

## Resources and Services Directory for Head Injury and Other Conditions

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### **Section 12: Other Resources/Websites**

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## **Out-of-State Resources and Facilities for Persons with TBI**

*(Contact information subject to change)*

Persons with TBI may receive care in nearby or distant states because the injury occurred in those states, payment opportunities exist, or specific care for injuries and long-term rehabilitation are available. The following centers provide TBI-related acute and long-term services.

### **ARKANSAS**

#### **Timber Ridge Ranch NeuroRehabilitation Center**

15000 Highway 298

Benton AR 72015

Tel: 501/594-5211

800/743-6802

Fax: 501/594-5326

[www.neurorestorative.com](http://www.neurorestorative.com)

Offers a spectrum of post-acute living environments from highly structured to progressively less-structured settings. Provides opportunity to eventually approximate the person's discharge setting.

### **TEXAS**

#### **Baylor Institute for Rehabilitation Services**

909 N. Washington Avenue

Dallas, TX 75246

Tel: 214/820-9300

[www.baylorhealth.com/PhysiciansLocations/AllTypesofFacilities/Hospitals/BIR/](http://www.baylorhealth.com/PhysiciansLocations/AllTypesofFacilities/Hospitals/BIR/)

BIR is a not-for-profit hospital dedicated to restoring an individual's independence, self-confidence and vision of the future after a traumatic brain injury, spinal cord injury, stroke or other orthopaedic or neurological disorder. At BIR, each patient's rehabilitative care is custom-designed by a physiatrist-led interdisciplinary team of licensed physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech-language pathologists, certified recreation therapists, neuropsychologists, rehabilitation registered nurses, nutritionists, social workers and other specialized clinicians.

#### **LiveOak Long-Term Living Programs**

P.O. Box 705

San Marcos, TX 78667

Tel: 512-938-1127

[www.liveoakliving.com](http://www.liveoakliving.com)

Provides long-term residential and apartment living programs for individuals with brain injury and other cognitive disabilities.

**Meridell Achievement Center**

12550 W. Hwy 29/PO Box 87  
Liberty Hill, TX 78642  
Telephone: 800/366-8656  
www.meridell.com

A Residential Treatment Center for children aged 5-11 and adolescents 12-17. Services include: neurobehavioral treatment for children and adolescents who have both psychiatric problems and problems associated with brain disorders and aggressive behavior such as explosive rage behavior, impulse control problems, autism spectrum and Tourette's; residential treatment for adolescents who have psychiatric/behavioral problems. Meridell is not a center for children and adolescents typically recuperating from traumatic brain injury.

**Texas NeuroRehab Center**

1106 West Dittmar Road  
Austin, TX 78745  
Telephone: 800/252-5151  
512/444-4835  
www.texasneurorehab.com

The Center provides treatment programs for children, adolescents and adults with history of difficult neurological or behavioral problems. Sixty years experience. Accredited by JCAHO and CARF. Four levels of care are: residential treatment, long term psychiatric hospital (sub-acute) medical rehabilitation/long term acute care, and specialized assisted living for brain injured persons. Specialty services include neurobehavioral/ neuropsychiatric, brain injury, developmentally delayed, psychiatric w/medical complications, and detox and chemical dependency and dual diagnosis.

**TIRR The Institute for Rehabilitation and Research**

1333 Moursund  
Houston, TX 77030-3405  
In The Texas Medical Center  
Tel: 713/799-5000  
FAX: 713/799-7095  
<http://www.tirr.org/locations/index.php>

TIRR provides inpatient and outpatient rehabilitation care for those who have experienced catastrophic injuries or illnesses as well as individuals who need therapies for orthopedic, spine, hand and upper extremity, musculoskeletal, industrial and sports injuries. It is part of the Texas Medical Center with more than 40 health-related institutions, including 13 hospitals. All TIRR rehabilitation facilities are accredited by CARF.

*Inpatient Facilities. Hospital Patient Referral: Toll free 800/447-3422*

*Outpatient therapy facilities* are located throughout Southeast Texas for individuals who require initial or continuing rehabilitation care and the monitoring of medical problems associated with a disability or injury.

**Touchstone Neurorecovery Center**

9297 Wahrenberger Road

Conroe, TX 77304

Tel: 936-788-7770

800-414-4824

Fax: 936-788-7785

[www.touchstoneneuro.com](http://www.touchstoneneuro.com)

Touchstone offers a full continuum of care for adults and adolescents aged 16½ or older with neurological deficits. It has immediate access to three large general hospitals and located an hour's drive from the Texas Medical Center. Touchstone emphasizes practical treatment programs designed to meet the medical, physical, behavioral, vocational and community re-entry needs of residents. Touchstone utilizes a medically driven team approach with a medical director, physician assistants, and 24-hour nursing coverage. The team has expertise in physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech and language pathology, cognitive therapy, vocational therapy, behavior management, and comprehensive case management among other services. Touchstone Neurorecovery Center programs are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF).

## **National Traumatic Brain Injury Centers:**

### **UAB TBI Model System**

University of Alabama  
Birmingham, AL  
Tel: 205/934-3454  
Website: <http://www.uab.edu/tbi>  
Project Director: Thomas Novack, Ph.D.

### **Northern California TBI Model System**

Santa Clara Valley Medical Center  
San Jose, CA  
Tel: 408/793-2510  
Website: <http://www.tbi-sci.org>  
Project Director: Jeffrey Englander, M.D.

### **Rocky Mountain Regional Brain Injury System**

Craig Hospital  
Englewood, CO  
Tel: 303/789-8000  
Website: <http://www.craighospital.org>  
Project Director: Gale G. Whiteneck, Ph.D.

### **Spaulding/Partners Traumatic Brain Injury Model System at Harvard Medical School**

Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital  
Boston, MA  
Tel: 617/573-7000  
Website: <http://www.spauldingrehab.org>  
Project Director: Mel Glenn, M.D.

### **Southeastern Michigan Traumatic Brain Injury System (SEMTBIS)**

Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan  
Detroit, MI  
Tel: 313/745-9737  
Website: <http://www.semtbis.org>  
Project Director: Robin Hanks, Ph.D.

### **Mayo Clinic Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

Mayo Medical Center  
Rochester, MN  
Tel: 507/255-3116  
Website: <http://mayoresearch.mayo.edu/mayo/research/tbims>  
Project Director: Dr. Allen Brown

**TBI Model System of Mississippi**

Methodist Rehabilitation Center  
Jackson, MS  
Tel: 601/981-2611  
Website: <http://www.methodistonline.org>  
Project Director: Dr. Clea Evans

**JFK-Johnson Rehabilitation Institute Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute  
Edison, NJ  
Tel: 732/321-7079  
Website: <http://www.njrehab.org>  
Project Director: Keith D. Cicerone, Ph.D.

**New York Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

Mount Sinai School of Medicine  
New York, NY  
Tel: 212/659-9372  
[www.mssm.edu/research/programs/new-york-traumatic-brain-injury-model-system](http://www.mssm.edu/research/programs/new-york-traumatic-brain-injury-model-system)  
Project Director: Wayne A. Gordon, Ph.D.

**Carolina Traumatic Brain Injury Rehabilitation and Research System**

Charlotte Institute of Rehabilitation  
Charlotte, NC  
Tel: 704/355-4330  
Website: <http://www.carolinashealthcare.org>  
Project Director: Flora Hammond, M.D.

**The Ohio Valley Center for Brain Injury Prevention and Rehabilitation**

Ohio State University  
Columbus, OH  
Tel: 614/293-3802  
Website: <http://www.ohiovalley.org>  
Project Director: John Corrigan, Ph.D.

**Moss TBI Model System**

Moss Rehabilitation Research Institute  
Philadelphia, PA  
Tel: 215/663-6153  
Website: <http://www.mossrehab.com>  
Project Director: Tessa Hart, Ph.D.

**University of Pittsburgh Medical Center Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, PA

Tel: 412/648-6979

Website: <http://www.rehabmedicine.pitt.edu>

Project Director: Phillip Beatty, PhD

**North Texas Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center

Dallas, TX

Tel: 214/648-3111

Website: <http://www.utsouthwestern.edu/utsw/home/research/neurology/tbi/>

Project Director: Ramon Diaz-Arrastia, M.D., Ph.D.

**Traumatic Brain Injury National Resource Center**

Virginia Commonwealth University/Medical College of Virginia

Richmond, VA

Tel: 804/828-3704

Website: <http://www.neuro.pmr.vcu.edu>

Project Director: Jeffrey Kreutzer, Ph.D.

**University of Washington Traumatic Brain Injury Model System**

University of Washington

Seattle, WA

Tel: 206/598-4295

Website: <http://rehab.washington.edu>

Project Director: Kathy Bell, M.D.

## **Federal/Veterans and State Head/Brain Injury Resources and Websites** *(Contact information subject to change)*

### **U.S. Army Wounded Warrior (AW2) Program:**

provides most severely disabled soldiers and families with a holistic system of advocacy and follow-up with personal support and liaison to resources to assist in transition from military to civilian life.

Website: <https://www.aw2.army.mil/>

Telephone: 800/342-9647

### **Center for Minority Veterans:**

ensures all veterans receive equal services regardless of race, origin, religion or gender. Program coordinators located at Regional Offices, Health Care Facilities and National Cemeteries.

Website: <http://www.va.gov/centerforminorityveterans>

Telephone: 800/827-1000

### **Maryland Contact:**

Michael D. White

(410) 605-7000 Ext 5099

(800) 463-6265

### **Indiana Contact:**

Laura Malone

(888) 878-6889

### **Center for Women Veterans**

Website: <http://www.va.gov/womenvet>

Telephone: 800/827-1000

### **Homeless Veterans**

Website: <http://www.va.gov/homeless>

Telephone: 877/332-0334

### **Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America**

Founded in June 2004, nation's first and largest group dedicated to troops and veterans of wars in Iraq and Afghanistan and civilian supporters. Ensures enactment of policies that provide for troops, keep military strong, and guarantee national security.

Website: <http://iava.org>

### **The Blinded Veterans Association (BVA)**

Dedicated to serving America's blind and visually impaired veterans. Promotes welfare of blinded veterans and helps veterans and their families meet challenges of blindness.

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

Telephone: 800/669-7079

**National Coalition for Homeless Veterans (NCHV)**

is the resource and technical assistance center for a national network of community-based service providers and local, state, and federal agencies that provide emergency and supportive housing, food, health services, job training and placement assistance, legal aid and case management support for hundreds of thousands of homeless veterans each year.

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

Email: [info@nchv.org](mailto:info@nchv.org)

Telephone: 800/424-3838

**U.S. VETS**

is a public-private partnership created in 1993 to fill gaps in the continuum of care for homeless veterans. Primary goal is to provide safe, sober, clinically supported housing and employment assistance for homeless veterans.

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

Telephone: 310/348-7600

**Paralyzed Veterans of America (PVA)**

focuses on veterans living with spinal cord injury and disease.

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

Telephone: 800/424-8200

**TurboTAP – Transition Assistance Program**

Website: [www.turbotap.org](http://www.turbotap.org)

Telephone: 800/538-9552

**Vet Center Program**

provides free adjustment counseling and outreach services to all veterans.

Website: <http://www.vetcenter.va.gov>

Telephone: (877) 927-8387

**Job Accommodation Network (JAN)**

JAN helps secure employment through job searches and other methods.

PO Box 6080, Morgan Town, West Virginia 26506

Email: [kcording@wvu.edu](mailto:kcording@wvu.edu)

Website: <http://askjan.org>

Telephone: 800/526-7234

**Veterans Workforce Investment Program**

is a Federally subsidized grant program conducted through state or local agencies, and intended to provide employment and training services to eligible veterans to help place them in gainful employment.

Website: <http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/vwip/main.htm>

Telephone: 202/693-4700

**Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (VR&E) Program**

Website: <http://www.vba.va.gov/bln/vre>

Telephone: (405) 456-1000

**Always a Soldier**

is an Army Material Command initiative which provides information regarding the program, employment opportunities, and important links.

Email: [alwaysasoldier@hqamc.army.mil](mailto:alwaysasoldier@hqamc.army.mil)

Website: [www.amc.army.mil/AlwaysASoldier](http://www.amc.army.mil/AlwaysASoldier)

Telephone: 703/806-8140

**Career Center at the Military Severely Injured Center**

Website: <http://www.military.com/support>

**e-VETS Resource Advisor**

<http://www.dol.gov/elaws/evets.htm>

**Veterans Guide to Getting Hired**

<http://www.learnhowtobecome.org/veterans-guide-to-getting-hired/>

**Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services**

Tel: 405/522-3908

Website: <http://ok.gov/odmhsas>

**Oklahoma State Department of Education**

Tel: 405/521-3301

<http://www.sde.state.ok.us>

**Oklahoma Indian Health Service**

Tel.: 405/951-3820

<http://www.ihs.gov/oklahoma>

**Oklahoma Employment Security Commission**

Tel: 405/557-7100

TDD Telecommunications Device for the Deaf: 405/557-7531

<http://www.oesc.ok.gov>

**Easter Seals Society**

Tel: 312-726-6200

800-221-6827

<http://www.easterseals.com>

**Centers for Learning and Leadership**

Tel.: 405/271-4500

<http://www.ouhsc.edu/thecenter>

**Oklahoma Department of Rehabilitation Services**

Tel: 405/951-3491 or 405/951-3400

<http://www.okrehab.org>

**Medicare and Medicaid Services/Information**

Tel: 877/288-7600

<http://www.medicare.gov>

**Oklahoma Health Care Authority**

Tel: 405/522-7300; 800/522-0310

Website: [www.okhca.org](http://www.okhca.org)

**Oklahoma Office of Disability Concerns, Client Assistance Program**

Tel: 405/521-3756; 1-800/522-8224

<http://www.ok.gov/odc>

**Oklahoma Department of Human Services**

Tel.: 405/521-3646

<http://www.okdhs.org>

**Brain Injury Association of Oklahoma**

Tel.: 800/444-6443

<http://www.braininjuryoklahoma.org>

**Oklahoma Hospital Association**

Tel: 405/427-9537

<http://www.okoha.com>

**Oklahoma Insurance Department**

Tel.: 405/521-2828

Website: [www.ok.gov/oid](http://www.ok.gov/oid)

**Social Security Administration**

Tel: 866/331-2207

<http://www.ssa.gov>

**Oklahoma Disability Law Center, Inc. (Protection and Advocacy)**

Tel: 405/525-7755 800/880-7755

Website: [www.okdlc.org](http://www.okdlc.org)

**OASIS (Oklahoma Areawide Services Information System)**

Tel: 800/426-2747

<http://oasis.ouhsc.edu/>

**American Academy of Pediatrics**

Customer Service: 888-222-1770

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

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**

[www.cdc.gov/traumaticbraininjury](http://www.cdc.gov/traumaticbraininjury)

Site has fact sheets, data, and links to injury topics

- National Center for Injury Prevention and Control

[www.cdc.gov/injury](http://www.cdc.gov/injury)

**Future of Children**

Journal with a wide variety of information about issues related to children

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

**Brain Injury Resource Center**

[www.headinjury.com](http://www.headinjury.com)

[brain@headinjury.com](mailto:brain@headinjury.com)

**National Brain Injury Association, Inc**

Tel: 703-761-0750 (family help line)

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

**National Center for Education in Maternal & Child Health**

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

**National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke**

[www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/tbi/tbi.htm](http://www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/tbi/tbi.htm)

Phone: (301) 496-5751

**Traumatic Brain Injury National Resource Center**

[www.neuro.pmr.vcu.edu](http://www.neuro.pmr.vcu.edu)

**Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services**

[www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/index.html](http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/index.html)

Phone: (202) 245-7468

**Traumatic Brain Injury Survival Guide. Dr. Glen Johnson**

[www.Tbiguide.com/](http://www.Tbiguide.com/)

Phone: (231) 929-7358

**TBI Program/NASHIA Website**

[www.nashia.org/TraumaticBrainInjury.asp](http://www.nashia.org/TraumaticBrainInjury.asp)

Phone: (802) 498-3349