

## To learn more

Here is a small selection of organizations, printed materials and internet resources that can provide useful information for women with disabilities, organizations for and by people with disabilities and information about the rights of persons with disabilities. We have tried to cover as many of the topics in this book as possible, and to include groups working in all areas of the world. Many of the printed materials are easy to adapt and often include other helpful resource lists.

### ORGANIZATIONS

Many of the organizations listed here do most of their work with disability communities around the world. Contact them to see if they have projects or programs in your country. Some organizations provide general health information.

#### **AIFO (Associazione Italiana Amici di Raoul Follereau)**

Via Borselli 4-6, 40135 Bologna, Italy  
Tel: (39-051)439-3211; Fax: (39-051)434-046  
Email: info@aifo.it  
Web: www.aifo.it

*AIFO, an Italian NGO, provides support to projects in the global South. At present AIFO is involved in over 180 projects in 57 countries, supporting projects on leprosy and primary health care; rehabilitation of disabled persons; and support for vulnerable children.*

#### **ABILIS**

Aleksanterinkatu 48 A, 00100 Helsinki, Finland  
Tel: (358-9)612-40333  
Email: abilis@abilis.fi  
Web: www.abilis.fi

*ABILIS is part of the international Independent Living and Disability Rights Movement. They give grants for projects run by disabled people in developing countries that focus on human rights and women with disabilities.*

#### **Action on Disability and Development (ADD)**

Vallis House 57 Vallis Road  
Frome Somerset, BA11 3EG, UK  
Tel: (44-137)347-3064; Fax: (44-137)345-2075  
Email: add@add.org.uk  
Web: www.add.org.uk

*ADD supports active networks of disabled people in several countries. Many of ADD's staff have disabilities themselves.*

#### **Arab Resource Collective**

**Lebanon:** PO Box 13-5916, Beirut, Lebanon  
**Visiting Address:** 5th Floor, Dkeik Building  
Hanra, Beirut, Lebanon  
Tel: (9611)742-075; Fax: (9611)742-077  
Email: arcleb@mawared.org

**Cyprus:** PO Box 27380, Nicosia 1644, Cyprus  
Tel: (357)2277-6741; Fax: (357)2276-6790  
Email: arcryp@spidernet.com.cy  
Web: www.mawared.org/english/

*Written and audio-visual materials on general health care, community development, and skills training for grass-roots organizations in the Middle East.*

#### **CBM (Christoffel-Blindenmission/ Christian Blind Mission)**

Nibelungenstraße 124  
64625 Bensheim, Germany  
Tel: (49-6251)131-392; Fax: (49-6251)131-338  
Web: www.cbm.org

*CBM supports community-based rehabilitation programs run by local partner organizations in developing countries.*

**Danish Council of Organizations of Disabled Persons (DSI)**

Kløverprisvej 10B  
 DK-2650 Hvidovre, Denmark  
 Tel: (45)367-517-77; Fax: (45)367-514-03  
 Email: dsi@handicap.dk  
 Web: www.handicap.dk/english

*DSI supports organizations in the global South to improve their organizational structures, educate representatives of disability organizations and develop negotiation structures between authorities and disability organizations.*

**Disability and Development Partners (formerly Jaipur Limb Campaign)**

404 Camden Road, London N7 0SJ, England  
 Tel/Fax: (44-207)700-7298  
 Email: info2006@  
 disabilityanddevelopmentpartners.org  
 Web: www.disabilityanddevelopmentpartners.org

*Disability and Development Partners (DDP) works with local partner organizations in developing countries to bring social and economic benefits to people with disabilities—especially to those who have lost limbs or the use of limbs through war, accidents, or preventable diseases.*

**Disability India Network**

Disability India Network  
 c/o Society For Child Development  
 Cottage 15, Oberoi Apts, 2 Sham Nath Marg  
 Delhi 110 054, India  
 Email: vijay@disabilityindia.org  
 Web: www.disabilityindia.org

*Disability India Network has a website with comprehensive information related to disability, and works for the empowerment of persons with disabilities and equal access to healthcare, education and employment.*

**Disabled Peoples' International (DPI)**

902-388 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg  
 Manitoba, R3C 0C8 Canada  
 Tel: (1-204)287-8010; Fax: (1-204)783-6270  
 Email: info@dpi.org  
 Web: www.dpi.org

*DPI promotes the human and economic rights, and social integration of people with disabilities. Information on issues including women's health care, human rights, independent living, and social justice. Special focus on grass-roots development. Has local offices in over 110 countries.*

**Disabled People of South Africa (DPSA)**

Office of the Secretary General  
 P.O. Box 3467, Cape Town, 8000, South Africa  
 or  
 Room 705, 7th Floor, Dumbarton House  
 1 Church Street, Cape Town, South Africa  
 Tel: (0-21)422-0357; Fax: (0-21)422-0389  
 Email: info@dpsa.org.za  
 Web: www.dpsa.org.za

*DPSA is a cross-disability umbrella body of disability organizations in South Africa. Programs include the Disabled Women's Development Programme, which promotes disabled women's participation through leadership and self-help skills development.*

**Global Fund for Women**

1375 Sutter Street, Suite 400  
 San Francisco, CA 94109, USA  
 Tel: (1-415)202-7640; Fax: (1-415)202-8604  
 Email: gfw@globalfundforwomen.org  
 Web: www.globalfundforwomen.org

*Gives small grants to community-based women's groups, especially those working on controversial issues and in difficult conditions. Areas of special interest are human rights, communications technology, and economic independence.*

**Godisa**

P.O. Box 142  
 Otse, Botswana  
 Tel: (267)533-7634; Fax: (267)533-7646  
 Email: mwb@info.bw  
 Web: www.godisa.org

*The only hearing aid maker in Africa, Godisa distributes low-cost, durable, solar rechargeable hearing aids for people in developing countries.*

**Handicap International**

Waterman House 101-107, Chertsey Road  
Woking, Surrey GU21 5BW, England  
Tel: (44-0870)774-3737  
Email: hi-uk@hi-uk.org  
Web: www.handicap-international.org.uk

*Handicap International works in over 50 countries to help people disabled by natural disasters, violence, and armed conflict, including land-mine victims.*

**Healthlink Worldwide (formerly AHRTAG)**

56-64 Leonard Street, London, EC2A 4JX, UK  
Tel: (44-207)549-0240; Fax: (44-207)549-0241  
Email: info@healthlink.org.uk  
Web: www.healthlink.org.uk

*Healthlink Worldwide works to strengthen the provision, use and impact of health information, to increase social inclusion of people working on issues such as disability and HIV/AIDS. Their partners publish Disability Dialogue (earlier called CBR News). Together with the Overseas Development Group, they publish a series of disability research papers as part of the Disability Knowledge and Research Programme.*

**Helen Keller International**

352 Park Avenue South, 12th Floor  
New York, NY 10010, USA  
Tel from US (toll free): (1-877) 535-5374  
Tel: (1-212) 532-0544; Fax: (1-212) 532-601  
Email: info@hki.org  
Web: www.hki.org

*Has programs in 25 countries. Material on blindness from lack of vitamin A. Information on blindness prevention and visual chart.*

**Inclusion International**

Inclusion International administrative office  
c/o The Rix Centre, University of East London  
Docklands Campus, London E16 2RD, England  
Tel: (44-208)223-7709; Fax: (44-208)223-7411  
Email: info@inclusion-international.org  
Web: www.inclusion-international.org

*Inclusion International (II) is a global federation of family-based organizations advocating for the human rights of people with intellectual disabilities. II represents 200 member federations in 115 countries.*

**International Disability and Development Consortium (IDDC)**

IDDC Administrator  
c/o Handicap International, Waterman House  
101-107 Chertsey Road, Woking  
Surrey GU21 5BW5, England  
Tel: (44-0870)774-3737  
Fax: (44-0870)774-3738  
Email: administrator@idddc.org.uk  
Web: www.idddc.org.uk

*IDDC is an international network on disability and development. Members in over 100 countries implement programs, and fund, disseminate information and advocate human rights of people with disabilities.*

**International Federation of Anti-Leprosy Associations (ILEP)**

The Teaching and Learning Materials Coordinator  
234 Blythe Road, London, W14 OHJ, England  
Email: ilep@ilep.org.uk  
Web: www.ilep.org.uk

*ILEP coordinates support to leprosy programs. Their website includes a large list of funders as well as international partners.*

**International HIV/AIDS Alliance**

Queensberry House, 104-106 Queens Road  
Brighton BN1 3XF, England  
Tel: (44-0127)371-8900  
Fax: (44-0-127)371-8901  
Web: www.aidsalliance.org

*The International HIV/AIDS Alliance works to reduce the spread of HIV and meet the challenges of AIDS in developing countries. It channels funds and provides technical and organizational support to community-based groups. It also produces and distributes useful information on HIV/AIDS.*

**Latin American and Caribbean Women's Health Network**

Simón Bolívar 3798, Ñuñoa, 6850892  
Casilla 50610, Santiago 1, Santiago, Chile  
Tel: (56-2)223-7077; Fax: (56-2)223-1066  
Email: secretaria@reddesalud.org  
Web: www.reddesalud.org

*Promotes women's health and women's human rights through cultural, political and social transformation.*

**Leonard Cheshire International (LCI)**

30 Millbank  
 London, SW1P 4QD, England  
 Tel: (44-207)802-8224  
 Fax: (44-207)802-8275  
 Email: m.ekanger@london.leonard-cheshire.org.uk  
 Web: www.lcint.org

*The work of LCI includes projects in education, employment, economic empowerment, rehabilitation and day care services, short and longer-term residential care, and community programs. Their website lists resources and training materials.*

**Mobility International USA (MIUSA)**

132 E. Broadway, Suite 343  
 Eugene, Oregon 97401, USA  
 Tel: (1-541)343-1284; Fax: (1-541)343-6812  
 Email: info@miusa.org  
 Web: www.miusa.org

*MIUSA works to empower people with disabilities through international exchange and development to achieve human rights. MIUSA's website has a comprehensive listing of international disability organizations.*

**Mobility International India**

1st and 1st A Cross, 2nd Phase, JP Nagar  
 Bangalore 560 078, India  
 Tel: (91-80)2649-2222; Fax: (91-80)2649-4444  
 Email: E-mail@mobility-india.org  
 Web: www.mobility-india.org

*Promotes community-based rehabilitation and mobility for persons with disabilities, especially in rural areas. Trains women with disabilities to make artificial limbs and provide rehabilitation services in their communities.*

**Motivation**

Brockley Academy, Brockley Lane, Backwell  
 Bristol, BS48 4AQ, England  
 Tel: (44-0127)546-4012  
 Fax: (44-0127)546-4019  
 Email: info@motivation.org.uk  
 Web: www.motivation.org.uk

*Motivation designs and provides low-cost mobility products (wheelchairs, tricycles and artificial limbs). It also trains people to meet the needs of their local disabled communities.*

**Musasa Project**

**Physical address:** 64 Selous Ave  
 Cnr 7th Street, Harare, Zimbabwe  
**Postal address:** PO Box A712, Avondale Harare, Zimbabwe  
 Tel: (263-04)725-881, (263-04)734-381  
 Fax: (263-04)794-983  
 Email: musasaproj@africaonline.co.zw

*Provides information and support to abused women and education programs on domestic violence and rape.*

**National Union of Women with Disabilities of Uganda (NUWODU)**

Plot No. 62 Ntinda Road, Ntinda  
 P.O. Box 24891, Kampala, Uganda  
 Tel: (256)41-285240; Mobile: (256)77-475186  
 Fax: (256)41-540178  
 Email: nuwodu@infocom.co.ug  
 Web: www.disability.dk/site/countryindex.php?section\_id=28

*An umbrella promoting equal rights and opportunities for women and girls with disabilities. Provides information on grassroots groups of women with disabilities and assists development of newly formed groups.*

**Teaching Aids at Low Cost (TALC)**

P.O. Box 49, St. Albans, Herts AL 1 5TX, England  
 Tel: (44-0172)785-3869  
 Fax: (44-0172)784-6852  
 Email: info@talcuk.org  
 Web: www.talcuk.org

*Low-cost books, slides, and accessories in English, French, Spanish, and Portuguese on health care and development for use in poor communities. Free booklist and CD libraries.*

**The Southern Africa Federation of the Disabled (SAFOD)**

PO Box 2247, 19 Lobengula Street  
 Bulawayo, Zimbabwe  
 Tel: (263-9)69356; Fax: (263-9)74398  
 Email: safod@netconnect.co.zw  
 Web: www.safod.org

*Human rights organization in Zimbabwe by disabled people for disabled people.*

**Swedish Organizations of Disabled Persons International Aid Association (SHIA)**

Liljeholmstorg 7A, 11763 Stockholm, Sweden  
 Tel: (46-8)462-3360; Fax: (46-8)714-5922  
 Email: shia@shia.se  
 Web: www.shia.se

*SHIA aims to strengthen the efforts of persons with disabilities to achieve equality and participation through development co-operation and partnerships between persons with disabilities in Sweden and elsewhere.*

**Voluntary Health Association of India (VHAI)**

B-40, Qutab Institutional Area, South of IIT  
 New Delhi 110016, India  
 Tel: (91-112)651-8071-72  
 Email: vhai@vsnl.com  
 Web: www.vhai.org

*Health education materials in English and local Indian languages. Also publishes **Health for the Millions**, a journal on low-cost health care.*

**Whirlwind Wheelchair International (WWI)**

San Francisco State University  
 1600 Holloway Avenue - SCI. 251  
 San Francisco, California 94132, USA  
 Tel: (1-415)338-6277; Fax: (1-415)338-1290  
 Email: info@whirlwindwheelchair.org  
 Web: www.whirlwindwheelchair.org

*WWI developed the Whirlwind wheelchair, a lightweight, low-cost, sturdy wheelchair designed for rough urban and rural conditions in developing countries. WWI works with an international network of wheelchair workshops to continually update its designs.*

**World Blind Union**

Enrique Pérez, Secretary General  
 C/Almansa 66, 28039 Madrid, Spain  
 Tel: (34)914-365-366; Fax: (34)915-894-749  
 Email: umc@once.es  
 Web: www.worldblindunion.org

*The World Blind Union (WBU) unites people with visual disabilities in member organizations around the world. They work to promote equal opportunities for the blind; to raise the status of blind women, DeafBlind persons, blind people with multiple disabilities; and to prevent blindness worldwide.*

**World Federation of the Deaf (WFD)**

Postal Address: P.O. Box 65, FIN-00401  
 Helsinki, Finland  
 Physical address: Light House, Ilkantie 4 Haaga,  
 Helsinki, Finland  
 Fax: (358-9)580-3572  
 Email: info@wfdeaf.org  
 Web: www.wfdeaf.org

*WFD is an organization of national associations of deaf people. They work to improve the status of national sign languages and education for deaf people, improve access to information and services, improving human rights for deaf people, and promote the establishment of deaf organizations.*

**World Health Organisation (WHO)**

Rehabilitation Section  
 20 Avenue Appia  
 1211 Geneva 27 Switzerland  
 Tel: (41-22)791-2111; Fax: (41-22)791-3111  
 Email: info@who.int  
 Web: www.who.int

*WHO provides advice and financial support to health-related programs.*

## BOOKS AND OTHER PRINTED MATERIALS

### **A Woman's Guide to Coping with Disability**

Esther Boylan (ed.)  
Resources for Rehabilitation  
33 Bedford Street, Suite 19A  
Lexington, MA 02420, USA

*Written by women with disabilities; personal accounts and experiences cover the stigma of disability, its challenges, and prevention. Includes general information and further resources on specific disabilities: arthritis, multiple sclerosis, osteoporosis, and spinal cord injury.*

### **AgeWays and Aging and Development**

HealthAge International  
67-74 Saffron Hill, London EC1R 0BE, England  
Tel: (44-207)278-777  
Fax: (44-207)713-7993, (44-171)447-203  
Email: helpage@gn.apc.org  
Web: www.helpage.org

*These free journals are printed 2 times a year. HelpAge has a network of over 50 organizations worldwide, working to achieve a lasting improvement in the quality of life for older persons.*

### **Breast Awareness: Taking Care of Our Breasts (booklet)**

Women's Health Information & Support Centre  
120 Bold Street, Liverpool, L1 4JA, England  
Tel: (44-0151)707-1826; Fax: (44-0151)709-2566  
Email: women@whisc.org.uk  
Web: www.whisc.org.uk

*Easy-to-read, heavily-illustrated booklet on how to give a breast exam. Written by and for women with learning troubles, but useful for all.*

*Women's Health Information & Support Centre has also published:*

*Having a Mammogram: X-ray of the Breasts,  
Going to the Breast Assessment Clinic at the  
Breast Unit, and Having a Smear Test.*

### **Building an Inclusive Development Community: A Manual on Including People with Disabilities in International Development Programs**

Karen Heinicke-Motsch and Susan Sygall (eds)  
Mobility International USA  
P.O. Box 10767, Eugene, Oregon 97440, USA  
Web: www.miusa.org

*Strategies for including persons with disabilities in a wide range of development programs, including health care.*

*Also available from Mobility International USA:*

### **Loud, Proud and Passionate: Including Women with Disabilities in International Development Programs**

C. Lewis and S. Sygall (eds.)

*A great resource for starting a group to empower women with disabilities and train them in leadership skills. Includes profiles of individual women as well as groups, their strategies, successes and failures.*

### **Couples with Intellectual Disabilities Talk about Living and Loving**

Karin Schwier Melberg, Woodbine House  
5615 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20852, USA  
Tel: (1-301)897-3570  
Tel in the US (toll-free): (800)843-7323  
Fax: (1-301)897-5838  
Web: www.woodbinehouse.com

*Fifteen interviews with couples with disabilities reveal their personal stories on finding love, companionship, and happiness.*

**Disability Dialogue**

56-64 Leonard Street, London, EC2A 4JX,  
England  
Tel: (44-207)549-0240; Fax: (44-207)549-0241  
Email: info@healthlink.org.uk  
Web: www.healthlink.org.uk

*Disability Dialogue (formerly CBR News) newsletter exchanges information between disabled people and development, health and rehabilitation workers, and aims to promote disability equality, and good policy and practice. Practical information about community approaches and appropriate equipment, published in various language editions.*

**Bangla:****Social Assistance for the Physically Vulnerable (SARPV)**

3/8, Block-F, Lalmatia, Dhaka 1207, Bangladesh  
Email: shaque@bd.drik.net  
Web: www.sarpv.org

**English for Africa and Portuguese (planned):****Southern Africa Federation of the Disabled (SAFOD)**

PO Box 2247, 19 Lobengula Street  
Bulawayo, Zimbabwe

Tel: (263-9)69356; Fax: (263-9)74398  
Email: safod@netconnect.co.zw  
Web: www.safod.org

**English for India and Hindi (Akshamata Samvad):****Amar Jyoti Rehabilitation and Research Centre**

Kakardoona, Vikas Marg, Delhi 110 092, India  
Email: amarjoti@del2.vsnl.net.in

**French:**

Mauritium, 5 Avenue Buswell  
Quatre Bonnes, Mauritius

**Gujarati:****Centre for Health Education Training and Nutrition Awareness (CHETNA)**

Lilavatiben Lalbhai's Bungalow  
Civil Camp Road, Shahibaugh, Ahmedabad  
Gujarat 380 004, India  
Tel: (91-079)286-696; Fax: (91-079)286-6513  
Email: chetna@icenet.net  
Web: www.chetnaindia.org

**Nepali (Apangata Kurakani):****Partners for Rehabilitation**

International Nepal Fellowship  
PO Box 28, Pokhara, Nepal  
Email: kurakani@bigfoot.com

**Tamil (Oonam Seithi):****Rural Unit for Health and Social Affairs (RUHSA)**

Christian Medical College and Hospital RUHSA  
Campus Post Office, Vellore District Tamil Nadu  
632 209, India  
Email: abel-rajaratnam@hotmail.com

*Audio-cassette (International edition) Action on Disability and Development (ADD), UK-distributed by Healthlink Worldwide at the address above*

**English braille****and Indian language audio-cassette:****Blind People's Association of India**

Dr Vikram Sarabhai Rd Vastrapur, Ahmedabad  
380 015, India  
Tel: (91-079)2630-5082; Fax: (91-079)2630-0106  
Email: blinab@sancharnet.in

**Disability, Inclusion and Development: Key Information Resources (directory)**

Source, c/o Healthlink Worldwide  
50-64 Leonard Street, London EC2A 4JX, England  
Tel: (44-207)549-0240; Fax: (44-207)549-0241  
Web: www.asksource.info/res\_library/disability.htm

*Directory of over 300 information resources with abstracts and details of distributors and linked to the full resource online. For people with limited access to the Internet, the directory is available in print with a CD-ROM, which holds the fully searchable and browseable text of many resources.*

**Our Bodies Ourselves**

Boston Women's Health Book Collective, OBOS  
34 Plympton Street, Boston, MA 02118  
Tel: (1-617)451-3666; Fax: (1-617)451-3664  
Email: office@bwhbc.org  
Web: www.ourbodiesourselves.org

*Includes a chapter on Sex and Disabilities, including the effects of the disability on sexuality, and helpful hints and special implications.*

**Multiplying Choices:  
Improving Access to Reproductive Health  
Services for Women with Disabilities**

Barbara Waxman Fiduccia  
Berkeley Planning Associates  
Oakland, CA 94610, USA  
Tel: (1-510)465-7884; Fax: (1-510)465-7885  
Email: info@bpacal.com  
Web: www.berkeleypolicyassociates.com

*Excellent book compiled by disabled women describes their concerns regarding health services, offers suggestions to meet the reproductive health needs of women with disabilities. Has information on the Americans with Disabilities Act, and offers lists of books and articles about sexual and reproductive health for women with disabilities.*

**Reproductive Issues  
for Persons with Physical Disabilities**

F. Haseltine, S. Cole, and D. Gray (eds.)  
Paul H. Brookes Publishing Co.  
P.O. Box 10624  
Baltimore, Maryland, 21285-0624, USA  
Tel: (1-410)337-9580; Fax: (1-410)337-8539  
Email: custserv@brookespublishing.com  
Web: www.brookespublishing.com

*Written for professionals, caregivers, researchers and individuals with disabilities, it provides research findings and personal stories exposing myths surrounding disability and reproductive issues.*

**South African Women's Health Book**

*Order through:* Heinemann Publishers  
Grayston Office Park, 128 Peter Road  
PO Box 781940 Sandown  
Johannesburg, South Africa 2146  
Tel: (27-11)322-8660  
Fax: (27-11)322-8715 or -8716  
Email: cust\_services@heinemann.co.za

*Comprehensive information on women's health in South Africa including stories from women in local communities. Includes chapters on gender, culture, healthy living, violence, work, sexuality, and reproductive health.*

**The Disabled Woman's Guide  
to Pregnancy and Birth**

Judith Rogers, Demos Medical Publishing  
386 Park Avenue South, Suite 301  
New York, NY 10016, USA  
Tel: (1-212)683-0072  
Tel from US (toll free): (1-800)532-8663  
Fax: (1-212) 683-0118  
Email: orderdept@demosmedpub.com  
Web: www.demosmedpub.com/default.aspx?page\_id=0

*Pregnancy and childbirth information for women with disabilities. Revised and re-titled version of **Mother To Be: A Guide to Pregnancy and Birth for Women with Disabilities**. Based on the experiences of 90 women with disabilities who chose to have children.*

**The Kenyan's Deaf Peer Education Manual**

Sahaya International, USA  
c/o Koen Van Rompay  
2949 Portage Bay Avenue, Apartment #195  
Davis, CA 95616, USA  
Tel:(1-530)756-9074  
Email: kkvanrompay@ucdavis.edu  
Web: www.sahaya.org

*A training manual with activities for basic understanding of sexual health, HIV and AIDS.*

**Welner's Guide to the Care  
of Women with Disabilities**

Sandra L. Welner and F. Haseltine  
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins  
530 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106, USA

*Guide for caregivers focusing on management of pain, osteoporosis, anesthesia, incontinence, infertility, depression and psychotropics, substance abuse, and hormonal management. Also addresses more fundamental issues such as nutrition, sexuality, exercise, physical examination, etc.*



## Internet-based resources

The World-Wide Web is an incredible resource for those who have access to it. Besides the very useful websites listed for the organizations and print materials on the previous pages, here we list just a few of the websites we use most frequently when we look for disability and health information.

### Contact

[www.wcc-coe.org/wcc/news/contact.html](http://www.wcc-coe.org/wcc/news/contact.html)

*Contact*, published in French, Spanish, English and Portuguese by World Council of Churches, focuses on issues of health and healing.

### Disability Knowledge and Research

[www.disabilitykar.net/learningpublication/references.html](http://www.disabilitykar.net/learningpublication/references.html)

The Disability Knowledge and Research program, an effort of Healthlink Worldwide and the Overseas Development Group of East Anglia University, aims for better health and quality of life for people in developing countries. This website presents their papers, research, etc., including:

#### Mainstreaming disability in development: lessons from gender mainstreaming

Carol Miller and Bill Albert (March 2005)

*Explains mainstreaming, as a strategy of feminist advocacy in the context of development, and draws comparisons with the history of the disability movement. Includes recommendations for mainstreaming disability, and compares these with 'good practices' in gender mainstreaming.*

#### Mainstreaming disability in development: India country report

Philippa Thomas (June 2005)

*Examines disability in relation to poverty and social exclusion. The report also highlights ways to integrate disability into development.*

#### Disability, poverty and the 'new' development agenda

David Seddon and Rebecca Yeo (July 2005)

*Looks at changes that have taken place in recent years around poverty, disability and the relationship between the two.*

### Disability World

[www.disabilityworld.org](http://www.disabilityworld.org)

*This is a great site that is an internationally focused news web magazine covering disability issues. The site is useful in sorting out relevant information and is in both English and Spanish. Internet users with slower connections can load the site as text only.*

### Source International Information Support Centre

[www.asksource.info](http://www.asksource.info)

*Source*, is an international information support centre designed to strengthen the management, use and impact of information on health and disability.

*Source* now has over 25,000 information resources on a range of subjects including HIV and AIDS, disability and inclusion, mother and child health, information and communication technology and participatory communication. Resources are available online, by CD-ROM and as printed materials.

### Table Manners and Beyond: The Gynecological Exam for Women with Developmental Disabilities and Other Functional Limitations.

[www.bhawd.org/sitefiles/TblMrs/cover.html](http://www.bhawd.org/sitefiles/TblMrs/cover.html)

*An excellent guide, edited by Katherine M Simpson and Kathleen Lankasky, for both women with disabilities and health care workers of how to do pelvic and breast exams for women with a wide range of disabilities.*

### World Enable

[www.worldenable.net/women/](http://www.worldenable.net/women/)

*A project of several disability organizations with a great list of resources and a page specifically on women with disabilities.*