

Community Resources



Community Resources for Children with Special Health Care Needs and Their Families

These organizations offer either INFORMATION or DIRECT SUPPORT in the

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American Diabetes Association 800-342-2383 • www.diabetes.org				●	●	●	●
Arc Michigan 800-292-7851 • www.arcmi.org	●		●	●	●	●	●
Association for Children's Mental Health 800-782-0883 • www.acmh-mi.org			●	●	●	●	
Autism Society of America 800-3AUTISM (328-8476) www.autism-society.org			●		●	●	
Autism Society of Michigan 800-223-6722 • www.autism-mi.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Birthline 800-26-BIRTH • www.michigan.gov/wic	●		●				
Building Strong Families 517-355-6586 • www.michigan.gov/fia						●	
Camp-O-Rama List of Michigan summer camps for children with disabilities www.cenmi.org/matr							●
CAUSE (Citizens Alliance to Uphold Special Education) 800-221-9105 • www.causeonline.org			●		●	●	
CDC National AIDS Hotline - 24 hours 800-342-2437 • 800-344-7432 Spanish 800-243-7889 TTY • www.cdc.gov/hiv/hivinfo/nah.htm				●	●		
Center for Educational Networking 800-593-9146 • www.cenmi.org						●	●
Cerebral Palsy Association of Michigan (advocates for all disabilities) 800-828-2714 • www.ucpmichigan.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	●



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Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Project 517-335-8885 • www.michigan.gov/mdch		●	●	●	●	●	●
Children's Leukemia Foundation of Michigan 800-825-2536 • www.leukemiamichigan.org				●	●		
Children's Research Center of Michigan 313-745-2400 • www.crcm.med.wayne.edu					●		
Children's Special Health Care Services 800-359-3722 • www.michigan.gov/cshcs		●			●	●	
Children's Trust Fund (child development, parenting resources, child abuse prevention) 800-CHILDREN (244-5373) www.michigan.gov/fia				●	●	●	
Children with Special Needs Fund 800-359-3722 • www.michigan.gov/csnfund					●	●	●
Community Coordinated Child Care 866-424-4532 • www.mi4c.org	●					●	
Developmental Disabilities Institute 888--978-4334 • www.wayne.edu/ddi		●		●			
Diabetes Diagnosis and Treatment of Children at Clinics Across Michigan Wayne State University Morris J. Hood Jr. Comprehensive Diabetes Center 888-324-6852		●			●	●	
Domestic Violence Hotline 1-800-799-SAFE • www.ndvh.org				●	●	●	
Down Syndrome Society 800-221-4602 • www.ndss.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Early On Michigan 800-372-5966 • www.earlyonmichigan.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Easter Seals of Michigan 800-292-2729 • www.essmichigan.org		●	●	●	●	●	●
Epilepsy Foundation of Michigan 800-377-6226 www.epilepsyfoundation.org/michigan	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

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Exceptional Parent Magazine 877-372-7368 • www.eparent.com			●	●	●	●	●
Family Support Network of Michigan 800-359-3722				●	●	●	
Family Village: A Global Community of Disability-Related Resources www.familyvillage.wisc.edu/sp/p2p.html	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Family Voices 888-835-5669 • www.familyvoices.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Food Bank Council of Michigan 800-552-4483 • www.fbcmich.org						●	
Genetics Support Group Directory (for families affected by known or suspected genetic diseases, birth defects, and related conditions) www.migeneticsconnection.org/staticSGD.html				●	●		
Head Start in Michigan 866-320-6472 • www.mhsa.ws		●	●	●	●	●	●
Hearing Program 800-359-3722 • TTY 517-335-8246 www.michigan.gov/ehdi	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Hemophilia Foundation of Michigan 800-482-3041 • www.hfmich.org	●		●	●	●	●	
Hope Network 800-695-7273 • www.hopenetwork.org	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Immunizations 888-76-SHOTS (888-767-4687) www.michigan.gov/mdch		●			●	●	
Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation 800-533-2873 • www.jdrf.org		●		●	●	●	
Kids as Self Advocates (KASA) 888-835-5669 or 773-465-3200 www.fvkasa.org				●		●	●



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Latino Family Services 313-841-7380 www.umich.edu/~psycdept/Detroit.Initiative/partners/dipartners/latino_family_services.htm				●		●	
Lead Poisoning Information 800-MI-TOXIC (648-6942) www.michigan.gov/leadsafe		●					
Learning Disabilities Association of MI 888-597-7809 www.bridges4kids.org/ld							
Merck Patient Assistance Program (for pharmaceuticals) 800-727-5400 • www.merck.com		●					
MiChild Health Insurance (for uninsured children of Michigan's working families) 888-988-6300 • TTY 888-263-5897 www.michigan.gov/mdch/0,1607,7-132-2943_4845_4931---,00.html		●					
Michigan - Official Web Site 517-373-1837 • www.michigan.gov	●	●	●	●		●	●
Michigan AIDS Hotline 800-872-2437 • www.michigan.gov/hiv-aids-std		●			●	●	
Michigan's Assistive Technology Resource (MATR) 800-274-7426 • www.cenmi.org/matr			●		●		●
Michigan Association for the Education of Young Children (MiAEYC) 800-336-6424 • www.miaeyc.com		●					
Michigan's Children 800-330-8674 • www.michiganschildren.org						●	
Michigan Dental Association Find A Dentist/Community Programs www.michigandental.org/welcome.asp?pageDesc=PUB:MAIN+PAGE		●				●	
Michigan Department of Community Health 517-373-3740 • www.michigan.gov/mdch		●		●	●	●	

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Michigan Donated Dental Services 866-263-4067 • www.nfdh.org/state/MI.html		●					
Michigan Family Independence Agency 517-373-2035 • www.michigan.gov/fia	●	●	●			●	
Michigan Head Start Association 517-374-6472 • www.mhsa.ws	●	●	●		●		
Michigan Insurance Bureau 877-999-6442 • www.michigan.gov/ofis		●				●	
Michigan Medicaid Program 888-367-6557 • www.michigan.gov/documents/MedicaidCoveragebrochure_15697_7.pdf		●					
Michigan Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services http://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530_6598---,00.html			●	●			
Michigan Parents of Children with Visual Impairments 989-855-2430 • 800-292-7851 x601 www.napvi.org			●	●	●	●	●
Michigan Protection and Advocacy Services 800-288-5923 • www.mpas.org		●	●	●	●	●	
Michigan PTSA 517-485-4345 • www.michiganpta.org			●			●	
Michigan Rehabilitation Services 800-605-6722 • www.michigan.gov/mdcd			●			●	
Michigan Respite Programs 517-788-7533 www.respitelocator.org/m3states.htm	●	●					
Michigan Self-Help Clearinghouse www.mpas.org/mshc1.asp				●			
Michigan SIDS Alliance / Tomorrow's Child 800-331-7437 • www.tomorrowschildmi.org				●	●		
Michigan Vulnerable Adult Helpline 800-996-6228 • www.michigan.gov/fia				●	●	●	



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Migrant Head Start 800-782-7831 www.telamon.org/InYourState/MI/hs.asp		●	●	●		●	
Mothers United for Moral Support (MUMS): National Parent to Parent Network 877-336-5333 (parents only please) www.netnet.net/mums				●	●	●	
National Dissemination Center for Children with Disabilities 800-695-0286 • www.nichcy.org		●	●	●	●	●	●
National Institute on Deafness & Other Communication Disorders 800-241-1044 • TTY 800-241-1055 www.nidcd.nih.gov					●		
National Organization for Rare Disorders (NORD) 800-999-6673 • www.rarediseases.org				●	●		
Parent Empowerment Project 800-262-0650 • www.for-rudy.com			●		●		●
Parent HELPLine 800-942-4357 • www.michigan.gov/fia/0,1607,7-124-8994-17514--,00.html							●
Parent Participation Program (Children's Special Health Care Services/ Michigan Dept. of Community Health) 800-359-3722				●	●	●	
Parenting Awareness Month & Prevention Network (substance abuse) 800-968-4968 • www.preventionnetwork.org					●	●	
Poison Help - Statewide Poison Control Center at Children's Hospital of Michigan 800-222-1222 (24/7) • www.mitoxic.org/pcc					●	●	

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Pregnancy and Newborn Health Education Center - March of Dimes 888-MODIMES (663-4637) www.marchofdimes.com/michigan					●	●	
Runaway and Homeless Youth Program (RAP line) 800-292-4517 • www.michigan.gov/fia		●		●	●	●	
Saint Francis Camp on the Lake 517-688-9212 • bosonline.com/saintfranciscamp							●
Social Security Administration 800-772-1213 • www.ssa.gov		●	●				
Special Olympics Michigan 800-644-6404 • www.somi.org							●
Spina Bifida Association of America lists Michigan chapters 800-621-3141 • www.sbaa.org		●		●	●		
Starfish Family Services 24-Hour Crisis: 313-563-5005 734-728-3400 • www.starfishonline.org			●	●	●		
Stepfamily Association of America 800-735-0329 • www.saafamilies.org				●	●	●	
Together Let's Cope (TLC) Support Group for Parents of Premature Infants St. John Hospital Neonatal Intensive Care Unit 313-343-3683 • www.stjohn.org				●	●		
Very Special Arts of Michigan 313-832-3303 • www.vsami.org							●
Wild Swan Theatre 734-995-0530 • www.wildswantheater.org							●
Will Rogers Institute (pulmonary disease/disorder education and research) www.wrinsitute.org					●		