PEACE LIBRARY SYSTEM

PROVISION OF LIBRARY MATERIALS TO PERSONS UNABLE TO USE CONVENTIONAL

PRINT MATERIALS

CATEGORY:

Programs and Services

POLICY:

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The Peace Library System will provide member libraries with access to alternate format resources.

Background

The Peace Library Board recognizes that individuals who are unable to use conventional print resources have a right to access materials that are specifically produced to meet their needs. These materials may include books on CD, and alternate format resources including digital resources.

The System provides blocks of audio books in CD format, as well as downloadable audio and e-books for its members.

The System maintains a collection of large print books that it lends to its member libraries.

The System provides member libraries with access to special collections through partnerships in the Centre for Equitable Library Access (CELA) and the National Network for Equitable Library Service (NNELS).

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