

# CAMPS

*Listing of both residential and day camps for children and youth with disabilities.*

## **Agassiz Village**

*An integrated program in conjunction with the Mass Easter Seals, for Massachusetts residents who have physical disabilities. Located in Poland, Maine, the camp is for children aged 7-14.*

238 Bedford St., Suite 8  
Lexington, MA 02420

**Phone:** (781) 860-0200  
**Fax:** (781) 860-0352  
**Email:** agassiz@agassizvillage.com  
**Website:** www.agassizvillage.com  
**Serving:** Statewide

## **American Camp Association of New England (ACANE)**

*Regional information and referral for camps. Call for customized listing of children's summer camp referrals and for information about a full range of camp choices.*

80 Westview Street  
Lexington, MA 02421

**Phone:** (781) 541-6080, (866) 534-2267  
**Fax:** (781) 541-6084  
**Email:** camp@acane-camps.org  
**Website:** www.acane-camps.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

## **Berkshire Hills Music Academy (BMHA)**

*Post-secondary school for special learners with musical abilities. Two-year program. Summer program.*

48 Woodbridge St.  
South Hadley, MA 01075

**Phone:** (413) 540-9720  
**Fax:** (413) 534-3875  
**Email:** info@berkshirehills.org  
**Website:** www.berkshirehills.org  
**Serving:** Statewide  
**Additional Languages Served:** Spanish

## **Boys Scouts of America**

*Inclusive recreational opportunities.*

411 Unquity Rd.  
Milton, MA 02186

**Phone:** (617) 615-0004  
**Fax:** (617) 615-0005  
**Email:** council@bsaboston.org  
**Website:** www.bsaboston.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

## **Camp Allen**

*A coed camp for children and adults with disabilities.*

56 Camp Allen Rd.  
Bedford, NH 03110

**Phone:** (603) 622-8471  
**Fax:** (603) 626-4295  
**Email:** mary@campallennh.org  
**Website:** www.campallennh.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

## **Camp Arrowhead**

*Day camp for ages 5 and up. The program is adapted to the needs of the physically and mentally disabled. Sponsored by Natick Recreation and Parks Department.*

179 Boden Ln.  
Natick, MA 01760

**Phone:** (508) 647-6530, (508) 647-6530 (TTY)  
**Fax:** (508) 647-6535  
**Website:** www.camparrowhead.org  
**Serving:** Boston, Southeast

## **Camp Carefree**

*Camp Carefree provides a free one week camping experience for children from North Carolina and other states with specific health problems and disabilities. The program also includes camps for well siblings of chronically ill or disabled children; as well as those with a disabled or seriously ill parent.*

275 Carefree Lane  
Stokesdale, NC 27357

**Phone:** (336) 427-0966  
**Website:** www.campcarefree.org  
**Serving:** National

## **Camp Chest Nut**

*A week-long overnight camp in Becket, MA for children ages 8-15 with asthma.*

American Lung Association of Massachusetts, Inc.  
5 Mountain Rd.  
Burlington, MA 01803

**Phone:** (781) 272-2866  
**Fax:** (781) 273-2846  
**Email:** jarsenault@lungma.org  
**Website:** www.lungma.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Echo Bridge

*This six week camp is designed to meet the summer recreational needs of children and young adults with and without disabilities. Our goal is for campers to have a positive and safe recreational experience that fosters friendship and fun.*

70 Crescent Street  
Newton, MA 02466

**Phone:** (617) 552-7120

**Fax:** (617) 552-7120

**Website:** [www.ci.newton.ma.us/parks](http://www.ci.newton.ma.us/parks)

**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Fatima

*This camp offers two separate weeks of camp for children with mild to severe disabilities.*

P.O. Box 206  
Gilmanton Iron Works, NH 03837

**Phone:** (603) 364-5851

**Fax:** (603) 364-5038

**Email:** [info@diocamps.org](mailto:info@diocamps.org)

**Website:** [www.diocamps.org](http://www.diocamps.org)

**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Half Moon

*An integrated camp that offers both a day and residential program, (2 week minimum), for boys and girls ages 6-15 with mild learning disabilities, ADD or ADHD.*

P.O. Box 188  
Great Barrington, MA 01230

**Phone:** (413) 528-0940

**Fax:** (413) 528-0941

**Email:** [info@camphalfmoon.com](mailto:info@camphalfmoon.com)

**Website:** [www.camphalfmoon.com](http://www.camphalfmoon.com)

**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Howe

*Fully integrated, residential camp for boys and girls ages 7-17 years.*

P.O. Box 326  
Goshen, MA 01032

**Phone:** (413) 549-3969, (866) 268-7635

**Fax:** (413) 549-6337

**Email:** [office@mass4Hcamps.com](mailto:office@mass4Hcamps.com)

**Website:** [www.camphowe.com](http://www.camphowe.com)

**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Joy

*Camp Joy is a day camp for Boston residents, ages 3-22. Children 3-7 do not need to be in a special education program at school. Children 8 and older need to have a 504 program or IEP in school to be eligible. There are 15 sites throughout Boston.*

1483 Tremont St.  
Boston, MA 02120

**Phone:** (617) 635-4920, (617) 635-5041 (TTY)

**Fax:** (617) 635-5074

**Website:** [www.cityofboston.gov/bcyf](http://www.cityofboston.gov/bcyf)

**Serving:** Boston

### Camp Laroweld

*A camp for children ages 9 and up who are blind or legally blind. Bus transportation from MA is available.*

RR Box 770  
Weld, ME 01760

**Phone:** (207) 585-2984

**Serving:** National

### Camp Lawrence YMCA

*Residential camp for boys ages 8-15 located on Bear Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, NH. Four 2-week sessions. Not wheelchair accessible. Serves children with mild disabilities. Financial aid available; must apply by April 1.*

7 Ballard Way  
Lawrence, MA 01843

**Phone:** (978) 975-1330

**Fax:** (978) 681-1126

**Website:** [www.mvymca.org](http://www.mvymca.org)

**Serving:** Statewide

### Camp Nokomis YMCA

*Residential camp for girls ages 8-15 located on Bear Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, NH. Four 2-week sessions. Not wheelchair accessible. Serves children with mild disabilities. Financial aid available; must apply by April 1.*

7 Ballard Way  
Lawrence, MA 01843

**Phone:** (978) 975-1330

**Fax:** (978) 681-1126

**Website:** [www.mvymca.org](http://www.mvymca.org)

**Serving:** Statewide

**Camp Otter YMCA**

A 9-week co-ed summer day program for children ages 6–13 years in Salem, NH. Serves children with mild disabilities. Not wheelchair accessible. Financial aid available; must apply by April 1.

7 Ballard Way  
Lawrence, MA 01843

**Phone:** (978) 975-1330  
**Fax:** (978) 681-1126  
**Email:** edavenport@mvyymca.org  
**Website:** www.mvyymca.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Camp Ramapo**

A residential camp that serves children with a range of emotional and learning problems in a natural outdoor environment.

Rt. 52 Salisbury Turnpike, P.O. Box 266  
Rhinebeck, NY 12572

**Phone:** (845) 876-8403  
**Fax:** (845) 876-8414  
**Email:** office@ramapoforchildren.org  
**Website:** www.ramapoforchildren.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Camp Steppingstone**

A six-week day camp, with several programming options, in Boxford for children with physical and/or other disabilities ages 3-22. The camp is wheelchair accessible.

480 Broadway  
Methuen, MA 01844

**Phone:** (978) 685-3000  
**Fax:** (978) 689-7466  
**Email:** bpierce@glec.org  
**Website:** www.glec.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Camp Sunshine**

A camp in Casco, Maine for children with life-threatening illnesses and their entire families.

35 Acadia Rd.  
Casco, ME 04015

**Phone:** (207) 655-3800  
**Fax:** (207) 655-3825  
**Email:** info@campsunshine.org  
**Website:** www.campsunshine.org  
**Serving:** National

**Camp Tahdawasa YMCA**

A YMCA camp with a special needs component for children ages 6-18 with mild to moderate special needs. Swimming, sports, arts & crafts, and adventure-based activities. Transportation provided within Beverly.

254 Essex St.  
Beverly, MA 01915

**Phone:** (978) 927-6855  
**Fax:** (978) 927-6530  
**Website:** www.northshoreymca.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Camp Triumph**

A therapeutic summer day program serving children who are in need of specialized services to address their social and psychological needs.

235 Cabot St., Suite 2  
Beverly, MA 01915

**Phone:** (978) 232-0192  
**Fax:** (781) 944-6535  
**Email:** academy.north@verizon.net  
**Website:** www.academynorth.com/Camp.htm  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Clara Barton Camp**

The Barton Center for Diabetes Education is a year-round camp, retreat, and conference center, where learning & shared experiences combine to support & motivate children and families. We offer a residential summer camp, (girls aged 6-16), family retreats, weekend programs, as well as education and support programs.

The Barton Center for Diabetes Education  
P.O. Box 356  
North Oxford, MA 01537

**Phone:** (508) 987-2056  
**Fax:** (508) 987-2002  
**Email:** info@bartoncenter.org  
**Website:** www.bartoncenter.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Computing for College - The Carroll Center for the Blind**

Advanced computer training for visually impaired high school and college students, ages 15-22.

770 Centre Street  
Newton, MA 02458

**Phone:** (617) 969-6200, (800) 852-3131  
**Website:** www.carroll.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Double "H" Ranch

*Double"H" Ranch provides year-round fun and emotional support to children ages 6-16 facing critical illness. Provides the venue for weekends sponsored by a number of family based support programs including: families coping with HIV/AIDS, Von Willebrands disease, and many more.*

97 Hidden Valley Rd.  
Lake Luzerne, NY 12846

**Phone:** (518) 696-5676  
**Fax:** (518) 696-4528  
**Website:** [www.doublehranch.org](http://www.doublehranch.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Eagle Hill Summer Program

*A residential co-ed camp for children with learning differences, including specific learning disabilities and/or ADD.*

242 Old Petersham Rd.  
Hardwick, MA 01037

**Phone:** (413) 477-6000, (413) 477-6000  
**Fax:** (413) 477-6837  
**Email:** [admission@ehs1.org](mailto:admission@ehs1.org)  
**Website:** [www.ehs1.org](http://www.ehs1.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Easter Seals Massachusetts

*Camps; statewide information and referral. Assistive technology program, job training and employment program in the Worcester area and Boston. Camps are located in Poland, Maine and Hebron, Connecticut.*

484 Main St., 6th Fl.  
Worcester, MA 01608

**Phone:** (508) 757-2756, (800) 922-8290,  
(800) 564-9700 (TTY)  
**Fax:** (508) 751-6346  
**Email:** [info@eastersealsma.org](mailto:info@eastersealsma.org)  
**Website:** [www.eastersealsma.org](http://www.eastersealsma.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Elliott P. Joslin Camp

*A residential camp in Charlton, MA for boys ages 7-16.5 with diabetes. Also hosts co-ed wilderness program for children ages 14-18.*

One Joslin Pl.  
Boston, MA 02215

**Phone:** (617) 732-2455  
**Fax:** (617) 735-1925  
**Email:** [camp@Joslin.harvard.edu](mailto:camp@Joslin.harvard.edu)  
**Website:** [www.campjoslin.org](http://www.campjoslin.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Girl Scout Council Southeastern Massachusetts (GSCSM)

*Offers a program during the school year for girls, regardless of disability; also offers inclusive summer camps.*

111 East Grove St.  
Middleboro, MA 02346

**Phone:** (508) 923-0800, (800) 242-0925  
**Fax:** (508) 923-7676  
**Email:** [staff@gscsm.org](mailto:staff@gscsm.org)  
**Website:** [www.gscsm.org](http://www.gscsm.org)  
**Serving:** Southeast

### Girl Scout Council: Boston

*Offers a program during the school year for girls, regardless of disability; also offers inclusive summer camps.*

95 Berkley St.  
Boston, MA 02116

**Phone:** (617) 482-1078, (800) 882-1662  
**Fax:** (617) 350-5246  
**Email:** [info@ptgirlscouts.org](mailto:info@ptgirlscouts.org)  
**Website:** [www.ptgirlscouts.org](http://www.ptgirlscouts.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

### Girl Scouts: Springfield

*Offers a program during the school year for girls, regardless of disability; also offers inclusive summer camps.*

40 Harkness Ave.  
East Longmeadow, MA 01028

**Phone:** (413) 525-4124, (800) 639-7047  
**Fax:** (413) 525-5901  
**Email:** [girlscouts@gsvp.org](mailto:girlscouts@gsvp.org)  
**Website:** [www.gspv.org](http://www.gspv.org)  
**Serving:** Western

### Grotonwood

*Provides summer and year-round programs for young adults with special needs in a recreational setting in Groton. Also hosts a summer camp for young adults with disabilities in Ocean Park, Maine with two weeks specifically for individuals with cerebral palsy.*

167 Prescott St.  
Groton, MA 01450

**Phone:** (978) 448-5763  
**Fax:** (978) 448-0025  
**Email:** [office@grotonwood.org](mailto:office@grotonwood.org)  
**Website:** [www.grotonwood.org](http://www.grotonwood.org)  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Handi-Kids**

*Year-round programs for people with disabilities. Summer camp, Saturday program, vacation week programs, boy and girl scout troops, therapeutic horseback riding, special events and holiday parties.*

470 Pine St.  
Bridgewater, MA 02324

**Phone:** (508) 697-7557  
**Fax:** (508) 697-1529  
**Email:** info@handikids.org  
**Website:** www.handikids.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Kamp for Kids/Camp Togowauk**

*An integrated day camp sponsored by Abilities Unlimited of Western New England for ages 3-22.*

61 Union St.  
Westfield, MA 01086

**Phone:** (413) 562-5678  
**Fax:** (413) 562-1239  
**Email:** info@abilitiesunlimited.org  
**Website:** www.abilitiesunlimited.org  
**Serving:** Western

**National Camps for Blind Children & Adults**

*Residential camp for boys and girls ages 9 and up who are blind or legally blind.*

4444 South 52nd St.  
Lincoln, NE 68516

**Phone:** (978) 827-4455  
**Fax:** (402) 488-7582  
**Email:** info@christianrecord.org  
**Website:** www.christianrecord.org  
**Serving:** National

**Newton Therapeutic Recreation Program**

*The Newton Therapeutic Recreation Program offers year-round recreation and leisure programs for children and adults with disabilities. During the summer months, Camp Echo Bridge offers six weeks of summer fun in Newton Center.*

70 Crescent St.  
Newton, MA 02466

**Phone:** (617) 796-1527  
**Fax:** (617) 796-1512  
**Email:** mkelly@ci.newton.ma.us  
**Website:** www.newtonspecialathletics.com  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Real World of Work - The Carroll Center for the Blind**

*Provides visually impaired students ages 16-20 with paid summer part-time work experience.*

770 Centre Street  
Newton, MA 02458

**Phone:** (617) 969-6200, (800) 852-3131  
**Website:** www.carroll.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

**Red Oak Summer Program**

*Red Oak Summer program serves children ages 5-13 at the Quincy Elementary School in Chinatown. Includes trips, gym, swim, reading, arts, clubs, cooking, gardening, computer, games, and lunch. Groups include all children for all 8 weeks. Parents provide transportation.*

885 Washington St.  
Boston, MA 02111

**Phone:** (617) 635-5129, (617) 635-5135 (TTY)  
**Fax:** (617) 635-5132  
**Email:** roakdir@bcnc.net  
**Website:** www.bcnc.net  
**Serving:** Statewide  
**Additional Languages Served:** Chinese

**Resources for Children with Special Needs, Inc.**

*A parent training and information center that publishes a comprehensive listing of residential camp options in New England and the metropolitan NYC area for children and youth with special needs. Includes a wide range of disabilities and age groups.*

116 East 16th St., 5th Floor  
New York, NY 10003

**Phone:** (212) 677-4650  
**Fax:** (212) 254-4070  
**Email:** info@resourcesnyc.org  
**Website:** www.resourcesnyc.org  
**Serving:** National

**The JCC Jacobson Rose Grossman Camp**

*The JCC Jacob and Rose Grossman Camp can accommodate children ages 4 1/2-15 with mild to moderate behavioral challenges. An intake is required. Serves 38 communities. Transportation is available.*

333 Nahanton St.  
Newton, MA 02459

**Phone:** (617) 244-5124  
**Fax:** (617) 244-1289  
**Website:** www.grossmancamp.org  
**Serving:** Boston, Metrowest

### **United Way of North Central Massachusetts**

915 South St  
Fitchburg, MA 01420

**Phone:** (800) 244-2756, (800) 800-5648 (TTY)  
**Fax:** (508) 508-8315  
**Email:** info@eastersealsma.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **Wellspring Farm Learning Center**

*Provides array of horse activities for children with special needs-all ages.*

42 Hiller Rd.  
Rochester, MA 02770

**Phone:** (508) 763-5896  
**Email:** wellspringllc@aol.com  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **YMCA Camp Massapoag Family Outdoor Center**

*This day program includes all children ages 5-14 including those who are emotionally/behaviorally challenged, or moderately disabled.*

234 Hall St., P.O. Box 153  
Dunstable, MA 01827

**Phone:** (978) 649-7521  
**Fax:** (978) 649-4354  
**Email:** campinfo@campmassapoag.org  
**Website:** www.campmassapoag.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **YMCA: Boston Central Branch**

*Numerous programs throughout the state offer swimming and other recreational opportunities for all children and families. Family passes are affordable and can often be obtained through your local library. Also offer afterschool care, special school vacation programs. Programs offered through the YMCA vary from one to another. Check for listings in your local phone book or call the following 800 number.*

316 Huntington Ave.  
Boston, MA 02115

**Phone:** (617) 536-7800, (800) 872-9622  
**Fax:** (617) 276-4653  
**Website:** www.ymcaboston.org/  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **YMCA: Camp Harrington**

*A camp for children 6-14 years of age with moderate special needs. Offers school year after school program for Boylston residents.*

320 Sewall St.  
Boylston, MA 01505

**Phone:** (508) 869-0586  
**Fax:** (508) 869-0221  
**Email:** slockney@ymcaworcester.org  
**Website:** www.ymcamah.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **Youth in Transition- The Carroll Center for the Blind**

*A four week program that provides classes and social activities for visually impaired teenagers ages 15-20.*

770 Center Street  
Newton, MA 02458

**Phone:** (617) 969-6200, (800) 852-3131  
**Website:** www.carroll.org  
**Serving:** Statewide

### **Youthcare Summer Program**

*A seven-week summer day program for children, (ages 5-14), with social communications challenges, including Asperger's Syndrome, high functioning autism, and non-verbal learning disorder. The Youthcare summer program operates in Charlestown and in Westwood, Massachusetts. Year-round social skills groups are also available.*

Massachusetts General Hospital  
15 Green St., 3rd Floor  
Charlestown, MA 02129

**Phone:** (617) 726-0060  
**Fax:** (617) 726-0064  
**Email:** mghyouthcare@partners.org  
**Website:** www.mghyouthcare.org  
**Serving:** Boston, Metrowest