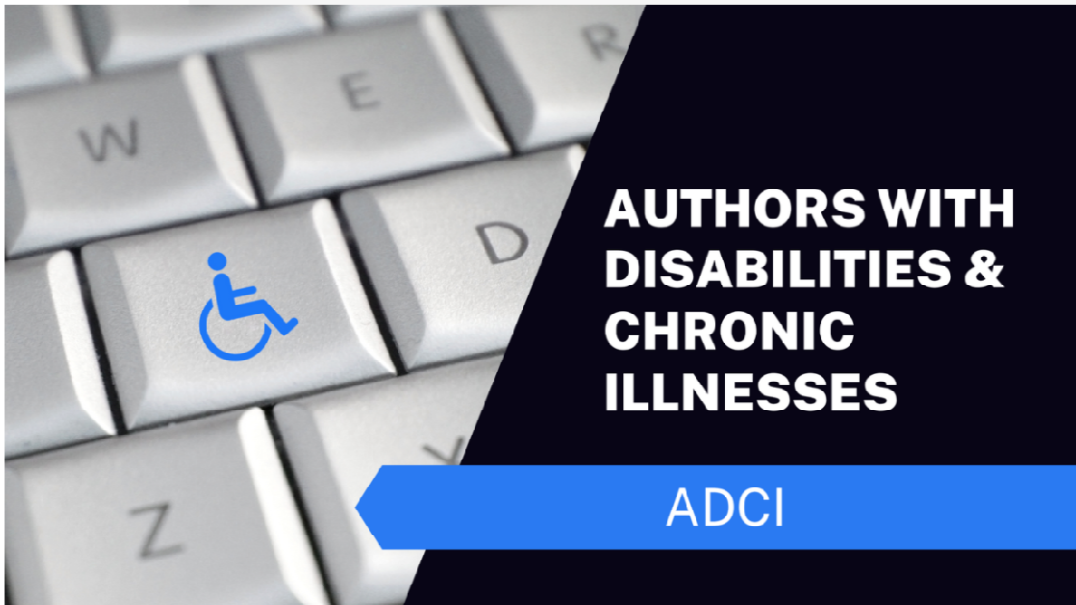


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# DISABILITY LINKS & RESOURCES



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 [CLAIREWADE.COM/ADCI](https://clairewade.com/adci)

## Disability Links & Resources

### Disability Arts Resources

ADCI Guide to working with Authors with disabilities, chronic illnesses and neurodiversities – TBA

ADCI (us) <https://societyofauthors.org/.../Authors-Disabilities...>

Disability Arts Online  
<https://disabilityarts.online/>

Shape Arts <https://www.shapearts.org.uk>

The Barbellion Prize is a book prize dedicated to the furtherance of ill and disabled voices in writing. <https://www.thebarbellionprize.com/>

Illustrators Guide - TBA

### Disability Representation

Kenny Fries on the Fries Test  
<https://medium.com/.../the-fries-test-on-disability...>

### Accessibility

ADCI Guide to making events accessible to authors with disabilities, chronic illnesses – TBA

We Are Unlimited - Access card game <https://weareunlimited.org.uk/cards-for-inclusion/>

Inklusion <https://www.inklusionguide.org/about>

Accessible online author events - Author Ever Dundas shares advice on making online author events more accessible

<https://www.scottishbooktrust.com/writing-and-authors/industry-labs/resources/ever- Dundas-ways-to-make-online-author-events-accessible>

Hybrid - How to run a 'hybrid' meeting <https://youtu.be/k72l06SN7Xg>

ADCI Guide to making writers groups accessible to authors with disabilities, chronic illnesses – <https://societyofauthors.org/SOA/MediaLibrary/SOAWebsite/Documents-for-download/Guides/20210501-Guidance-on-Accessibility-for-Writing-Group-Organisers.pdf>

Nicola Griffith making your bookstore accessible <https://nicolagriffith.files.wordpress.com/.../making...>

We Are Unlimited - Disability Riders <https://weareunlimited.org.uk/creating-your-own-access.../>

Purple Tuesday - encouraging businesses to make shopping accessible <https://purpletuesday.org.uk>

Access lifts hire so wheelchairs can get onstage <https://magicmobility.co.uk/.../portable-wheelchair-lift.../>

<https://www.terrylifts.co.uk/lifts/portable-wheelchair/>

## Disability Work, Support & Funding

Scope - Access to Work [www.scope.org.uk/advi.../access-to-work-grant-scheme](http://www.scope.org.uk/advi.../access-to-work-grant-scheme)

AbilityNet supports people living with any disability or impairment to use technology to achieve their goals at home, at work and in education. <https://abilitynet.org.uk/>

Extra costs of Disability report from Scope <https://www.scope.org.uk/.../extra.../disability-price-tag/>

Astriid are a charity helping DCI people find work that fits around their chronic illness needs. It's a good place to advertise inclusive, accessible job opportunities. <https://astriid.org>

The government's Disability Confident scheme <https://disabilityconfident.campaign.gov.uk>

The benefits of employing disabled staff <https://scholarlykitchen.sspnet.org/.../guest-post-the.../>

Disability earnings gap <https://www.tuc.org.uk/.../disability-pay-and-employment...>

Why disabled workers feel the need to hide their disability at work and the effect of Covid on disabled people's experiences in the workplace  
<https://www.tuc.org.uk/.../Outline%20Report%20-%20Covid...>

Why working from home helps people with invisible disabilities: <https://www.theguardian.com/.../working-from-home-mental...>

## Disability Information

Disability Rights UK is led by people with diverse experiences of disability and health conditions, from different communities. They work with allies committed to equal participation for all. <https://www.disabilityrightsuk.org/>

Definition of disability under the Equality Act 2010 <https://www.gov.uk/definition-of-disability-under-equality-act-2010>

The social model of disability <https://www.learningdisabilities.org.uk/learning-disabilities/a-to-z/s/social-model-disability>

Disability news service <https://www.disabilitynewsservice.com/>

Disabled writers for journalism <https://disabledwriters.com/>

Chronic illness inclusion project <https://inclusionproject.org.uk/>

Equality & Human Rights Report 2013 not sure if they've done a more up to date version but it shows barriers <https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/.../research-report..>

Frances Ryan on disability and publishing  
<https://www.theguardian.com/.../publishing-must-make-room...>