

## Policy Profile

### What happened, and what is planned for the future!

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Maybe you were very interested in the 2020 election, or perhaps you couldn't stand to hear one more campaign ad. Either way, it was a divisive election season, and the 2020 Election is over! The Arc of Aurora is looking forward to working with all elected officials to ensure that people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) get what they need when they need it. Below we have shared with you helpful resources on what happened and what to expect moving forward.

#### **Our chat with Disability Law Colorado**

Even as election results were tallied and announced well into November, we still had many questions. Thankfully, Jennifer Levin, Esq. with [Disability Law Colorado](#) joined us for a quick chat about Colorado's rich history of mail-in and absentee voting, and helping us sort through terms and processes. You can watch that discussion [here](#).

#### **Download Election Recaps**

Did you miss some of the results of the 2020 Election? Download the handy Election Recaps guide in [English](#) and [Spanish](#) from our friends at [Developmental Pathways](#). Need something more specific for the county you live in? The City of Aurora's elections division can direct you to your specific county results [here](#).

#### **Colorado's 2021 Policy Agenda**

The 2021 legislative sessions, both locally and nationally, are slated to begin! Are you curious about policy goals for the upcoming year? Check out The Arc of Colorado's 2021 Policy Agenda [here](#).

#### **Federal Policy Agenda**

[The Arc of the United States](#) plans to share their Federal Policy Agenda on Feb 3, 2021, at 11:00 AM (MST) via webinar. All are invited to attend and you can register [here](#).

At that is wrap! Keep reading The Arc of Aurora's quarterly *News You Can Use* newsletter for updated information on local and national issues that could affect you. As always, feel free to reach out to your Individual Advocate or Hanni Raley at 720-213-1420 or [hraley@thearcoaurora.org](mailto:hraley@thearcoaurora.org) if you have any questions or want to get involved!