JobTIPS



Your Legal Rights - Other Accommodations

Other accommodations that may help an individual with a disability such as autism include:

- 1. Use of visual schedules and/or to do lists
- 2. Written instructions in addition to or instead of spoken instructions
- 3. A quiet work area
- 4. A quiet break area
- 5. Use of a timer
- 6. Use of headphones to block out background noise
- 7. Use of sunglasses to minimize light sensitivity
- 8. Advanced notice on meeting topics
- 9. Advanced notice on schedule or routine changes
- 10. Communicating through email when appropriate rather than face-to-face meetings
- 11. Breaking down complex tasks into smaller, more manageable parts
- 12. Visual reminders of workplace rules
- 13. Bringing an advocate or job coach to performance reviews and job trainings
- 14. Visual organizational systems or left to right work systems (e.g. clearly labeled "to do" and "done" bins, folders, or boxes)
- 15. Low or high tech augmentative communication systems
- 16. More frequent breaks
- 17. Training videos and modeling to demonstrate appropriate work and social behaviors
- 18. Tasks listed from high to lower priority