

# ***STEREOTYPES ABOUT PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES***

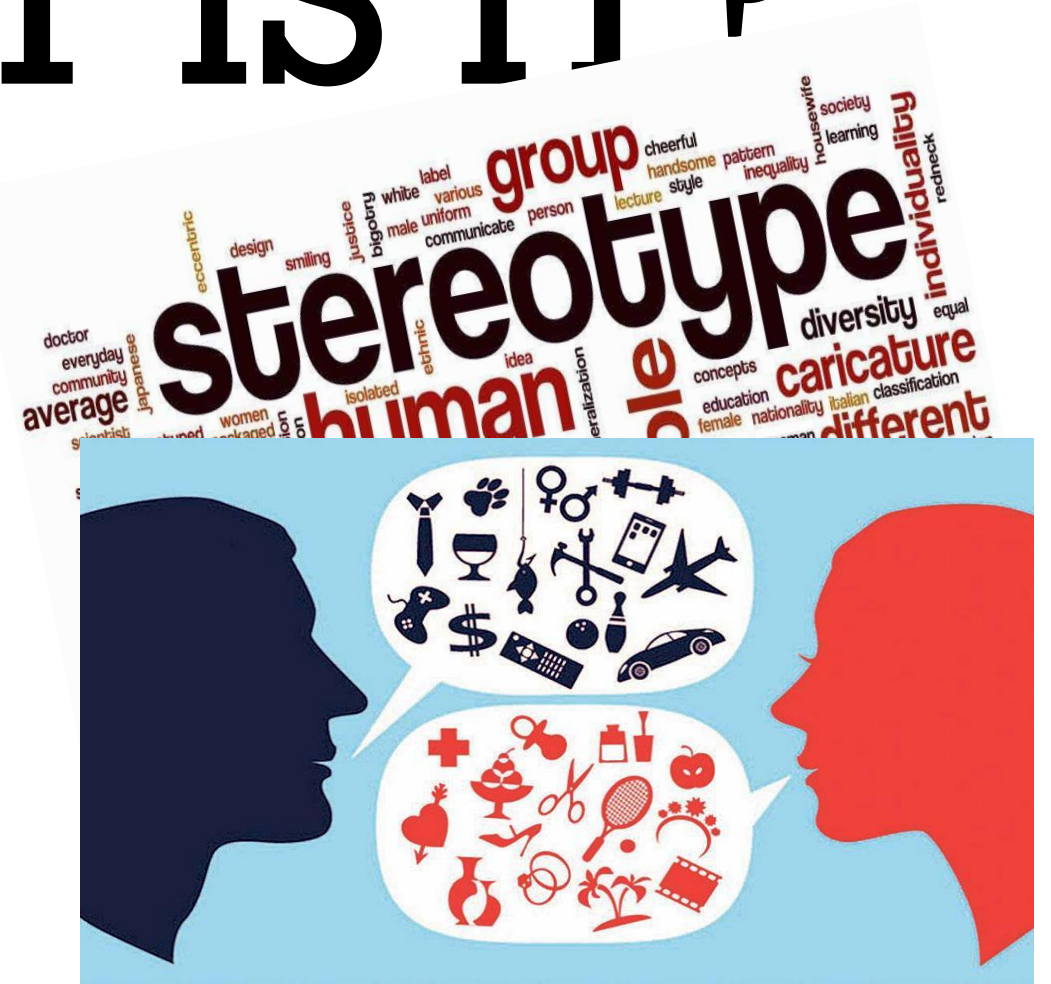
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# WHAT IS IT?

**Stereotype** -- a person's pre-formed mental assessment of something, which can be reflected in the corresponding stereotypical behavior.

*The concept of "stereotype" entered the socio-political Western discourse with the light hand of Walter Lippman, which he applied in describing his original concept of public opinion in 1922.*



# ***STEREOTYPE***

- ***People with disabilities have a poor quality of life.***

*People with disabilities have the same needs as those who are not disabled and they are just as committed to high standards of quality of life as other people.*

- ***People with disabilities should live in boarding schools or rehabilitation centers under constant supervision.***

*People with disabilities can live in their own home if there is a system of care and treatment.*

- ***Because of the opinion in society, disabled people try not to leave the house, because they are afraid of being judged and slanted looks from others.***

*People with disabilities should not avoid social life. They have every right to visit cultural places and are not afraid to be in public places.*



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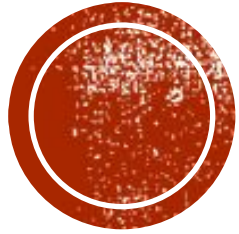
- **Many people in modern society are afraid of people with disabilities because of the fear of infection.**

*Disability is not a disease, much less a contagious one. Disability is a status that is set for a person who has certain limitations.*

- **In modern society, there is an opinion that families where a disabled child was born are unhappy.**

*Despite the difficulties in caring for such a baby, parents love it with all their heart, experiencing only happiness and joy.*





***WE NEED TO TREAT PEOPLE  
WITH DISABILITIES WITH  
UNDERSTANDING, BECAUSE  
SOCIAL STEREOTYPES HURT  
THEIR SOUL.***

**THANKS FOR  
YOUR  
ATTENTION!**

