

Disability Etiquette

Let's discuss how to show respect through our actions and language.

The best way to learn etiquette is to experience what it's like to live with a disability. Consider how you would want to be treated, talked to, and assisted? Always ask the individual about their preferences. If that's not possible, rely on some general guidelines.

Questions

- How can you focus on the person instead of their disability?
- Should you refer to someone as an autistic person, a person with autism, or something else?
- What does assume intelligence mean?
- · What is the polite and safe way to guide a person?
- · How can teaching disability etiquette to everyone create an inclusive church?