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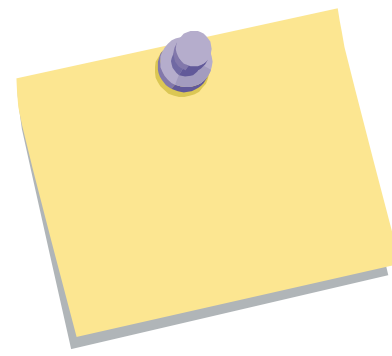
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Resource Booklet for Children With Diabetes



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Notes:



Statewide Tribal Programs

Fort Berthold Indian Reservation

www.mhanation.com/main/main.html

Three Affiliated Tribes

- MinneTohe Health Center 701.627.4701
- Community Health Representative
 - New Town 701.627.3653
 - Mandaree 701.759.3441
 - Parshall 701.862.3872
 - Twin Buttes 701.938.4574
 - White Shield 701.743.4178

Standing Rock Indian Reservation

www.standingrock.org

- Public Health Service Hospital 701.854.3831
- IHS Clinics – Cannonball, ND 701.854.3453
- Community Health Representative
 - Fort Yates 701.854.3856
 - Cannonball 701.854.9926
- Tribal Health 701.854.7206

Fort Totten Indian Reservation

www.spiritlakenation.com

Spirit Lake Nation

- Indian Health Service Clinic 701.766.1600
- Maternal Child Health 701.766.1251
- Tribal Health 701.766.4236
- Community Health Representative 701.766.4238
- Early Childhood Tracking 701.766.1232

Trenton Indian Service Area

www.ndhealth.gov/localhd/TISA

- Trenton Community Clinic 701.774.0461
- Community Health Representative Coordinator 701.774.0303
- Tribal Health 701.774.0461

Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation

www.tmbci.net

- Quentin Burdick Health Facility 701.477.6111
- Community Health Representative 701.477.5696
- Tribal Health 701.477.8469

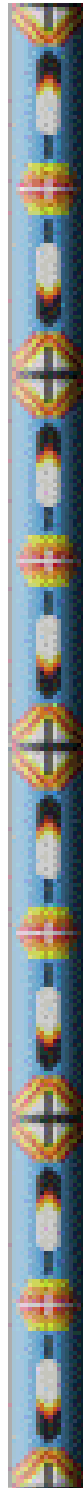


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Disclaimer

The content within this booklet is for informational purposes only. It is not intended to be a substitute for professional medical advice. Families are encouraged to discuss the information in this booklet with their child's doctor or other health-care providers.

Specialty Health Services

Expert care for children with diabetes can often best be managed using a team approach. The links below provide information and offer suggestions for the care of children with diabetes.

<http://diabetes.ygoy.com/2011/22/how-to-manage-diabetes-in-children>

http://care.diabetesjournals.org/content/34/Supplement_1

Diabetes Clinics and Programs

Children's Special Health Services (CSHS) funds diabetes clinics in Devils Lake, Fargo, Hettinger and Minot. Diabetes clinics supported by CSHS provide multidisciplinary team evaluations where families have an opportunity to see many different providers in one place at one time. Reports generated from the clinic visit include recommendations to help direct care for the coming year. All children who might benefit are eligible to attend with no direct cost to the family. For more information, review the following link: www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/docs/clinic-schedule.pdf.

Clinics make a positive difference in children's overall care. Families report that clinics provide:

- Information, education and reassurance.
- Diagnostic evaluation and treatment.
- Coordinated/comprehensive care.
- Follow-up and monitoring.
- Access to specialty medical care.

ND Diabetes Youth Outreach Program

The ND Diabetes Youth Outreach Program provides ongoing education and clinical services for children and youth with Type 1 or Type 2 diabetes in Devils Lake, Hettinger and Minot. Diabetes education workshops also are provided for families and community health-care providers to enhance diabetes management. 701.255.1993

Pediatric Diabetes Outpatient Service

Pediatric diabetes outpatient services are offered monthly at the Sanford Health Coordinated Treatment Center in Fargo and quarterly at Mid Dakota Clinic in Kirkwood Mall Bismarck. This program uses a comprehensive, coordinated care approach for diabetes management and provides clinical evaluations by several specialists and diabetes education at each appointment.

Bismarck 701.530.6052

Fargo 701.234.6600
800.828.2901, option 3

Websites

Condition-Specific Websites:

American Diabetes Association: www.diabetes.org

Barbara Davis Center for Childhood Diabetes: www.barbaradaviscenter.org

Children with Diabetes: www.childrenwithdiabetes.com

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International: www.jdrf.org

National Diabetes Education Program: www.ndep.nih.gov

North Dakota Diabetes Prevention & Control Program: www.diabetesnd.org

Additional Websites for Families of Children With Special Health-Care Needs:

Bright Futures: www.brightfutures.org

CDC Parent Portal: www.cdc.gov/parents

Dr. Greene's House Calls: www.drgreene.com

Early Intervention: www.nd.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/earlyintervention

Family Village: www.familyvillage.wise.edu

Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare: www.gillettechildrens.org

Healthy Children: www.HealthyChildren.org

Healthy & Ready To Work (HRTW): www.hrtw.org

Institute for Child Health Policy (IChP): www.ichip.edu

Kids As Self Advocates (KASA): www.fvkasa.org

Mayo Clinic: www.mayoclinic.com

Medical Home National Center: www.medicalhomeinfo.org

Medical Home Portal: www.medicalhomeportal.org

MUMS (parent support): www.netnet.net/mums

National Organization for Rare Disorders (NORD): www.rarediseases.org

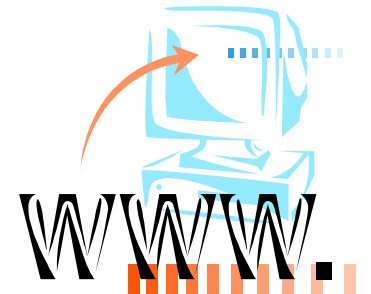
Need to Know: www.ndcpd.org/n2k

ParentsPlace: <http://parenting.ivillage.com>

Social Security Administration: www.ssa.gov

Starlight/Starbright Children's Foundation: www.starlight.org

University of Minnesota Children's Center: www.uofmchildrenshospital.org



North Dakota Association for the Disabled, Inc. (NDAD) may provide some financial assistance for individuals with disabilities. For more information, call the office nearest you:

- Grand Forks 2660 South Columbia Road, Grand Forks, ND 58201
701.775.5577 or 800.532.6323
- Minot 1808 20th Avenue SE, Minot, ND 58701
701.838.8414 or 888.999.6323
- Williston 309 Washington Avenue, Williston, ND 58801
701.774.0741 or 877.777.6323
- Bismarck 400 E Broadway Avenue, Ste. 306, Bismarck, ND 58501
701.355.4615 or 888.540.4728
- Fargo 3509 Interstate Boulevard, Fargo, ND 58103
701.281.8215 or 888.363.6323

Services: Information and referral, advocacy, equipment donations and financial assistance.
www.ndad.org

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) provides monthly payments for children who meet disability and financial eligibility requirements. For more information, contact the Social Security Administration.
800.772.1213
www.ssa.gov

Women, Infants and Children (WIC) provides nutritious foods, offers information about how to feed your family, and helps you participate in other important health programs. Pregnant women, breastfeeding women and children up to age 5 who meet WIC’s liberal income guidelines are eligible to participate. For more information, contact 800.472.2286 or your county WIC office as listed in the phone book.
www.ndhealth.gov/wic



ND Diabetes Education Centers

The following diabetes education programs are recognized by the American Diabetes Association. These programs meet the National Standards for excellence in diabetes education.

Bismarck:	Mid Dakota Clinic Medcenter One Health Systems	701.530.6052 701.323.6000 x 5324
Cavalier:	Altru Health System	701.265.8338
Devils Lake:	Altru Health System	701.662.2157
Fargo:	Essentia Health Sanford Health	701.364.8900 701.234.6166 or 701.234.2245
Grand Forks:	Altru Health System	701.780.1838
Hettinger:	West River Health Services	701.567.6203
Jamestown:	Essentia Health Sanford Health	701.253.5300 701.253.4000
Minot:	Trinity Health	701.857.5268
Wahpeton:	Essentia Health Sanford Health	701.642.2000 701.642.7000

Insulin Pumps

When working closely with a diabetes care team, insulin pumps can help keep blood glucose levels within target ranges. To learn more about insulin pumps, go to:
<http://www.diabetes.org/living-with-diabetes/treatment-and-care/medication/insulin/insulin-pumps.html>.



ND Diabetes Prevention and Control Program (NDDPCP)

Some activities the program includes are:

- Public awareness on preventing diabetes and complications: NDDPCP collaborates with state partners to develop and deliver educational campaigns on diabetes. Media programs are scheduled for November during National Diabetes Month, in March to emphasize Diabetes Alert Day and to coincide with other national diabetes care initiatives. The program also maintains the DDC/NDDPCP website to include relevant information about diabetes.
- Professional education programs: Professional education programs for health-care providers are conducted through state conferences, conventions and satellite distance learning seminars.
- Reimbursement Advocacy: The NDDPCP participates in efforts to increase reimbursement coverage for diabetes education, medical nutrition therapy, drugs, supplies and other preventive care services.
- Population served: The NDDPCP targets all populations, but places special emphasis on efforts serving high-risk minority, elderly and disadvantaged people.
- Data collection, analysis and distribution: The North Dakota Diabetes Prevention & Control Program utilizes surveillance systems to track diabetes health behaviors, care practices and health outcomes. Surveillance resources include behavioral surveys, hospitalization information and vital records data. The DPCP collects and analyzes data to measure diabetes incidence, prevalence and impact, and evaluate program effectiveness.
- Diabetes care provider report: IN partnership with Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Dakota (BCBSND), diabetes care is tracked through patient insurance claims. The DPCP funds a disease management coordinator at Blue Cross Blue Shield to manage the project and share information with care providers.
- Quality improvement guidelines: The NDDPCP collaborates with health-care providers to develop and implement diabetes care quality improvements. The NDDPCP assists clinics in establishing care tracking systems to monitor health practices and outcomes.
- Community-based interventions: NDDPCP participates in educational campaigns developed to empower people with diabetes to see self-care education and treatment. Efforts are made to identify barriers to care and establish culturally-accepted education and support systems. Collaboration opportunities with regional community coalitions, diabetes care centers and support systems involved in improving diabetes care are sought.
- Improved access to care and education: NDDPCP promotes educational programs on diabetes and are standards, nutrition and physical activity, obesity and other topics pertinent to diabetes prevention and care.

Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity
North Dakota Department of Health
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 301
Bismarck, N.D. 58505-0200
701.328.2496
Toll-Free 800.280.5512
www.diabetesnd.org/

Dental Coverage



Safety Net Dental Clinics are programs that usually see patients who do not have other access to dental care. The patients typically are covered by Medicaid or the clinic offers sliding fee schedules or reduced fees.

- Bridging the Dental Gap is a nonprofit community dental clinic serving low-income and uninsured individuals in the Bismarck-Mandan area.
701.221.0158
- Family Healthcare Center Dental Clinic is a federally qualified community health center serving low-income and uninsured individuals within the Fargo Red River Valley Region.
701.271.3332
- Red River Valley Dental Access Project serves low-income, uninsured and Medicaid-eligible individuals who have urgent dental pain and do not have access to a dentist in Fargo-Moorhead.
701.364.5364
- Valley Community Health Center Dental Clinic is a federally qualified health center serving low-income, uninsured and insured individuals of all ages in the Northern Red River Valley.
701.757.2100

North Dakota Donated Dental Services is a network of volunteer dentists who provide dental care to the state's most vulnerable people: disabled, elderly or medically compromised individuals who cannot afford necessary treatment nor get public aid.

866.572.9390

www.ndhealth.gov/oralhealth/Publications/Fact_Sheet_Dental%20Access.pdf

Jerene's Wish is a program that provides orthodontic treatment at a minimal cost to eligible children. For more information contact, Warford Orthodontics.

701.255.1311

info@warfordorthodontics.com



Medicaid pays for health services for qualifying families with children and people who are pregnant, elderly or disabled. Screening, diagnosis and treatment for children younger than 21 is provided through the Health Tracks Program. For more information or to apply, contact your county social service office.

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid

ND Healthy Steps is for children age 18 or younger who do not have health insurance, do not qualify for North Dakota Medicaid and live in families with qualifying income. Call 877.543.7669 for an application.

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/chip



Vision Coverage

Vision USA provides basic eye health and vision care services free of charge to uninsured, low-income people and their families.
701.258.6766
www.aoa.org/visionusa.xml

VSP Sight for Students is a charity that provides free vision exams and glasses to low-income, uninsured children.
888.290.4964
www.sightforstudents.org

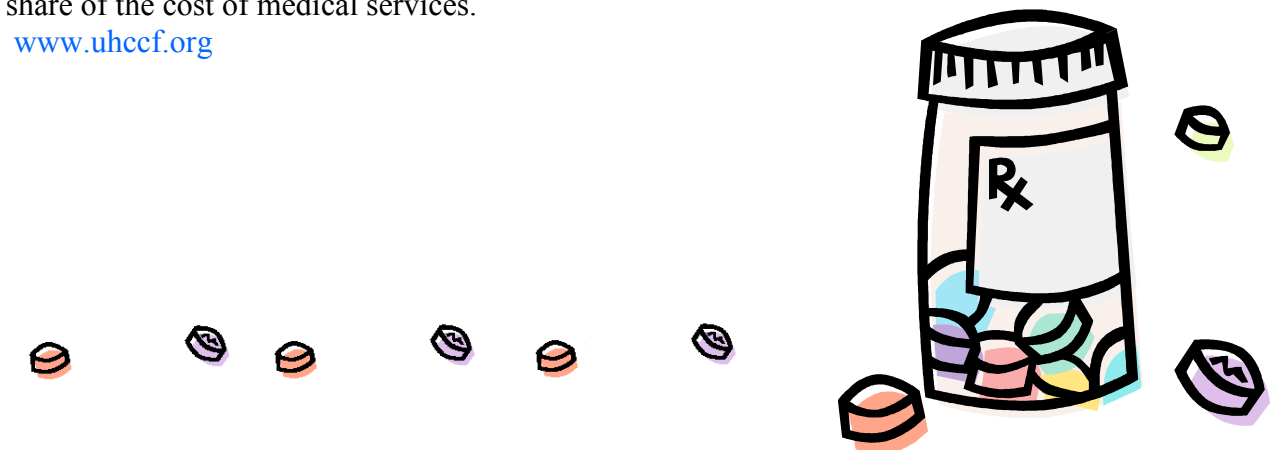
Prescription Coverage

ND Prescription Drug Repository Program collects and distributes donated medications from hospitals, hospices and other facilities so that pharmacies and physicians can dispense them to those who struggle paying for prescriptions regardless of insurance coverage. The medications and supplies are unopened and secure but cannot be resold to patients.
www.nodakpharmacy.com

Prescription Connection for North Dakota is a program of the North Dakota Insurance Department that connects kids and families with free and discounted prescription drugs direct from the pharmaceutical manufacturer.
888.575.6611
www.rxconnectnd.org

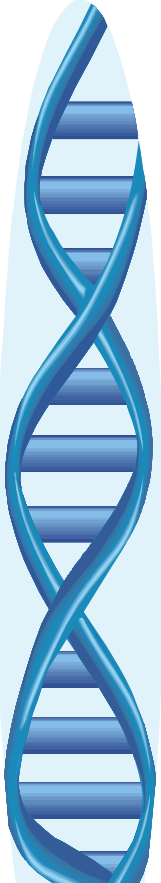
Health-Care Program

United Health Care Children’s Foundation embraces and supports the concept of facilitating access to health-related services that have the potential to significantly enhance either the clinical condition or the quality of life of the child and that are not fully covered by the available commercial health benefit plan. The Foundation provides financial assistance toward the family’s share of the cost of medical services.
www.uhccf.org



Genetic Services

Genetic/Birth Defect Clinics are held periodically throughout the state. For clinic schedule information, call CSHS toll-free at 800.755.2714 or contact the following:



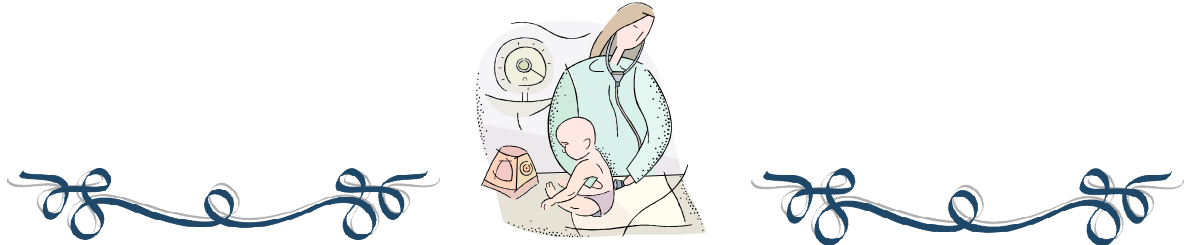
Division of Medical Genetics
Department of Pediatrics
School of Medicine and Health Sciences Room 5910
501 Columbia Road North STOP 9037
Grand Forks, ND 58201
Telephone: 701.777.4277 or 701.772.5301
www.med.und.nodak.edu/pediatrics/genetics

Sanford Health Medical Genetics
737 Broadway North
Fargo, ND 58102
Telephone: 701.234.2362
www.north.sanfordhealth.org/

Informed Medical Decisions (telehealth genetic counseling services)
North Dakota Contact - Marie Schuetzle, MS, CGC
Senior Genetic Counselor
Telephone: 760.230.4251
Fax: 760.203.1194
www.informedDNA.com

Health-Care Providers

For a list of CSHS participating specialists, contact CSHS at 800.755.2714.
www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/provider.htm





Family Support Services



Anne Carlsen Center (ACC) offers a rich tradition of empowering individuals with disabilities and their families. Their experienced staff provides compassion, training, services and supports in homes and communities across North Dakota. On the Jamestown campus, they meet the educational, residential and therapeutic needs of children and young adults with autism, behavior disorders, medical fragility and other developmental disabilities. They also provide services in the home through customized supports for individuals from birth to age 21.

www.annecenter.org

701 3rd Street NW
Jamestown, ND 58401

701.252.3850
Toll-free: 800.568.5175

Care Coordination for Children with Special Health-Care Needs meets the complex health needs of children and their families often requires special assistance in the form of care coordination. The Care Coordination Program through Children’s Special Health Services (CSHS) helps eligible families access services and resources in their community, and when needed, across multiple service delivery settings. For more information, refer to the following websites:

- Medical Home – www.medicalhomeinfo.org
- Grand Forks Public Health – <http://grandforksgov.com/gfgov/Health.nsf/Pages/Care+Coordination>
- County Social Services – www.nd.gov/dhs/locations/countysocialserv/index.html
- North Dakota Integrated Services – www.ndcpd.org/ndis

Child Care Assistance Program

Services: Provides financial assistance to low-income families for child care costs.

North Dakota Department of Human Services
600 East Boulevard, Dept 325, Bismarck, ND 58505
701.328.2332 Public Assistance Toll Free Number: 800.755.2716
www.nd.gov/dhs/services/financialhelp/childcare.html

Child Care Resource and Referral

Services: Assistance locating child care and other related services.

Bismarck – 701.223.1510 or 888.223.1510 Grand Forks – 701.772.3435 or 888.778.3435
Minot – 701.838.7800 or 800.450.7801 Fargo – 218.299.7026 or 800.941.7003
Jamestown – 701.252.0350 or 888.767.0350



Financial Help



Bridge to Benefits is a multi-state project sponsored by the Children’s Defense Fund –Midwest Region focused on improving the well-being of families and individuals by linking them to public work support programs and tax credits.

nd.bridgetobenefits.org

Caring for Children provides free health and dental coverage to children of low-income working parents. Children are eligible if they are North Dakota residents, birth through age 18, and are not covered by other health insurance or not eligible for Medicaid or Healthy Steps. Parents must meet income requirements. For more information or to apply, call 701.277.2227 or toll-free at 800.342.4718.

www.ndcaring.org

Children’s Special Health Services (CSHS)

Diagnostic Services – CSHS pays for health-care visits and tests needed to diagnose many chronic health conditions seen in children. To qualify, children must be suspected of having a CSHS-eligible condition. There is no financial eligibility requirement for diagnostic services; however, insurance or other sources of health-care coverage are used when available. Health-care visits must be made with a specialist who is approved to provide services through CSHS.

Treatment Services – In North Dakota, several programs are available that provide health care coverage for children. CSHS is a program specifically for children with special health-care needs. CSHS pays for specialty care that is needed to treat a CSHS-eligible condition. To qualify, families must meet income eligibility guidelines currently set at 185 percent of the federal poverty level. Families with incomes higher than 185 percent still may be eligible with a cost share. Insurance or other sources of health-care coverage are used when available. Health-care visits must be made with a specialist who is approved to provide services through CSHS.

Families apply for CSHS diagnostic and treatment services at their local county social service office. In order to ensure coverage, contact CSHS toll free at 800.755.2714, as provider restrictions and time limits may affect the eligibility start date.

www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/docs/cshs-diagnostic-and-treatment-services-fact-sheet.pdf

Comprehensive Health Association of North Dakota (CHAND) provides comprehensive health insurance to residents of the state who are denied health insurance or are considered high risk. Individuals must be a resident of North Dakota continuously for at least six months and have written evidence from at least one insurance carrier that within the last six months they have been denied health-care coverage or offered coverage which substantially restricts benefits for specific conditions. For more information, call 800.737.0016.

Libraries

North Dakota State Library – 701.328.4622 or toll-free at 800.472.2104

www.library.nd.gov

Children’s Special Health Services Library – toll-free at 800.755.2714

www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/docs/cshs-resource-catalog.pdf

Pathfinder Services of North Dakota Library – toll-free at 800.245.5840

www.pathfinder-nd.org/lib.html

Prevention Resource Center – toll-free at 800.642.6744

(topics in mental health, substance abuse, aging and disabilities)

<http://odinlibrary.org/ndspr.html>



Education



Head Start

Head Start and Early Head Start are comprehensive child development programs. Regular Head Start programs are for children ages 3 and 4. Some communities offer a program specifically for families with children younger than 3 and pregnant women. A variety of services are provided through Head Start programs, including health, education, parent involvement, family literacy, social services and services for children with disabilities. Call the Head Start State Collaboration office at 800.245.3736 or your local Head Start program.

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/childfamily/headstart

School Nursing

The purpose of school nursing is to support the educational process by contributing positively and significantly to the health, health attitudes and health behaviors of today's children, and consequently, tomorrow's adults. Contact the Department of Health at 701.328.2493 or your local school nurse.

www.ndhealth.gov/school-nursing

Special Education

It is important to locate and identify children who are in need of special services as early as possible. Screening and assessment opportunities offered at school help identify possible areas of difficulty that could interfere with a child’s learning or academic performance. Some children with disabilities may require special education services to address their unique educational needs. Contact the Department of Public Instruction at 701.328.2260 or your local special education unit.

www.dpi.state.nd.us

Disability Services Division provides services to North Dakota citizens of all ages with developmental disabilities. Call your regional Human Service Center or the Disability Services Division at 800.755.8529.

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/disabilities

- **Family Care Option** provides respite care to families through short-term foster home placement.
- **Family Subsidy Program** provides financial help needed by the family to care for the child at home.
- **Infant Development Program** provides intervention services in the home or other natural settings by trained professionals to promote optimum development of children from birth through age 2.
- **Respite Care Program** provides services of a specially trained caregiver to provide the family with occasional relief from the stress of providing care.
- **Right Track** provides child development consultations for children from birth to age 3. For more information, call 800.755.8529.
- **Supportive Home Care** assists with and teaches parents about the special care the child needs.
- **Experienced Parent Program** provides support services to parents with children enrolled in early intervention.

Family Voices of ND is a health-care information and education center, which includes the Parent to Parent Project. A program that offers emotional support to families.

701.493.2634 or 888.522.9654

www.fvnd.org

FamNet supports collaboration between family support organizations to improve health outcomes for families of children, youth and adults with special health-care needs and/or disabilities. Partner agencies have come together to develop a portal to help guide others to agencies that will best help meet family needs.

www.ndcpd.org/ndfamnet

Federation of Families provides support and advocacy for children’s mental health.

701.250.1795 or 800.492.4951

www.fcsn.org

Legal Services of North Dakota

P.O. Box 1893

Bismarck, ND 58502-1893

701.222.2110 or 800.634.5263

National Alliance on Mental Illness North Dakota

P.O. Box 3215

Minot, ND 58702-3215

701.857.3345



National Dissemination Center for Children with Disabilities (NICHCY) is an information clearinghouse that provides free information about disabilities and disability-related issues. For more information, call 800.695.0285.

www.nichcy.org

Pathfinder Services of North Dakota, Inc.

Family Training and Information Center
1600 2nd Avenue SW, Ste. 19
Minot, ND 58701
701.837.7500 or 800.245.5840
TDD: 701.837.7501 Fax: 701.837.7548

www.pathfinder-nd.org

Regional Resource Centers for Independent Living provides services that help young people with disabilities with transition from home and school to the work place and independent living.

www.freedomrc.org/links.html

Dakota Center for Independent Living

311 East Broadway
Bismarck, ND 58501
701.222.3636 or 800.489.5013

Freedom Resource Center

2701 9th Avenue S, Ste. H
Fargo, ND 58103
701.478.0459 or 800.450.0459

Ronald McDonald House Charities provides a temporary residence near the medical facility where family members can sleep, eat, relax and find support from other families in similar situations. In return, families are asked to make a donation, but if that isn't possible, the stay is free.

Bismarck: 609 N. 7th Street, Bismarck, ND 58501 701.258.5076 www.rmhcibismarck.com

Fargo: 1330 18th Ave South, Fargo, ND 58103 701.232.3980 www.rmhcfargo.org



The Arc of North Dakota



Services: The Arc is a member and volunteer-driven nonprofit organization that offers advocacy, education and family support to children and adults with intellectual disabilities and related developmental disabilities and their families.

Bismarck: The Arc of Bismarck
1211 Park Avenue
Bismarck, ND 58504
701.222.1854
www.thearcofbismarck.org/

Dickinson: The Arc of Dickinson
PO Box 1421
Dickinson, ND 58601
701.483.4272

Fargo: The Arc of Cass County
255 North University Drive
Fargo, ND 58102
701.293.8191
www.arccassnd.com

Grand Forks: Arc, Upper Valley, Inc.
2500 Demers Ave
P.O. Box 12420
Grand Forks, ND 58208-2420
701.772.6191
www.thearcuppervalley.com

Valley City: The Arc of Barnes County
700 11th Street NW #135
Valley City, ND 58072
701.845.5845



North Dakota Chapter of the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation

1330 Page Drive, Ste. 102

Fargo, ND 58103

701.235.5530

www.marchofdimes.com/northdakota/northdakota.asp

Project HERO

2204 5th Avenue North, Ste. C

Moorhead, MN 56560

218.284.6111

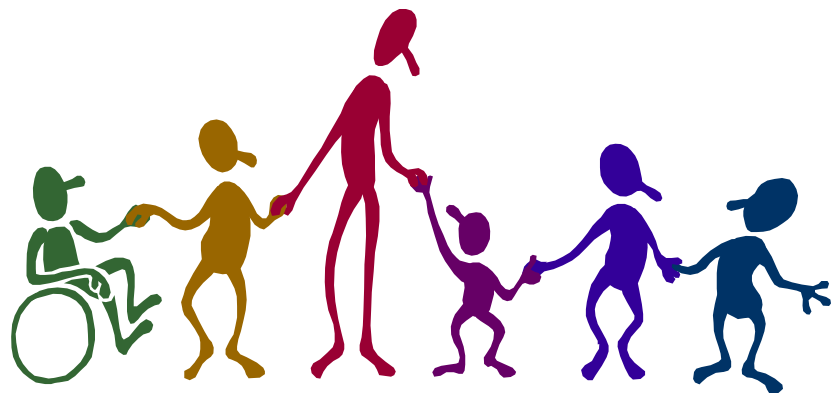
Services: HERO provides unused medical supplies and donated durable medical equipment to those in need. HERO works with several agency and health-care partners to redistribute viable medical products to the medically fragile and financially challenged.

www.fmhero.org

Shriners Hospitals for Children-Twin Cities

Services: Provides care for children (17 and younger) with orthopedic problems and burns. Some of the common orthopedic problems treated at Shriners include scoliosis, osteogenesis imperfecta, orthopedic problems of cerebral palsy, hand problems, back problems, limb deficiencies and growth problems, orthopedic problems of spina bifida with myelodysplasia, club foot and dislocated hip, leg-length discrepancies, orthopedic problems resulting from neuromuscular disorders, legg-perthes disease, rickets, and juvenile rheumatoid arthritis. Evaluation clinics are offered throughout North Dakota. For more information, call Shriners Hospital for Children –Twin Cities at 888.293.2832 or the patient referral line at 800.237.5055.

www.shrinershq.org



Information and Referral Services



Children's Special Health Services (CSHS)

North Dakota Department of Health

State Capitol – Judicial Wing

600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept 301

Bismarck, ND 58505-0200

701.328.2436

Toll-free: 800.755.2714

Relay TDD: 701.328.3975

E-mail: dohcshsadm@nd.gov

Children's Special Health Services is a program that helps children with special health-care needs and their families. Individuals are encouraged to call CSHS for free health-care information. CSHS can also help with referrals to health-care providers and special programs for children with chronic health conditions.

www.ndhealth.gov/cshs

County Social Services

Administers economic assistance and social service programs. To inquire about assistance, please check your local phone book under county government.

www.nd.gov/dhs/locations/countysocialserv

Pediatricians and Family Doctors

Lists of primary care doctors who practice in North Dakota are available upon request. All children benefit from a medical home. A medical home is not a building, but rather an *approach* to providing comprehensive medical care. In a medical home, a physician or other medical provider works in partnership with the family/patient to assure that the medical and non-medical needs of the child/youth are met. Through this partnership, the medical provider can help the family/patient access and coordinate specialty care, educational services, out-of-home care, family support, and other public and private community services that are important to the overall health of the child and family.

Public Health

Local public health units provide a variety of services such as immunizations, home visits, high-risk infant follow-up, general child health services, community wellness programs, and school health screenings.

www.ndhealth.gov

Organizations

American Diabetes Association-ND Affiliate

Services: The American Diabetes Association provides several programs and resources for children with diabetes including: **Camp Sioux**, a residential summer camp held each June for children ages 8-14; **Everyday Wisdom**, a free toolkit provided to families of newly diagnosed children; **Family Link**, a way to connect with other families that have children with diabetes; and **Planet D**, a website specifically for children with diabetes and their families.

1323 23rd Street S Suite A

Fargo, ND 58103

Toll-free 888.342.2383

www.diabetes.org



Interagency Project for Assistive Technology (IPAT)

Services: Information and referral, training, technical assistance to systems and individuals, equipment loan library, outreach activities, a link between state and private entities, resource development, alternative loan program, and dissemination of assistive technology materials based on consumer input.

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