



John Sharon Disabilities Understood

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Founded by John Sharon, who has lived with a physical disability all his life, [Disabilities Understood](#) seeks to:

- Promote understanding about disabilities in general
- Educate the non-disabled about the interdependence of all people
- Share resources for the disabled and non-disabled alike

John has worked in education for more than 20 years as a teacher, administrator, coach, speaker, workshop leader, and diversity trainer.

Shared Links:

1. The Accessible Icon Project - <https://accessibleicon.org/>
2. ADA Definition of Disability - <https://www.ada.gov/cguide.htm>
3. The D.C Society for Crippled Children - <https://www.easterseals.com/DCMDVA/who-we-are/history/>
4. Harvard Business Review Article "Why People Hide Their Disabilities at Work" by Pooja Jain-Link and Julia Taylor Kennedy - <https://hbr.org/2019/06/why-people-hide-their-disabilities-at-work>
5. Norman Kunc and Conversations That Matter - <https://conversationsthatmatter.org/>
6. Project LETS - <https://projectlets.org/about>

Films:

- Crip Camp - <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt8923484/>
A Credo for Support - <https://youtu.be/wunHDfZFxXw>

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