



# Help for the Sibling Caregiver

## Disability Life Planning by Michele A. Leahy, MS, CPWIC

Have you been left responsible to care for a disabled sibling? Have you found the process of navigating government and community supports overwhelming? What do you want life to look like for your disabled sibling in 5, 15, or 20 years? How can you best juggle the responsibilities of your own family as well as making sure your sibling is living a fulfilling life? Leahy Life Plan can aid families in identifying what benefits and programs their loved one is eligible for as well as offering them assistance in applying for and receiving it. Rather than leaving it to chance, Leahy Life Plan sets a plan in motion that accounts for the long term, blending and braiding community and government supports that best help the individual with a disability live their most fulfilling life.

### Get Help With

- ✓ Apply for SSI/SSDI
- ✓ Set up health insurance benefits
- ✓ Identify and apply for waiver programs
- ✓ Balance work income and government benefits
- ✓ Identify available housing options
- ✓ Estate and Financial Long Term Planning



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