

# News Release: American Library Association

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The Office for Library Service to the Disadvantaged Subcommittee on Library Service to the Rural Poor and Appalachian People is in the process of revising the ALA publication: Information For Everyday Survival: What You Need And Where To Get It.

The committee would appreciate your suggestions for both specific titles and lists that you have used successfully with adults of limited reading ability.

Items should be in print, in a format suitable for circulating and usable across the country. The committee would prefer that the materials be 8th grade reading level or below. However, because there is little written at this level in some subject areas, materials slightly above will be considered if they have high information content.

Materials are primarily being sought in the following survival skill categories: aging, children, community, education, family, free time, health, home, jobs, law and government, money management, self and others, transportation.

Suggestions should be sent to:

Norma Richey, New Mexico State Library  
P.O. Box 1629  
Santa Fe, NM 87503.