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News items

Babies time their smiles to make their moms smile in return

http://www.jacobsschool.ucsd.edu/news/news_releases/release.sfe?id=1818

Benefits of word repetition to infants <http://umdrightnow.umd.edu/news/umd-research-demonstrates-benefits-word-repetition-infants>

Macular degeneration: nanotech drug treatment could replace eyeball injections

<http://www.smh.com.au/national/health/macular-degeneration-nanotech-drug-treatment-could-replace-eyeball-injections-20150918-giq7gg.html>

New prevalence data shows 1 in 6 adults reports trouble hearing

http://www.nidcd.nih.gov/news/releases/15/Pages/091715.aspx?utm_source=News&utm_medium=bulletin&utm_content=09.17.15&utm_campaign=NIDCD

Bionic Eyes, Stem Cells and Gene Therapy: 3 Cutting Edge Cures for Blindness

http://time.com/4026658/blindness-cure-treatment/?utm_content=buffer7de0e&utm_medium=social&utm_source=twitter.com&utm_campaign=buffer

Eye spy a good reason to play outside <http://www.cera.org.au/2015/09/eye-spy-a-good-reason-to-play-outside/>

New Videophone Technology Enhances Communication for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing

Patients <http://www.medstarhealth.org/mhs/2015/09/14/new-videophone-technology-enhances-communication-for-deaf-and-hard-of-hearing-patients/#q={>

Finally, a Crisis Hotline the Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Community Can Use

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/crisis-text-line/finally-a-crisis-hotline-b_8136694.html?ir=Australia

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This cube could change the way the blind navigate <http://www.techinsider.io/haptic-sandwich-cube-helps-blind-navigate-2015-9>

Careless texters break visually impaired woman's cane repeatedly
<http://www.couriermail.com.au/lifestyle/careless-texters-break-visually-impaired-womans-cane-repeatedly/story-fnixw28g-1227528151820>

Floriade 2015: Canberra's blind societies lead tour for all senses at flower festival
<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2015-09-16/floriade-sensory-tour-lead-by-blind-societies/6776662>

NSW, Vic sign on to NDIS funding
<http://www.skynews.com.au/news/national/2015/09/16/nsw--vic-sign-on-to-ndis-funding.html#sthash.vVeJbKLO.dpuf>

Visual cortex in blind children responds to hearing stories, JHU researcher finds
<http://www.baltimoresun.com/health/bs-hs-blind-sound-20150904-story.html>

Are iPads in schools a waste of money? OECD report says yes
<http://www.theage.com.au/victoria/are-ipads-in-schools-a-waste-of-money-oecd-report-says-yes-20150914-gjmnqf.html#ixzz3lr6BvfkT>

Guide Dogs Australia wants mobile phone users to pay more attention while walking
<http://www.dailytelegraph.com.au/newslocal/inner-west/guide-dogs-australia-wants-mobile-phone-users-to-pay-more-attention-while-walking/story-fngr8h4f-1227528011123>

Guide dog refused entry: Batemans Bay store fined
<http://www.batemansbaypost.com.au/story/3348554/blind-man-guide-dog-refused-entry-to-bay-store/>

Virgin Australia forced to pay disabled man \$10,000 for refusing to let him fly with helper dog
<http://www.heraldsun.com.au/news/virgin-australia-forced-to-pay-disabled-man-10000-for-refusing-to-let-him-fly-with-helper-dog/story-fnii5s3y-1227524249663>

A Cure for Blindness Just Might Come From Algae
<http://www.wired.com/2015/09/cure-blindness-just-might-come-algae/>

Vision Australia lobbies govt for audio descriptors
<http://tvtonight.com.au/2015/09/vision-australia-lobbies-govt-for-audio-descriptors.html>

UW scientists are pioneering research on 'body maps' in babies' brains
<http://www.washington.edu/news/2015/09/08/uw-researchers-are-pioneering-research-on-body-maps-in-babies-brains/>

Young people better educated, fewer using substances, but weight and diet remain a concern
<http://www.aihw.gov.au/media-release-detail/?id=60129552770>

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Free classes to boost disability workers ahead of NDIS shakeup

<http://www.smh.com.au/nsw/free-classes-to-boost-disability-workers-ahead-of-ndis-shakeup-20150905-gjfsvu.html>

Auslan student news a sign of the times in broadcasting

<http://www.sbs.com.au/news/article/2015/09/05/auslan-student-news-sign-times-broadcasting>

Victoria and New South Wales strike disability scheme breakthrough

<http://www.smh.com.au/national/victoria-and-new-south-wales-strike-disability-scheme-breakthrough-20150904-gjfgew.html>

CDA education submission demonstrates urgent need for reform for students with disability

<http://www.cda.org.au/cdasubmissions>

Wrist device translates sign language

<http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2015/09/150901161512.htm>

Helping toddlers understand emotion key to development

http://msutoday.msu.edu/news/2015/helping-toddlers-understand-emotion-key-to-development/?utm_campaign=media-pitch&utm_medium=email

National Disability Insurance Scheme trials earn tick from disabled

<http://www.theaustralian.com.au/national-affairs/health/national-disability-insurance-scheme-trials-earn-tick-from-disabled/story-fn59nokw-1227509985430?sv=414c180ca00d4eda4d18c1e99fdd461>

Lip service

<https://overland.org.au/2015/09/lip-service-3/>

Vitamin D may play key role in preventing macular degeneration

<http://www.buffalo.edu/news/releases/2015/08/032.html>

Brain-Based Listening and Spoken Language: The Focus of the Third Edition of Cole and Flexer (2016)

http://www.pluralpublishing.com/wp/?p=2337&j=2589799&e=julie.thorndyke@ridbc.org.au&l=904_HTML&u=6908138&mid=6237222&jb=0

From the isolation of deafness to a new sonic world

<http://www.abc.net.au/radionational/programs/earshot/from-the-isolation-of-deafness-to-a-new-sonic-world/6712234>

Indigenous eye health researchers call for boost in funding

<http://www.abc.net.au/am/content/2015/s4303630.htm>

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Newsletters

Daily Media Round-Up Friday 25 September 2015

<http://www.pwd.org.au>

Flying Kites September Edition <http://us2.campaign->

archive1.com/?u=e2597f6f4d5319f23415b450a&id=81170e632c&e=24cab9317d

Special Education Today

<http://www.multibriefs.com/briefs/cec/cec092415.php>

Insight enews

<http://rnibenews.org.uk/q/1bm6JvopwoiL0dk5n04/wv>

LINK What's news in disability <http://us11.campaign->

archive2.com/?u=0458c065b5f59775cd81f0a14&id=aeb5d72741&e=e8142bce6c

PWDA Daily Media Round-Up Tuesday 22 September 2015

<http://www.pwd.org.au>

Lowitja Institute eBulletin 21 September 2015

<http://thelowitjainstitute.cmail19.com/t/ViewEmail/j/471CDFDF1D5E55F7/D67C650B2238F27C5EC08CADFFC107B>

DARU Update 21 Sept <http://us4.campaign->

archive2.com/?u=302b7fc3cb039a9e08bba4cb3&id=b3424d013e&e=87212e98e4

PWDA Daily Media Round-Up Friday 18 September 2015

<http://www.pwd.org.au>

NBPress Sept - 14 y.o. Receives Award for Tactile Banknotes-September eNews

http://nbp.convio.net/site/MessageViewer?em_id=3981.0&dlv_id=18661

NB - 17 Sept

<http://rnibenews.org.uk/q/1bm6JvmX1sDWzkG2pNu/wv>

One in Six

<http://www.deafnessforum.org.au>

Speaking from the Volta Bureau

<http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?ca=f9c42203-a4fc-4255-8330-b8528d31a874&c=851f3400-a9bb-11e3-bded-d4ae5275dbc8&ch=865cbd10-a9bb-11e3-be15-d4ae5275dbc8>

DARU Update - 14 September 2015 <http://us4.campaign->

archive1.com/?u=302b7fc3cb039a9e08bba4cb3&id=1f72f64a65&e=87212e98e4

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Australasian Journal of Early Childhood Vol. 40 No. 3
online.earlychildhoodaustralia.org.au/services/ajec/

The Clarke Connection: September 2015
<http://www.clarkeschools.org>

eNEWS Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing 10Sept
<http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?ca=0c6fe6cd-db61-4bde-9c6b-bc4191f4a4cc&c=b40ee3a0-a9bb-11e3-8895-d4ae5275dbc8&ch=b5094930-a9bb-11e3-88cd-d4ae5275dbc8>

LINK What's news in disability
<http://us11.campaign-archive1.com/?u=0458c065b5f59775cd81f0a14&id=38221d09a2&e=e8142bce6c>

DARU Update - 7 September 2015 <http://us4.campaign-archive1.com/?u=302b7fc3cb039a9e08bba4cb3&id=6c576b2456&e=87212e98e4>

The Lowitja Institute eBulletin 7 September 2015
<http://thelowitjainstitute.cmail2.com/t/ViewEmail/j/27066A5D1E19A31F/D67C650B2238FF27C5EC08CADFFC107B>

APH News, September 2015
<http://www.aph.org/advisory/2015adv09.html>

Disability Scoop 4 Sept
<http://www.disabilityscoop.com/>

PWDA Daily Media Round-Up Friday 4 September 2015
<http://www.pwd.org.au>

CAP THAT! re-cap newsletter - the National Literacy & Numeracy Week edition
<http://us4.campaign-archive2.com/?u=0bc2f4d8f7d627236a4d07ea9&id=acc528b531&e=584c30dd02>

AFB Research Navigator: Back to School for Students with Visual Impairments
<http://www.afb.org/info/living-with-vision-loss/blindness-statistics/research-navigator-a-quarterly-series-on-research-in-blindness-and-visual-impairment/research-navigator-students-with-visual-impairments/1235>

Special Education Today 3 Sept
<http://www.multibriefs.com/briefs/cec/cec090315.php>

NB - 3 Sept 2015
<http://rnibenews.org.uk/g/1bm6JvhJOqr4uUxz7qZ/wv>

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Early Childhood Australia WebWatch #219 <http://www.earlychildhoodaustralia.org.au/our-publications/eca-webwatch/webwatch-index/>

AccessWorld Sept 2015
<http://www.afb.org/aw/main.asp>

One in Six newsletter 2 September
<http://www.deafnessforum.org.au>

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Journal ToC alerts

The Journal of Special Education Table of Contents for November 2015; Vol. 49, No. 3
<http://sed.sagepub.com/content/49/3?etoc>

Otology & Neurotology - October 2015 - Volume 36 - Issue 9
<http://journals.lww.com/otology-neurotology/pages/currenttoc.aspx>

Reading Research Quarterly 50, 4 (October/November/December 2015)
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/rrq.2015.50.issue-4/issuetoc?campaign=woletoc>

Young Exceptional Children September 2015; Vol. 18, No. 3
<http://yec.sagepub.com/content/18/3?etoc>

Journal of Telemedicine and Telecare October 2015; Vol. 21, No. 7
<http://jtt.sagepub.com/content/21/7?etoc>

Developmental Medicine & Child Neurology 57, 10 (October 2015)
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/dmcr.2015.57.issue-10/issuetoc?campaign=woletoc>

British Journal of Visual Impairment September 2015; Vol. 33, No. 3
<http://jvi.sagepub.com/content/33/3?etoc>

The Hearing Journal - September 2015 - Volume 68 - Issue 9
<http://journals.lww.com/thehearingjournal/pages/currenttoc.aspx>

The Reading Teacher 69, 2 (September/October 2015)
<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/trtr.2015.69.issue-2/issuetoc?campaign=woletoc>

Journal of Telemedicine and Telecare September 2015; Vol. 21, No. 6
<http://jtt.sagepub.com/content/21/6?etoc>

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Other Resources

Information in Auslan about Separation or Divorce

<http://www.legalaid.nsw.gov.au/languages/how-legal-aid-nsw-can-help-you-auslan/seperation-and-divorce>

The value of Indigenous sight: substantial benefits to the Australian economy from investing in healthcare to close the gap for Indigenous eye health. PricewaterhouseCoopers Australia, 2015. <http://www.pwc.com.au/industry/healthcare/publications/indigenous-sight.htm>

Cultural competency in the delivery of health services for Indigenous people, Child Family Community Australia & Australian Institute of Family Studies Clearinghouse (July 2015). <http://www.aihw.gov.au/closingthegap/publications/>

The National Youth Information Framework covers 5 key areas (or tiers), with a total of 38 indicators across 16 sub-domains in this 2015 release. <http://www.aihw.gov.au/nyif/>

Bibliotherapy Booklists: Helping Young Children Cope in Today's World

<http://www.carnegielibrary.org/research/parentseducators/parents/bibliotherapy/>

Arthur : You've got Braille. You can type your own note right here and have it translated into braille. Use the [key](#) to learn what the dots mean.

<http://pbskids.org/arthur/print/braille/index.html>

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Archive of American Annals of the Deaf

<http://gaislandora.wrlc.org/islandora/object/americanannals%3A1>

First published in 1847, the Annals is the oldest and most widely read English-language journal dealing with deafness and the education of deaf persons. The digital collections contains 30 volumes from 1847 to 1893. There was a title change during volume 31.

Volumes 1-31 were published as American Annals of the Deaf and Dumb. Volumes 31-38 are American Annals of the Deaf.

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