

Key Transition Resources

- [The \(Almost\) Everything List](#) includes numerous [transition resources](#) and information about school, adult life, financial assistance, decision-making, family resources, and more. Be sure to check back regularly for new resources.
- [Transition to Adulthood Checklist](#) (Pediatric Epilepsy Surgery Alliance with the Rare Epilepsy Network)
- [Transition Roadmap for Youth with Neurological Conditions](#): This free, self-paced course features over ten hours of training modules that cover all aspects of transition. In this series, you will find the steps you need to take to build your child's education transition plan, the transition to adult healthcare, future planning, decision-making, and financial support, among other topics. (Pediatric Epilepsy Surgery Alliance)
- [Educational Transition for Youth with Neurological Conditions](#): This comprehensive, 100+ page guide will help parents of children with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) navigate the transition process. It also includes information about health transition, template letters, and checklists.
- [PESA's EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT CHECKLISTS](#) has a tab on transition-related assessments and more.
- [PESA's IEP GOAL BANK for STUDENTS AFTER EPILEPSY SURGERY](#) includes dozens of transition and health-related goals. Click on the "health" or "transition" tabs at the bottom of the table.
- [PESA's YouTube channel](#)
- [TRANSITION RESOURCES Padlet](#)

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Pediatric Epilepsy Surgery Alliance blog posts on transition:

- [Going to college after pediatric epilepsy surgery](#)
- [A guide to health care transition after pediatric epilepsy surgery](#)
- [Navigating Adulthood with Severe Epilepsy: A Caregiver's Guide to Transition](#)
- [Preparing for college during the pandemic](#)
- [Tips for teens and young adults transitioning to employment](#)
- [Transition and Emergency Planning](#)
- [Transition to Employment: Adult Agencies You Should Know](#)
- [Transitioning to independent living](#)

Some of our other favorite transition resources:

- [The ABLE National Resource Center](#)
- The Arc's [Future Planning](#) page and [Letter of Intent](#)
- [Fostering Self-Determination Among Children and Youth with Disabilities](#)
- [Getting Ready for Independent Living at the Age of Majority - Center for Parent Information and Resources](#)
- [How Do You Know if an IEP Addresses Transition Planning Requirements? – NESCA](#)
- [IDEA.ed.gov](#)
- [IDEA and Secondary Transition - National Parent Center on Transition and Employment](#)
- [Indicator 13 Checklists - NTACTION](#)
- [Institute for Community Inclusion](#) supports the rights of children and adults with disabilities to participate in all aspects of the community.
- [The Journey To Life After High School \(Ability Path\)](#)
- [NATIONAL CENTER FOR SUPPORTED DECISION-MAKING](#)
- [Participant-Centered Planning and Individual Budgeting](#) (The Community Living Exchange at Rutgers/NASHP)
- [Person-Centered Planning](#) (National Parent Center on Transition and Employment)
- [Publications - Tash.org](#)
- [Selecting a Support Coordination Agency Making Choices, Becoming Empowered](#) (The Boggs Center on Developmental Disabilities, Rutgers University)
- [Self Advocacy and Technical Assistance Center](#)
- [Transition from School to Independent Living - National Library Service for the Blind and Print Disabled \(NLS\)](#)

- [Transition to Adulthood Checklist](#) (PDF) (Rare Epilepsies Network Adult Issues Task Force)
- [Transition Assessment: How to Prepare for the Team Meeting](#) (Neuropsychology & Education Services for Children and Adolescents/NESCA)
- [Transition Goals in the IEP](#) (Center for Parent Information and Resources, 2022)
- [Transition Guide: Person-Centered Planning](#) (PEATC)
- [A Transition Guide to Postsecondary Education and Employment for Students and Youth with Disabilities](#) (Office Of Special Education And Rehabilitative Services, United States Department Of Education)
- [Transition - Legal Requirements for Transition Components of the IEP](#) (Wrightslaw)
- [Transition Planning Timelines for Students with Disabilities – NESCA](#)
- [Transition Resources](#) (Perkins eLearning)
- [Vocational Assessment and Transition Planning](#) (Neuropsychology & Education Services for Children and Adolescents/NESCA)

Health Care Transition resources

- [Adulthood Transitions | REN](#)
- [Center for Transition to Adult Health Care for Youth with Disabilities](#) (resources for young adults, parents/caregivers, and clinicians)
- [A guide to health care transition after pediatric epilepsy surgery](#) - blog post
- The Child Neurology Foundation website is a repository of resources and tools for health care providers and patients/caregivers to assist in the transition of neurologic patients:
 - [Transition of Care Toolkit](#)
 - [Self-Care Assessment \(Youth/Young Adult\)](#),
 - [Self-Care Assessment \(Parents/Caregivers\)](#),
 - [Sample Plan of Care](#),
 - [Sample Transfer Letter](#),
 - [Medical Summary](#) for the transitioning patient,
 - [TRANSITIONS CHECKLIST](#),
 - [Resources for Young People with Neurologic Conditions and their Caregivers](#).
- The Epilepsy Foundation:
 - [MODEL SECTION 504 PLAN FOR A STUDENT WITH EPILEPSY](#)
 - [What Is Epilepsy?](#)
- The Got Transition website is dedicated to improving the transition of all patients from pediatric to adult healthcare. It originated from a

cooperative agreement between the Maternal and Child Health Bureau and the National Alliance to Advance Adolescent Health. It serves as a clearinghouse for current transition information, tools, and resources.

- [Planning to Move from Pediatric to Adult Care? Here's How They Can Differ](#)
- [Preparing For The Transition From Pediatric To Adult Health Care: Parent Guide](#)
- [TRANSITION QUICK GUIDE: TAKE CHARGE OF PLANNING AND MANAGING YOUR OWN HEALTH AND CAREER GOALS](#)
- [Health care transition in pediatric neurosurgery: a consensus statement](#) – This paper outlines the lack of transition policies for the broader community of children who have had neurosurgery (The American Society of Pediatric Neurosurgeons)
- [Hydrocephalus Association Transition Initiative](#) – Children who have had hemispheric procedures in childhood are [at risk of developing hydrocephalus](#), even many years after surgery. Transition to adulthood for children with hydrocephalus is also poorly managed. (Hydrocephalus Association)
- Managing Epilepsy Well (MEW) Network: www.ManagingEpilepsyWell.org
- National Institutes Of Neurological Disorders And Stroke (NINDS): [Brain Basics: Know Your Brain](#)
- Medical Library Association: [What Did My Doctor Say?](#)
- [Supporting Students with Epilepsy: A Transition Toolkit for School Nurses | NASN Learning Center](#) (National Association of School Nurses, 2023)
- [Improving Health Care Transition through Tele-Transition Services](#) explains the process of transitioning to adult healthcare. Includes a short, plain language video for youth & self-advocates: [Telehealth and Health Care Transition](#) (Got Transition and Kids as Self Advocates/KASA)
- University of California, San Francisco [Document Library | Office of Developmental Primary Care](#) (chart forms, logs, training materials, advocacy tools)
- WRIGHTSLAW: [Legal Rights of Children with Epilepsy in School and Childcare: An Advocate's Manual](#)
- Young Adults with Rare Disease: [YARR Healthcare Guide](#) (EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases)

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