



Workshops for Siblings of Children with Special Needs

This event is for family members of children with all disabilities. Attendees will learn about the Omaha Area Sibshops workshops offered during the 2017-18 school year. Immediately following the short presentation, parents will have the opportunity to hear from an **Adult Sibling Panel** on the topic of **Growing Up With A Sibling with Special Needs**.

Any sibling relationship is special. It is a mixture of love and admiration, frustration and jealousy. Siblings of brothers and sisters with disabilities experience these same emotions but with a unique perspective. **Sibshops** is an opportunity for the brothers and sisters of children with disabilities to find peer support in a fun, relaxed environment. **Sibshops** is designed to encourage participants to explore common feelings (positive or negative), problem-solve difficult situations and learn about various implications of disabilities.

Date: **Tuesday, Aug. 15, 2017**

Time: **6:30-8:30pm**

Location: **UNO Barbara Weitz Community Engagement Center**

6001 Dodge St.

Reserved Parking Available

Reservations required. RSVP at:

<https://sibshops2017.eventbrite.com>

Interpretation services available by request. Requests MUST be received by Aug. 3rd.

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