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SPaN 2010-2011 Professional Directory

CAPE COD and Islands

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Barnstable
Bourne
Brewster
Chatham
Chilmark
Dennis
Eastham
Edgartown
Falmouth
Gosnold
Harwich
Hyannis
Marstons Mills
Mashpee
Nantucket
North Falmouth
Oak Bluffs
Orleans
Provincetown
Sandwich
Tisbury
Truro
Vineyard Haven
Wellfleet
West Tisbury
Yarmouth



Counties: Barnstable, Dukes, Nantucket

SPaN advocates, educational consultants and other professionals are available to work with families, schools, and individuals. Areas of expertise and fees will vary since they are determined by individual advocates, and are not regulated by SPaN. Potential clients are encouraged to make thoughtful, informed decisions based on their own needs. The Special Needs Advocacy Network is not responsible for the performance of individual advocates or service providers. View SPaN Ethics and Standards of Practice

Checked CEC box indicates the completion of 6+ hours of continuing education courses during the year ending July 31, 2010

(*) indicates a Span Board of Director

Fall 2010 Directory

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