

*Who are the Northern Virginia Friends of the Down Syndrome Clinic and Research Center?*

NoVa Friends is a group of parents living in northern Virginia whose children have greatly benefited from the work of Dr. Capone and the DSCRC. We wanted to make others in northern Virginia aware of this wonderful resource. This conference is our first project toward that end.

*Can I bring my children to this conference with me?*

The sessions will be moving quickly in order to cover as large an amount of information as possible, and attendees will want to be able to focus completely on the presentations. Our usable space in the building is limited to conference activities only, so unfortunately we are unable to offer childcare.

*Is the conference site handicapped accessible?*

Yes. There will be 2 entrances in use the day of the conference, on the side of the building facing McDonald's. The 6-door entrance directly opposite Mac's leads up a flight of stairs once inside. Alternatively from that entrance, you may also follow the sidewalk to the left, around the front of the building to the main doors. This path is ramped with no steps. There will be signs directing you the day of the conference. Once inside, all conference activity takes place on the same floor within a short walk down the hall.

*Will this conference be taped or otherwise transcribed for later use?*

No.