CASE MANAGEMENT AND LEGAL RESOURCES

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Neuropsychology in the Courtroom  
*Robert Heilbronner, PhD, ABPP, 2008*  
This volume brings together leading neuropsychologists to shed light on forensic practice. Contributors show how they review reports and depositions, providing fine-grained analysis of the opinions and conclusions of the examiner. (273 pages)

The Case Management and Legal Resources category has materials about case management and life care planning, litigation in personal injury cases, and other legal topics.

COMMUNITY RE-ENTRY AND PLANNING

BOOKS

Special Needs Trusts: Protect Your Child’s Financial Future  
*Stephen Elias, 2005*  
This book shows you how to create a “special needs trust” so you can leave any amount of money to your disabled loved one in the trust, without jeopardizing government benefits. (237 pages)

“Community for All” Toolkit: Resources for Supporting Community Living  
*Human Policy Press, 2004*  
This tool kit provides philosophy, policy and research to reinforce community supports for all people with disabilities. (300 pages)

Cultural Shifting  
*Al Condeluci, 2002*  
Change and leadership are subjects that have relevance to everyone, especially those in disability services. This book looks at change and leadership through the lens of community. (108 pages)

The Community Re-Entry and Planning category has materials about returning to the social community after sustaining brain injury, and tools for enabling community re-entry by helping with financial and other skills.
The Essence of Interdependence
Al Condeluci, 1999
By exploring roles, expectations, and stereotypes of people with and without disabilities, this manual lays a foundation for personal growth and societal change, through a model for interdependence and community integration. (160 pages)

Home-Based Cognitive Stimulation Program
Tom Novack, PhD and Jacqueline Blankenship, PhD, 2002
A home-based cognitive stimulation program that provides activities to assist in the recovery of thinking skills following brain injury. (57 pages)

Money Smart: An Adult Education Program
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, 2003
This manual helps adults outside the financial mainstream enhance money skills and create positive banking relationships. Exercises, worksheets and other tools are provided. (370 pages)

Moving On: A Personal Futures Planning Work for People with Brain Injury
Beth Mount, 2003
Personal Futures Planning helps individuals with brain injury progress in their lives. The Workbook is used by the person with brain injury and their families to plan for a better future. The accompanying Facilitator’s Manual explains possible issues in facilitating the process and helping the survivor. (100 pages)

Survival Kit: A Day-Timer, Planner and Organizer for People with Brain Injury
Debbie Leonhardt, MA, NCC, LPC, 2011
This kit contains techniques and strategies for everyday living including schedules, calendars, journals, personal care checklists, visual reminders, treatment tasks, personal and household information, strategies and sample forms. (212 pages)

Together is Better
Al Condeluci, 2008
This book is about change and how to make things better by fostering community inclusion for persons with disabilities. It explores the complexities, challenges and rewards of working to develop a community where everyone belongs. (76 pages)
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VIDEOS

Exploring Life Options After Brain Injury
*Michael W Davis, CBIST, and Patricia Jackson, BS, CBIS, 2007*
This video reviews quality of life concerns after discharge, including community living options, vocational and recreational opportunities, and person centered planning. (56 minutes)

Self-Determination: The Sean Tease Story
*Brain Injury Association of America, 2001*
A story of a family that wouldn’t let the tragedy of brain injury take away their son’s identity. This video shows the importance of self-determination. (9 minutes)

Still Friends? Friends Still!
*Robyn Littlefore, 2004*
This video is about how brain injury changes relationships. This DVD features frank conversations by friends about the rewards and difficulties of remaining friends with a peer who has been changed by brain injury. (30 minutes)

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COPING AND FAMILY ISSUES

BOOKS

The ABCs of Brain Education
*Janeide Chillis, 2009*
A book for children about the seriousness of brain injury. It is an alphabet book in which each letter covers some topic about brain injury. (28 pages)

After Brain Injury, Telling Your Story: A Journaling Workbook
*Barbara Stahura and Susan Schuster, MA, CCC-SLP, 2009*
This workbook guides brain injury survivors in the healing experience of telling their stories with simple journaling techniques. By writing journal entries, they can explore challenges and milestones as they rebuild their lives. (112 pages)

The Coping and Family Issues category has materials about the impact of brain injury on the family, (general, and specific to spouses, siblings, and parents) and suggestions for developing coping strategies and building supports.