

## Support Groups

### **Cape Girardeau – First Monday of the Month at 6:00 pm**

Cape Girardeau Public Library, 711 N. Clark, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
Room – Geraldine Room  
Contact: Marilyn Schott, 573-275-7552

### **Columbia (Afternoon) – Fourth Wednesday of Month at 12:00 pm**

Services for Independent Living (SIL), 1401 Hathman Place, Columbia, MO 65201  
Room – Main Conference Room  
Contact: Victoria Day, 573-575-6683

### **Columbia (Evening) – Second Thursday of Month at 7:00 pm**

Rusk Rehabilitation Center, 315 Business Loop 70 West, Columbia, MO 65203  
Room – Dining Room  
Contact: Victoria Day, 573-575-6683

### **Hannibal – Third Tuesday of Month at 4:00 pm**

Marion County Services, 12 Northport Plaza, Hannibal, MO 63401  
Contact: Kathy Butler, 712-355-0012, kbutler@mcsdd.com

### **Independence – First Tuesday of Month at 7:00 pm**

Centerpoint Hospital, 19600 East 39th S, Independence, MO 64057  
Room – Auditorium West  
Contact: Angela (Angel) Perry, 816-377-0231

### **Independence, Male Survivors Group – Third Wednesday of Month at 6:30 pm**

Centerpoint Hospital, 19600 East 39th S, Independence, MO 64057  
Room – Auditorium West  
Contact: Jason Miller, 816-509-1463, jasonflc@hotmail.com  
\*This Support Group is open to males with brain injury.

### **Joplin – Second Tuesday of Month at 1:00 pm**

Independent Living Center, 2639 E. 34th Street, Joplin, MO 64804  
Contact: Andrea Buening, 417-659-8086, 800-346-8951  
Transportation available. Reservations required 1 week advance. Call Lawanna, 417-659-8086

### **Kansas City (North) – Second Tuesday of Month at 7:00 pm**

Hillside Christian Church, 900 NE Vivion Rd., Kansas City MO 64118  
Contact: Kathryn Dixon, 816-356-1874

### **Kansas City (Downtown) – Second Thursday of Month at 1:00 pm**

The Whole Person, 3710 Main St, Kansas City, MO 64111  
Contact: Sara Carlson, 816-561-0304, scarlson@thewholeperson.org

**Kirksville – First Monday of Month at 6:30 pm**

Rural Advocates for Independent Living (RAIL), 1102 S. Jamison, Kirksville, MO 63501  
Contact: Mary Jecusco, 660-627-2498

**Rolla – Last Tuesday of Month at 6:30 pm**

Christ Episcopal Church, 1000 N. Main St., Rolla, MO 65401  
Contact: Deb Merrell, 573-364-6644

**Springfield – Third Tuesday of Month at 5:00 pm**

Preferred Family Healthcare, 2626 W. College, Springfield, MO 65802-4637  
Contact: Marsha Milleson, 417-862-1753

**St. Charles – Second Thursday of Month at 7:00 pm**

St. Joseph's Health Center, First Floor, 300 First Capitol Dr., St. Charles, MO 63301  
Room – St. Peters Room  
Contact: BIA-MO Office, 314-426-4024

**St. Joseph – Third Thursday of Month at 6:00 pm**

MOSAIC Hospital, 5325 Faraon St., St. Joseph, MO 64506  
Contact: Rita Zotto, rita.zotto@clintoncohealth.org

**St. Louis (Northwest) – Third Wednesday of Month at 7:00 pm**

Brain Injury Association of Missouri Office, 2265 Schuetz Rd., St. Louis, MO 63146  
Contact: BIA-MO Office, 314-426-4024

**St. Louis (South/Southwest) – Fourth Tuesday of Month at 7:00 pm**

SSM Health St. Clare Hospital, 1015 Bowles Ave, Fenton, MO 63026  
Contact: BIA-MO Office, 314-426-4024

\*Please check the bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs for meeting room location.

Non-BIA-MO Brain Injury Support Groups in St. Louis

**Brain Tumor Support Group**, Third Thursday of Month from 6:30 pm  
Wellness Community, 10425 Old Des Peres Rd., St. Louis, MO 63131-1865  
Contact: 314-238-2000 for more information

**Hydrocephalus Support Group**, P.O. Box 4236, Chesterfield, MO 63006  
Contact: Debby Buffa, Executive Director, 636-532-8228

**Stroke Support Group**, SSM Rehab at DePaul Hospital  
Contact Nancy Jackson at 314-344-7392

For Support Groups in adjacent states, please visit the following Web sites:

Arkansas: [www.biaa.org](http://www.biaa.org)

Kentucky: [www.biaa.org](http://www.biaa.org)

Illinois: [www.biaill.org](http://www.biaill.org)

Nebraska: [www.biaa.org](http://www.biaa.org)

Iowa: [www.biaa.org](http://www.biaa.org)

Oklahoma: [www.biaa.org](http://www.biaa.org)

Kansas: [www.biaks.org](http://www.biaks.org)

Tennessee: [www.braininjurytn.org](http://www.braininjurytn.org)