



Recommended Resources

TITLE	AUTHOR	DESCRIPTION
101 Ways to Facilitate Making Friends	Aaron Johannes, Jim Reynolds, Susan Stanfield	How to engage and deepen support networks for people with disabilities
150 Things You Can Do to Build Social Capital	Harvard Kennedy School Saguaro Seminar	Free download: https://www.hks.harvard.edu/saguaro/whatyoucando.htm
A Brief Introduction to Social Role Valorization	Wolf Wolfensberger	A classic work on how to address the plight of societally devalued people
Building Communities from the Inside Out: A Path Toward Finding and Mobilizing a Community's Assets	John Kretzmann & John McKnight	Online Summary: http://www.nhi.org/online/issues/83/buildcomm.html
Building Friends at Work	Richard Hawes and the Arc of Mass.	Free download: http://thearcofmass.org/toolkit/
Friends & Inclusion: Five Approaches to Building Relationships	Peggy Hutchison & John Lord with Karen Lord	A family describes their personal search and five approaches to building a good life with belonging
Friends: Connecting People with Disabilities and Community Members	Angela Novak Amato	Free download: https://ici.umn.edu/index.php?products/view_part/579/
Making a Contribution: Resume writing and interviewing tips to help you share your gifts	Self Advocates and DDS	Good person centered planning tools that can apply to any situation and environment
Making Friends in School	Dr. Zachary Rossetti and the Arc of Mass.	Free download: http://thearcofmass.org/toolkit/
Members of Each Other	John O'Brien & Connie Lyle O'Brien	Building community in company with people with developmental disabilities
Pathfinders	John O'Brien and Beth Mount	People with developmental disabilities and their allies building communities that work for everybody.
The Good Life	Hugh Mackay	Examines what makes a life worth living
Waddie Welcome & the Beloved Community	Tom Kohler & Susan Earl	A personal story about the power of citizen advocates and intentional friendships
Why Not Lead?	Deborah Reidy	A primer for families of people with disabilities and their families.