HIDA’s mission is to increase awareness of dyslexia in our community, provide support for individuals with dyslexia, families and educators, promote teacher training, and improve literacy for struggling readers.
In 2018, nearly 400 parents, teachers, tutors and others received resources and strategies to help struggling readers by attending HIDA sponsored teacher training workshops, public awareness presentations, and other educational outreach on O‘ahu, Kaua‘i, Maui and Hawai‘i Island. An estimated 1,500 students benefitted from instruction by teachers and tutors who attended HIDA events including:

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People also accessed information and resources by email or phone and online:

Website: HI.DyslexiaIDA.org
Facebook & Instagram: hawaiidyslexia
‘Ōlelo Community Media: www.olelo.org/olelonet (search “Dyslexia 101”)

We are gratified and honored that many individuals, businesses and foundations have chosen to join HIDA’s mission by:

- Volunteering numerous hours to develop and run programs and raise funds
- Helping to spread the word about dyslexia and HIDA’s work in our community
- Making cash and in-kind donations

Aloha United Way Donor Choice • AmazonSmile • Annual Fundraising Event Help Hawai‘i Read! GoFundMe Campaign by Jason Hara • Recurring Monthly Donations Unsolicited Contributions • Visitor Industry Charity Walk • Year-End Appeal

Corporate and Foundation Grants and Donations were received* from:

- Annie Sinclair Knudsen Memorial Fund of the Hawai‘i Community Foundation
- Atherton Family Foundation
- F. William Littlejohn and Amy E. Littlejohn Fund of the Hawai‘i Community Foundation
- First Hawaiian Bank
- Goodfellow Bros. Inc.
- Hawai‘i Bowl Foundation
- Hawai‘i Hotel Industry Foundation - O‘ahu Charity Walk
- Hawaiian Cement
- Hawaiian Dredging Construction Company, Inc.
- James Campbell Company LLC
- Kimo’s Surf Hut
- Mitsunaga & Associates, Inc.
- NME Fund of the Hawai‘i Community Foundation
- Per Spec, LLC
- R. M. Towill Corporation
- RevaComm
- Robert E. Black Fund of the Hawai‘i Community Foundation
- Royal Contracting Company

Producers of Life with Dyslexia: A Panel Discussion on ‘Ōlelo Community Media TV on O‘ahu and was distributed to community TV on Hawai‘i Island, Kaua‘i and Maui

Produced 3rd in a series of instructional segments focused on increasing dyslexia awareness and how to teach/support struggling readers -- Life with Dyslexia: A Panel Discussion aired on ‘Ōlelo Community Media TV on O‘ahu

Released 2nd edition of A Resource Guide About Dyslexia for People in Hawai‘i -- updated with the latest research and best practices (174 pages with 13-page companion resource booklet)

Received 2018 IDA Branch Excellence Award for Program/Community Outreach

2019 Calendar of Events on back of this report.

* as of December 15, 2018