

# **ADVOCACY Resource List**

Provided to the DSAV

## **Ohio Legal Rights**

Local - 330-426-3950 - Marilyn Figley

Columbus - Toll Free - 1-800-282-9181 (ask for intake person)

## **State Dept. of Exceptional Children**

1-614-466-3641 (ask for intake person)

## **Office of Civil Rights**

1-614-522-4970

## **The Arc of Ohio**

1-800-875-2723

website: [www.thearcofohio.org](http://www.thearcofohio.org)

## **Ohio Coalition for the Education of Handicapped Children**

165 Center Street, Suite 302

Marion, Ohio 43302

Website: <http://www.ocecd.org>

1-800-374-2806

## **Family Support Collaborative**

1-614-7264

Toll Free 1-800-282-9181

## **Help Me Grow – Mahoning Co.**

330-965-7912

## **Mahoning County MCBDD**

330-797-2825

Identification and Service and Support Administration (Case Manager)

Kris Hodge - Director - 330-797-2913

## **State Dept. of Developmentally Disabled**

Peggy Martin, Family Advocate

30 E. Broad Street, 12th Floor

Columbus, Ohio 43215

E-mail - [peggymartin@dodd.ohio.gov](mailto:peggymartin@dodd.ohio.gov)

1-614-466-8706 (Peggy)

1-614-752-8551 (Fax)

General: 1-614-644-5964

## **Ohio Developmental Disabilities Council (DD Council)**

1-800-766-7426

1-614-466-5205

**DSAV - Down Syndrome Association of the Valley**

945 Boardman-Canfield Road, Suite 12

Boardman, Ohio 44512

330-726-3728

e-mail: [info@dsav.org](mailto:info@dsav.org)

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

**Rich Center for Autism**

330-941-1927

Georgia Backus - Director

Cynthia Rogers - Parent Person

**Mahoning County Probate Court**

330-740-2310 9 (Guardianship, etc.)

**Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services**

ODJFS

330-740-2600 (local)

Client Services Hotline

Toll Free -1-866-244-0071

**Social Security (SSI) Local Office**

Toll Free - 1-800- 325-0778

**SSI and General Information**

Toll Free - 1-800-772-1213

Local: 330-747-1496

**Hickman & Lowder Law Firm**

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