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What is Assistive Technology

An assistive technology (AT) device is any item, equipment, or product that helps individuals with disabilities improve their ability to function. It can be commercially available, modified, or custom made.

An assistive technology service directly helps individuals with disabilities select, acquire, or use an AT device.

OPENING DOORS TO INDEPENDENCE

ABOUT US

The CNMI Assistive Technology Program is part of the CNMI Council on Developmental Disabilities. It began in 1994 as the STRAID Program (System of Technology Related Assistive for Individuals with Disabilities). Following updates to the Assistive Technology Act of 1998, the program became the CNMI Assistive Technology Program.

We work with an advisory committee of individuals representing various ages and disabilities throughout the CNMI to guide program activities and development.

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Why is Assistive Technology Important?

Assistive technology can help at every stage of life:

Kids: It can help kids learn and join in at school.

Adults: It can help adults do well at work and live more independently.

Seniors: It can make daily life easier and improve communication.

You might be able to get help paying for these tools through Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance, or other programs.

Services We Offer

Resource and Referral

We help people of all ages and abilities in the CNMI. Our team works with families, teachers, doctors, schools, businesses, government agencies, and vendors to meet the needs of people with disabilities.



Device Loan & Demonstration

Try before you buy! Borrow assistive technology tools for up to 42 days to see what works best for you. Our library includes:

- ◆ Tools for computer access
- ◆ Educational tools
- ◆ Vision aids
- ◆ Communication devices
- ◆ Tools for controlling your environment
- ◆ Hearing equipment/apps
- ◆ Adaptive aids
- ◆ Mobility aids
- ◆ Daily living tools

Information and Guidance

Not sure where to start? Our team can help you find the tools and services you need. We also have catalogs of assistive technology products.



Our Mission

We want to show how Assistive Technology can turn challenges into opportunities. We give people tools and services to help them be more independent, successful, and productive.