



Creating a Resource Map for Your Community

National Disability Institute focuses on 5 key strategies that are essential to building the financial well-being of persons with disabilities. The 5 key strategies are: Public Benefits and Work Supports, Employment, Free Tax Preparation & EITC, Financial Literacy & Coaching, and Asset Development.



There are a variety of resources and tools available for each of these 5 strategies. As practitioners, it is important that we identify resources and tools that support individuals and their financial well-being. Creating a Resource Map for your community will enhance those opportunities. To create a Resource Map for your community, follow the steps identified on the next pages.

Step One: In the boxes below list resources and tools for each strategy.

Public Benefits and Work Supports	Employment	Free Tax Preparation and EITC	Financial Education and Financial Coaching	Asset Development

Step 2: In the boxes below list the resources and tools for each strategy that are currently offered by your organization. This will assist in identifying gaps and key relationships to build outside of your organization.

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Step 3: In the boxes below, identify providers/resources in your community that support each strategy that are not supported by your organization. As you make the list, do you have relationships already established with the organizations or do you need to build a relationship.

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