

Voting 101 Resources Autism Society Texas

Voting can be confusing and stressful for Autistic and otherwise disabled adults. There are a variety of resources available to provide education and information to make the process go more smoothly. Knowing your rights, making a plan, and understanding what to expect can help the voting process be a positive experience. Your voice matters!

1. Autism Society of America (ASA)
2. Disability Rights Texas (DRTx)
3. League of Women Voters
4. VOTE 411
5. Texas Council for Developmental Disabilities (TCDD)

1. Autism Society of America

The Autism Society of America (ASA) has created a **Voting Guide** for their website. The guide includes educational information on topics like Voter Registration, creating a plan and practicing, what to bring and what to expect on Election Day, and laws related to the right to Vote.

<https://autismsociety.org/vote/>

ASA has also created an **Election Center** where you can find your polling location, learn about your current elected officials, learn about the candidates running for upcoming elections, track current legislation, and MORE!

<https://www.votervoice.net/AutismSociety/ElectionCenter>

2. Disability Rights Texas

Disability Rights Texas also has educational information available, including a Ballot by Mail Checklist, Voting Rights of People with Disabilities, and a variety of educational handouts and videos on topics such as accessibility, using voting machines, registering to vote, Voter ID, and MORE! <https://disabilityrightstx.org/en/category/voting/>

3. League of Women Voters of Texas

The League of Women Voters provides education on voter registration, a non-partisan **Voters Guide** with side-by-side information about candidates, education about the rights of disabled voters and available accommodations, and MORE! <https://www.lwvtexas.org/#gsc.tab=0>

4. VOTE 411

Use this website to learn about upcoming **election dates and registration deadlines**, find your polling location and hours, see what's on your ballot, learn more about early voting, learn about provisions for disabled voters, and MORE!

<https://www.vote411.org/texas>

5. Texas Council for Developmental Disabilities (TCDD)

This website includes information to support disabled voters, including getting a ride to the polls, how to receive help with voting, and what the steps are if you receive help while casting your ballot.

<https://tcdd.texas.gov/policy/voting-information/>