Sensory-Friendly Summit

Resources and Links

**Autism Speaks** [www.autismspeaks.org/chicago](http://www.autismspeaks.org/chicago)

General information about Autism

Staff Training

Assistance with Social Narratives

**Infiniteach** [www.infiniteach.com](http://www.infiniteach.com)

Staff Training

iPad Apps

**Rachel S. Schneider, M.A, MHC** [www.rachel-schneider.com](http://www.rachel-schneider.com)

Sensory Processing Disorder Author, Advocate and Educator

10 Tips to Help Neurotypicals Understand Sensory Processing Disorder

<http://thebodyisnotanapology.com/magazine/the-neurotypicals-guide-to-adults-with-sensory-processing-disorder/>

**SPD Parent Zone** [www.spdparentzone.org](http://www.spdparentzone.org)

General information about Sensory Processing Disorder

Book recommendations, glossary of terms, online courses & conferences, helpful websites and webinars

**Theater Development Fund (TDF)** <https://www.tdf.org/nyc/40/Autism-Theatre-Initiative>

Includes a variety of social narratives including a video social narrative of *Getting to the Theater* and a *Planning Guide for Theatres* – Basic steps on how to offer autism-friendly performances for children and adults on the autism spectrum and their families and caregivers.

***Considering the Museum Experience of Children with Autism*** Taylor Kelsey Kulik and Tina Sue Fletcher Curator: The Museum Journal Volume 59 Issue 1

<http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/cura.12143/full>

***Sensory Friendly Programming for People with Social and Cognitive Learning Disabilities – A Guide for Performing Arts Settings*** The Kennedy Center

<http://education.kennedy-center.org/education/accessibility//lead/SensoryGuidebook.pdf>

**Examples of Social Narratives, Sensory Friendly Maps and Interactive Maps**

**Lincoln Park Zoo**

<https://www.lpzoo.org/accessibility>

**The Metropolitan Museum of Art** – Includes social narratives for: children, teens and adults and guided visits for students.

<http://www.metmuseum.org/events/programs/access/visitors-with-developmental-and-learning-disabilities/for-visitors-with-autism-spectrum-disorders>

**Glossary of Terms**

<https://www.autismspeaks.org/what-autism/video-glossary/glossary-terms>

**Quirks & Chaos** (mom blog with illustrated definitions): <http://quirks-and-chaos.blogspot.com/2016/01/autism-increased-my-vocabulary.html>