Tear Down This Wall: Find & Remove Barriers to Library Use
Additional Resources for CSL in Session, February 20, 2019

- Pew Research Center's Libraries 2016 report, #3—a portrait of those who have never been to libraries: http://www.pewinternet.org/2016/09/09/a-portrait-of-those-who-have-never-been-to-libraries/

- American Library Association's Office of Intellectual Freedom, Access to Library Resources and Services: http://www.ala.org/advocacy/intfreedom/access

- Teens: Help Yourself printable poster and bookmarks: http://lauraperenic.blogspot.com/2016/03/tough-topics-bookmarks-and-poster.html

- Longmont Public Public Library Excels at Serving Children with Autism: https://www.imls.gov/blog/2014/10/public-library-excels-serving-children-autism

- Supporting Parents in Early Literacy through Libraries (SPELL): http://spellproject.weebly.com/

- Edmonton Public Library's March 2014 report, The Top Five Barriers to Library Access and Recommendations for Eliminating Those Barriers: https://www2.epl.ca/public-files/reports/BarriersReport.pdf

- Colorado State Library's white paper, Removing Barriers to Access: Eliminating Library Fines and Fees on Children's Materials by Meg DePriest, September 2015: http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdelib/removingbarrierstoaccess

- Andy Woodworth's blog, End Library Fines: https://endlibraryfines.info/

- Managing barriers: provision of information access for underserved groups by Nicole Askin, Spring 2015: https://ojs.library.ubc.ca/index.php/seealso/article/view/186337/185519

- Problematizing the 'Libraries are for Everyone' Rhetoric: Barriers to Inclusive Public Library Service (PowerPoint presentation) by Melissa Ferens et al, 2017: http://info4socialgood.web.unc.edu/files/2017/04/Barriers-to-Inclusive-Public-Library-Service.pdf

Community Assessment

- Library User Survey Templates & How-Tos, from Colorado State Library's Library Research Service: https://www.lrs.org/library-user-surveys-on-the-web/

- Resources for Community Analysis (Colorado and national), from Colorado State Library's Library Research Service:: https://www.lrs.org/resources/library-topics/

- Community Analysis Scan Form, from Colorado State Library's Library Research Service: https://www.lrs.org/public/ca_form.php

- Community Tool Box, from University of Kansas Center for Community Health and Development: https://ctb.ku.edu/en