

Pointers For Parents

Raising A Child With Special Needs

(NAPSA)—An extraordinary book for anyone who knows a special-needs child describes what it's like to parent a child with special needs.

In "The Elephant in the Playroom" (Hudson Street Press), Denise Brodey introduces readers

the elephant in the playroom

Ordinary Parents Write Intimately and Honestly
About the Extraordinary Highs and Heartbreaking
Lows of Raising Kids with Special Needs



This collection brings comfort, advice and hope to parents and teachers of special-needs children.

to a community of intrepid parents who share the dysfunctional lows and joyful highs of parenting a child with ADD, ADHD, sensory disorders, childhood depression, autism and physical and learning disabilities.

Parents from Florida to Alaska, with children ages 3 to 33, address everything from if and when to medicate a child to how to explain a child's behavior to strangers. Written by ordinary parents, the book offers from-the-trenches accounts of how one makes it through the day.