## Special Needs & Disability Inclusion Ministry

## **☑** CHECKLIST



| Get the Big Picture                | <ul> <li>☐ Understand the biblical basis of inclusion</li> <li>☐ Learn what families need from the churches they attend</li> <li>☐ Assess your church's readiness</li> </ul>  |
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| Get<br>Started                     | <ul><li>□ Select your ministry model</li><li>□ Create your team</li><li>□ Recruit and train volunteers</li></ul>  |
| Classroom<br>Strategies            | <ul> <li>□ Plan lessons for a variety of learning styles</li> <li>□ What are must-haves for your classroom?</li> <li>□ Strategies and teaching tools to minimize challenging behaviors</li> </ul>                                     |
| STEP FOUR Engage Your Congregation | <ul> <li>□ Increase disability awareness within the congregation and staff</li> <li>□ Promote the ministry within your church</li> <li>□ Include &amp; support families impacted by disability</li> </ul>                             |
| Step FIVE Step Outside             | <ul><li>□ Promote the ministry outside your church</li><li>□ Consider outwardly-focused events</li><li>□ Partner with the community</li></ul>   |
| Don't forget to:                   | <ul> <li>□ Register for Key Ministry's Disability Ministry Video Roundtables</li> <li>□ Join the Special Needs &amp; Disability Ministry Leaders Forum on Facebook</li> <li>□ Contact Key Ministry for a free consultation</li> </ul> |