Record Nr. UNINA9910811440403321 Caring for the physical and mental health of people with learning **Titolo** disabilities / / David Perry ... [et. al.]; foreword by Anthony Kearns London;; Philadelphia,: Jessica Kingslev Publishers. 2011 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-90520-5 0-85700-225-2 Edizione [1st ed.] 1 online resource (178 p.) Descrizione fisica Altri autori (Persone) PerryDavid KearnsAnthony Disciplina 362.196/85889 362.19685889 Soggetti Learning disabled - Medical care Learning disabled - Mental health Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Formato Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto The physical health and mental health needs of people with a learning disability -- About this book -- An introduction to learning disabilities -- Learning disabilities and physical health -- Learning disabilities and mental health -- Physical and mental health needs of people with Down's syndrome -- Learning disability, health, and the law --Associated conditions and issues -- Epilepsy -- Sleep problems --Swallowing problems -- Autism -- Accessing services -- Screening programmes -- Health checks -- When admission to psychiatric care is required. This book is a practical guide for those caring for people with learning Sommario/riassunto disabilities living in community settings. It will help carers understand and meet service users' health needs, and recognise problems. Topics include physical health issues; mental health issues such as dementia, depression, bipolar disorder and anxiety.