Audio-Visual & Other Special Educators' Resources

Clearinghouses & Sources for Answering Educators' Questions

- Facts-of-Life Line, from Planned Parenthood of Western Washington. Talk to a trained sexuality educator Monday-Thursday, 3-6pm Pacific Time: 1-888-30-SX-ASK (307-9275). A recorded library of information is available 24 hours a day at the same number. Email: ppinfo@ppww.org
- Go Ask Alice, from Columbia University Health Services. Q & A-based web pages designed for college-age people, but useful to teachers as well: http://www.goaskalice.columbia.edu
- Health Educators Toolbox, from the HIV/AIDS Program at Public Health Seattle & King County. Advice on answering students' questions, background for teachers on HIV and other sexually transmitted diseases: http://www.metrokc.gov/health/apu/healthed/index.htm#student
- Links for Teachers, from the Family Planning Program at Public Health Seattle & King County. http://www.metrokc.gov/health/famplan/studentlinks.htm
 Links for Students:
 http://www.metrokc.gov/health/famplan/studentlinks.htm
- National Dissemination Center for Children with Disabilities. 1-800-695-0285 · v/tty; http://www.nichcy.org/resources/sexualityeducation.asp
- Network for Family Life Education @ Rutgers University. 732-445-7929, Q & A-based web pages
 designed for adolescents, but useful to teachers as well: http://www.sexetc.org
- Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services at the U.S. Department of Education. 202-245-7307 (Voice), 202-205-5637 (TTD), http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers
- **Planned Parenthood Federation of America.** Medical Questions: 1-800-230-7526. Education Department: http://www.ppfa.org/pp2/portal/educationoutreach Teens: http://www.teenwire.com
- Safe Schools Coalition. Lesson plans, hotlines, posters, videos and background reading re: gender
 variant, gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, intersex and questioning students and harassment based
 on perceived sexual orientation or gender expression: http://www.safeschoolscoalition.org
- SEICUS, Sex information and Education Council of the U.S., 212-819-9770, http://www.siecus.org
- Speak Up: Safeguarding People who use Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) from Sexual Abuse / Victimization: http://www.aacsafeguarding.ca/index.htm

Bibliographies, Models, Audio-visual Materials, Books & Curricula

 Sexuality and Disability: A SIECUS Annotated Bibliography: http://www.siecus.org/pubs/biblio/sex_disability.pdf

- Anatomy Models for Sex Education. Life-size three-dimensional male, female and fetal models.
 Particularly useful for students with visually impairments. Jim Jackson Company: 617-864-9063, 1-800-827-9063; http://iimiacksonanatomymodels.com
- Circles I, II & III. Marklyn Champagne & Leslie Walker-Hirsch. Video-based curricula. Circles I:
 Intimacy & Relationships helps students to recognize exploitative relationships as well as develop
 mutually respectful ones. Circles II addresses abuse prevention; Circles III, HIV prevention. James
 Stanfield Publishing. \$1,299. for all three curricula 1.800.421.6534; http://www.stanfield.com

Other resources from James Stanfield Publishing:

- DateSmart 1 and 2. Video-based curricula focus on abstinence and boundaries. \$499. for both curricula.
- **Janet's Got Her Period.** Video package addresses the problems of menstrual management for lower-functioning special needs girls and young women. \$399.
- Life Horizons I & II. Slide-based sex education program for persons with developmental and learning disabilities. \$699. for both curricula.
- **LifeFacts.** Seven programs teach sexuality, abuse prevention, AIDS, avoidance, managing emotions, trust issues, substance abuse prevention and wellness. Each LifeFacts program: \$199, all seven programs for \$1,199.
- Educating Youth with Developmental Disabilities, from ReCAPP, ETR's Resource Center for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention: http://www.etr.org/recapp/column/column200110.htm
- Educators' Update: Talking About Sexuality with Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities: Notes from the Field, Volume 9, Number 5 April 2005: http://www.ppfa.org/pp2/portal/files/portal/educationoutreach/educatorsdupate/update-050419.xml
- Human Sexuality: A Portfolio for Persons with Developmental Disabilities. Ten color plates with
 artist illustrations specifically designed for teaching developmentally disabled teens and adults about
 human sexuality. Teaching points listed on the back of each card. \$24.95. Planned Parenthood of
 Western Washington. More info: 206-328-7715. To order:
 http://plannedparenthood.org/pp2/wwsgn/files/wwsgn/PortfolioOrderForm.pdf
- *The Prepare Curriculum: Teaching Prosocial Competencies*, Dr. Arnold P. Goldstein, Research Press Company. \$39.95. 800-519-2707; http://www.researchpress.com/product/item/5063
- Signs for Sexuality: A Resource Manual for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Individuals, their Families, and Professionals, 2nd Edition. Marlyn Minkin and Laurie Rosen-Ritt. \$24.95. Contains vocabulary terms and photos showing signed words and phrases dealing with sexuality terms. Planned Parenthood of Western Washington. More info: 206-328-7715. To order: http://plannedparenthood.org/pp2/wwsgn/files/wwsgn/SignsforSexualityOrderForm.pdf
- Talk to Me! Guides to help parents and young people interview each other about sex, love and life. Barb McGuire and Beth Reis. These two-booklet sets provide a fun and easy way for parents to initiate conversations about feelings and beliefs with their children or teens. Sets @ \$2.50 Quantity discount for 20 sets or more. Planned Parenthood of Western Washington. More info: 206-328-7715. To order: http://plannedparenthood.org/pp2/wwsgn/files/wwsgn/TalkToMeOrderForm.pdf
- Teach-a-Body Dolls, anatomically correct, anatomically detailed dolls. Playpeople anatomically correct dolls are used in therapy, sexual abuse work, courtroom testimony, sex education, and for people with disabilities. Complete set \$370. 1-888-228-1314; http://www.teach-a-bodies.com