



Stroke Support Association presents:

Assistive Technology for Stroke Survivors

Tuesday, October 15, 2019

10:00-10:40 AM

3759 Orange Ave, Long Beach, CA 90807

Followed by our regular support groups

Samantha Mam, Assistive Technology Specialist and Webmaster at **Disabled Resources Center (DRC)** in Long Beach, will speak about the various forms of assistive technology available to rent from DRC's Device Lending Library.

Based on a try-it-before-you-buy-it model, the library lends out devices for up to 30 days. Links to purchase from outside vendors will be provided to borrowers if and when requested.

Devices and gadgets on loan include:

- ❖ Portable Ramps
- ❖ Wheelchairs and walkers
- ❖ Listening Devices (more affordable options than hearing aids)
- ❖ Talking clock
- ❖ 6-ways opener tool; doorknob extension; foot socker
- ❖ Magnifiers; computer software; iPads and other tablets

Available for free to DRC consumers:

- ❖ Non-prescription reading glasses
- ❖ Collapsible canes
- ❖ Warm Hands for Wheelchair Users (gloves)

Disabled Resources Center offers 20 different services and programs to their consumers. Its mission: "To empower people with disabilities to live independently in the community, to make their own decisions about their lives, and to advocate on their own behalf."



Disabled Resources Center is a formal partner of Stroke Support Association.