#### **HOW to connect with TNSTEP?**



Website

www.tnstep.org



**Events Calendar** https://tnstep.org/events **Virtual Trainings** 

**Archived Webinars &** https://tnstep.org/webinars



#### TNSTEP's **Parent Manual**

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# **Special Education Support for Tennessee Families**



a brighter future for children with disabilities



TNSTEP's vision is to ensure a brighter future for children and youth in Tennessee, with an emphasis on those with disabilities, special health care needs, and mental health needs.

#### WHAT is TNSTEP?



TNSTEP is a statewide not-for-profit established in 1989 serving Tennessee families. We are Tennessee's PTI - Parent Training and Information Center.

## TNSTEP believes parents and caregivers are a child's best advocate.

## WHO do we help?

Families or caregivers in Tennessee with children and youth, birth to 26, with a diagnosed or suspected disability or special healthcare/mental health need.



### **HOW do we help?**

- ★ Navigating special education ★ Life after high school laws
- ★ IEP or 504 Plan review and assistance
- ★ Workshops and in-person or virtual training
- ★ Referrals to other agencies

- planning
- ★ Training videos and webinars
- **★** Collaboration and communication
- ★ Special education updates

## **Services are FREE for Tennessee families**

## TNSTEP believes in collaborating with schools and agencies to improve results for Tennessee students.

## WHAT does TNSTEP offer professionals?

- ★ High quality in-service and professional development
- → IDEA and Section 504
- → Instructionally appropriate IEPs
- → Response to Intervention
- → Family engagement
- → Postsecondary transition
- → Customized needs-based training
- ★ Parent workshops on special education topics
- ★ Youth activities

### **HOW much does it cost?**

- ★ FREE if parents and caregivers are invited
- ★ FREE if funded by grants from the Tennessee Department of Education
- ★ Fee-for-service but very cost effective



