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## **Stuttering Center of Western Pennsylvania**

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### ***Supporting Literature and Organizations for Parents of Young Children Who Stutter***

#### **I. Stuttering Foundation (SF)**

- A. Overview: The Stuttering Foundation publishes many help materials, including many booklets and videos, for people who stutter, their families, their clinicians, and others, such as teachers and physicians. Materials are prepared by experts in the field of speech-language pathology and made widely available at low cost or no cost.
- B. Contact Information:
  - 1. Phone: (800) 992-9392
  - 2. Web: [www.StutteringHelp.org](http://www.StutteringHelp.org)
- C. Examples of Materials for Parents of Preschool Children Who Stutter
  - 1. Booklet: *Stuttering and Your Child: Questions & Answers*
  - 2. Booklet: *If Your Child Stutters: A Guide for Parents*
  - 3. Video: *Stuttering and Your Child: Help for Parents*

#### **II. National Stuttering Association (NSA) ([www.WeStutter.org](http://www.WeStutter.org))**

- A. Overview: The National Stuttering Association is a support organization for people who stutter, with local chapters and meetings for parents, children and teens who stutter, and adults who stutter. The NSA also hosts regional and national conferences that bring together people who stutter and those who care about them to share information, experiences, and support.
- B. Contact Information
  - 1. Phone: (800) We Stutter (937-8888)
  - 2. Web: [www.WeStutter](http://www.WeStutter)
- C. Examples of Materials Parents of Preschool Children Who Stutter
  - 1. Booklet: *Young Children Who Stutter: Information and Support for Parents*

#### **III. Friends: The National Association of Young People Who Stutter**

- A. Overview: Friends is a support organization specifically for children who stutter. The organization hosts several one-day conferences throughout the year, as well as an annual conference that fosters community and support among children who stutter
- B. Contact Information
  - 1. Web: [www.FriendsWhoStutter.org](http://www.FriendsWhoStutter.org)