**Travis Noah Bio**

I am an individual with a developmental disability since birth called severe spastic cerebral palsy. I have lived in Alaska since 1991. My dad was in the Army for 26 years, which is how I moved to Alaska. I have been an advocate for myself since I was 15 years old. I’ve been an advocate for others since I was 18 years old.

In 2006 I was awarded The Removal of Attitudinal Barriers Award by the state of Alaska. From 2007 to 2010, I was on the governor’s council for disabilities and special education. I am currently the chair of the statewide vocational rehabilitation committee. I am also a co-founder of the developmental disability shared vision, now called the shared vision.

As their peer advocate, I worked for hope community resources from September 2017 to September 2021. As of October 2021, I now work as an independent living advocate for Access Alaska Inc.