WHO WE ARE

The Tennessee Disability Coalition is a mission-driven member organization founded in 1989. We bring together organizations and individuals across the state who care about the Disability Community to work in coalition. Our collective mission is to create a society that values, includes and supports people with disabilities.

The lifting power of many wings achieves twice the distance of flying alone.
WHO WE SERVE

We serve Tennesseans and their families across disability, age and background.

WHAT WE DO

Our mission shapes the work that we do to support Tennesseans with disabilities.

We work with Tennessee lawmakers, policymakers and community members to understand, protect and improve public policies that impact the lives of people with disabilities. **Public Policy** is how the government addresses the needs of its citizens.

Our highly-trained **Benefits to Work** experts promote self-sufficiency for individuals by helping to lessen some of the obstacles faced when going to work, including concerns about losing healthcare coverage and other benefits.

**Family Voices of Tennessee** is the first state chapter of Family Voices National. Family Voices of Tennessee provides emotional and educational support to families of children across the state with special healthcare needs, chronic illnesses and disabilities.

**Brain Links** enriches the lives of Tennesseans with traumatic brain injury by training and empowering the professionals serving them.

We are part of the **Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Network**. The Southeast ADA Center has designated us as the organization in Tennessee to contact for questions and assistance with ADA compliance.

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