

Treat them like you would anyone else. Say Salam Introduce yourself

No two people with a diagnosis are the same. They are all different with unique likes, hopes and dreams!

Ask before offering to help, they may want to do things themselves, even if it takes longer!

Speak directly to a person with a disability - not their caregiver.

Communication device look cool. However, please do not touch or use them without asking. They are a person's voice!

How to talk and act around a person with Special Needs

Teach your children from a very young age that differences are OK. If they point or stare, do not shush or shame them. Encourage them to say hi and get to know the person!

Refrain from giving someone advice on disability unless asked. Caregivers work with teams of doctors and know their child/adult best!

A wheelchair is an extension of a person's body, do not lean on it or push it without asking