

DOUBLE DISADVANTAGE:

How sexism and discrimination impact women with intellectual disabilities.

ABUSE AND SAFETY



The majority of women with intellectual disabilities will experience sexual assault and exploitation by age 18.

ECONOMIC DISPARITIES



Women as a whole are paid only 81 cents for every man's dollar. And women with disabilities are disproportionately impacted by gender pay inequality.

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH



Women with developmental disabilities lack the information they need to make decisions regarding their sexual and reproductive health, raising their likelihood of:



breast and
ovarian cancer

STD

HIV and AIDS



maternal mortality



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