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## **Rev Up the Disability Vote National Disability Voter Registration Week**

The [Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition](http://www.wisconsin-disability-vote.org) invites you to join us as we participate in National Disability Voter Registration Week (NDVRW), September 13-20, 2021. NDVRW is a national, nonpartisan campaign to register, educate, and prepare voters with disabilities to vote in upcoming elections.

Only 17.7 million of the over 38 million eligible voters with disabilities participated in the 2020 elections. Despite an increase in voter turnout overall, in 2020 the [turnout rate](#) of voters with disabilities was 7% lower than voters without disabilities. We continue to hear from Wisconsinites with disabilities about the barriers they experience including poor access to transportation, inaccessible polling places, lack of acceptable photo ID, and limited awareness about voting rights and accommodations on the part of voters and poll workers.

The Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition and our partners ask you to join us to raise the disability voice and encourage civic participation! Here's how to get involved:

### **Attend Our September 14 Voter Registration Webinar**

This webinar will cover the basics: registering to vote, why voting matters and making a plan to vote. Join us Tuesday September 14, 9 – 10 AM.

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*The Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition is a project of  
Wisconsin Board for People with Developmental Disabilities and Disability Rights Wisconsin*

- **Register at** <https://tinyurl.com/3ncks4s3>
- [Read the event flyer here \(accessible pdf\)](#).

### **September 17<sup>th</sup> Voter Registration Webinar for Service Providers**

Join the Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition and our partners for our *National Disability Voter Registration Week* webinar for service providers. We will share guidance and resources to help you support those you serve with voter registration, and obtaining photo ID. Service providers can make a big difference by assisting with voter registration.

- **Register at:** <https://tinyurl.com/5pvbunkh>
- [Read the event flyer here \(accessible pdf\)](#).

### **Voter Registration Resources Toolkit**

- Resources on voter registration and photo ID for voters with disabilities, families, and service providers.

Join with us to close the disability gap and to ensure that Wisconsinites with disabilities are prepared to exercise their right to vote and to have a voice in our democracy.

### **About the Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition**

*The WDVC is a non-partisan effort to help ensure full participation in the entire electoral process of voters with disabilities, including registering to vote, casting a vote, and accessing polling places. Members include people with disabilities, and community agencies including Access to Independence, Wisconsin Council of the Blind and Visually Impaired, NAMI Wisconsin, People First Wisconsin, Mental Health America, Wisconsin Association of the Deaf, and Wisconsin Coalition of Independent Living Centers, and others. The Coalition is coordinated by Disability Rights Wisconsin and Wisconsin Board for People with Developmental Disabilities.*