

TCDD Position Statement Review Schedule

Tab 18

Background:

The Council periodically reviews TCDD’s Position Statements.

The table below reflects the most recent dates that position statements were reviewed.

Position Statements Last Reviewed

Employment	July '12	Family Support	May '12	Children & Families	May '12
Transition	July '12	Service Coordination	May '12	Emergency Preparedness	Feb '12
Aging & DD	Oct '12	Guardianship	May '12	Right to Privacy	Feb '12
Education	July '12	Access to Health Care	May '12	Transportation	Feb '12
Criminal Competency	Feb '13	Community Living	Oct '12		

Public Policy Committee

Agenda Item 8.

Expected Action:

The Committee will review and make recommendations regarding a schedule to review and update TCDD Position Statement Review.

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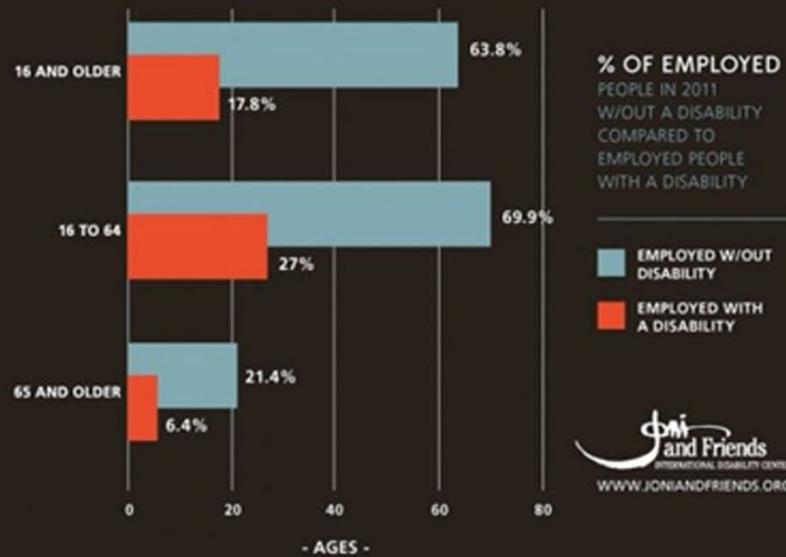
Agenda Item 15. C.

Expected Action:

The Council will receive a report on Committee discussion.

DISABILITY + EMPLOYMENT

ONLY **15.2%** OF PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY IN THE UNITED STATES ARE EMPLOYED.



44th in the nation for child well being? Texas can do better!



 **TEXANS CARE**
for **CHILDREN**

In Texas, 55% of people receiving food stamps are kids. Another 20% are seniors or have disabilities.

EASTER SEALS SIBLINGS STUDY MADE POSSIBLE BY MASSMUTUAL



80%

ROUGHLY 80% HAVE CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS WITH THEIR SIBLING WITH A DISABILITY AND BELIEVE THIS RELATIONSHIP ENHANCES THEIR LIFE.

#SIBLINGSMATTER

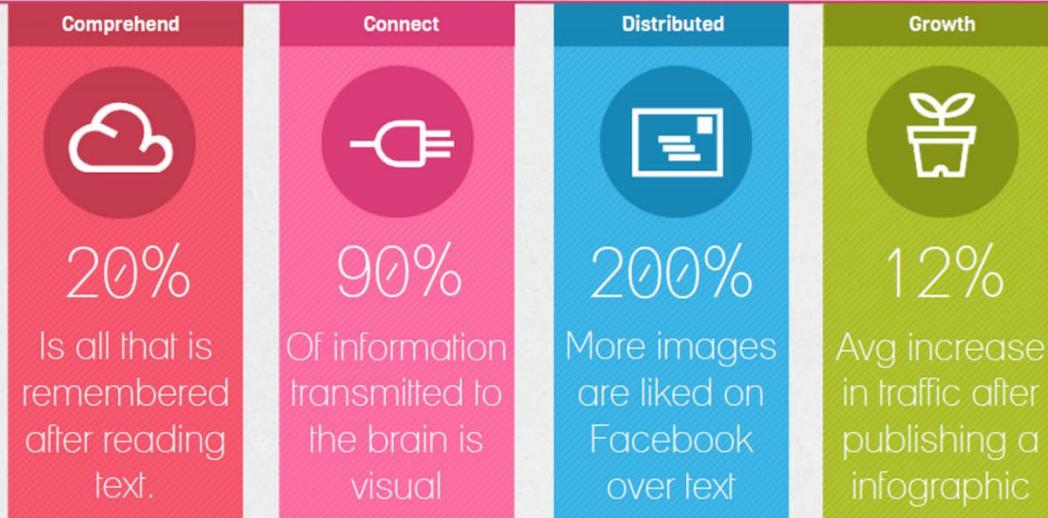
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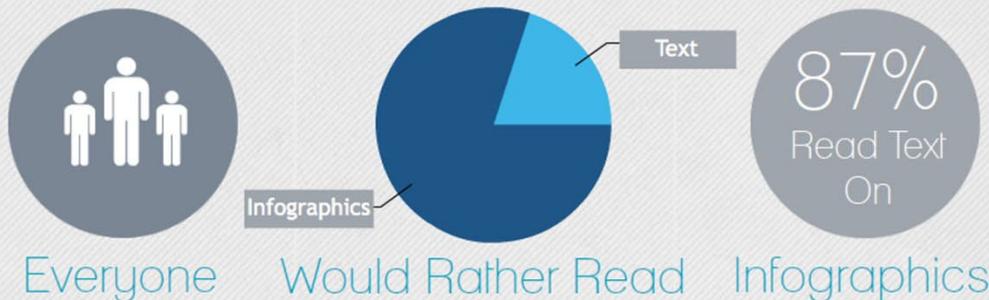
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WHY YOU NEED THEM

Everyone has a message, the hard part is bundling it up so the message is understood by anyone, and everyone.



Who Reads Infographics



How To Make Infographics

- 1. Idea And Research**
First thing you have to do to make a infographic is have a topic, then dive into hours and hours of researching the topic.
- 2. Story And Design**
Now that you have facts and data piled up, its time to sift through and pull out a captivating story told through images.
- 3. Distribute And Promote**
Now it's time to show the infographic to the world, using social networks and blogs. The question is how to do this effectively?

The Conclusion

Difficulty	Time	Success
Infographics are not easy to make. A quality infographic averages \$1,000-\$5000 because of the difficulty.	The time spent on research, organizing data, wireframe, design and marketing equals a weeks worth of work alone.	Infographics easily go viral and gain attention, but how to do it stress free, and not break the bank? Use us.

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