way their disability forces them to appear, move, or sound.

Let us all make it our mission to end this inequity by allowing Project AIR to educate you, so that you in turn can educate others about individuals with disabilities!

INTERESTED IN OUR MATERIALS?

We are always ready to give presentations and provide pamphlets and booklets to educate businesses on the topic of disabilities. Please reach out to us for more information.

OUR MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

To educate communities in the appropriate treatment and accommodation of individuals with speech impairments and more severe disabilities.

FOR BUSINESS ENTITIES:

- * General to business-specific pamphlets and booklets that address the needs of individuals with speech impairments and more severe disabilities.
- * Training booklets for retailers, restaurants, and other businesses to educate their employees about of individuals with speech impairments and more severe disabilities.

FOR CONSUMERS:

- * Communication tools, such as speech cards, to use when consumers need to interact with someone who cannot understand them.
- * Sample letter to inform business entities when a consumer has experienced inappropriate treatment, encountered access code violations, or any other matter relative to a disability.
- * Assistance in obtaining communication devices and/or training for such.

FOR GENERAL PUBLIC:

- * Presentations related to our general communication pamphlet, reinforcing the lesson to see the person, not the disability.
- * Videos related to the concepts that the organization was created on.
- * Booklet of Americans with Disabilities Act appropriate terminology.
- * Simplified version of our general communication pamphlet for school-age children.