

Language for Speaking and Writing About Disabilities

Correct each of the following sentences using the guidelines of people-first language.

My daughter is autistic.

The ARC is an organization that helps the intellectually handicapped.

I took a class about learning disabled children.

A learning disabilities teacher has many opportunities to help the mentally challenged.

I donate money to organizations that help the handicapped.

After suffering a spinal cord injury, he became a paraplegic and was confined to a wheelchair.

We saw a video about a schizophrenic woman.

She is afflicted with multiple sclerosis and is bedridden.

He was crippled from birth.

There is a special needs kiddo in my calculus class.