

Jefferson County Resources

Advocacy / Partnerships & Support

ABC for Health, Inc. - benefits counseling and legal service for families of children with special health care needs, with difficulty financing healthcare.

www.safetyweb.org 800-585-4222

The Arc Wisconsin (ARC) – advocacy for persons with cognitive disabilities in the form of support groups, training, information and referral

608-422-4250 www.arcwi.org

Board for People with Disabilities (BPDD) - an organization advocating on the behalf of individuals with disabilities www.wi-bpdd.org 888-332-1677

Disability Rights Wisconsin – a non-profit organization ensuring rights to individuals with disabilities through advocacy

www.disabilityrightswi.org 800-928-8778

Family Voices of Wisconsin – a nationwide grass roots training. information and advocacy network of families whose children have special health care needs

www.familyvoicesofwisconsin.org 608-220-9598

Guardianship Support Center– a statewide resource for information about guardianship-related issues.

http://cwagwisconsin.org/elder-law-800-488-2596 center/guardianship-support-center/ ext. 314

Medicaid Ombudsmen – assistance with appeals, complaints, billing problems etc. for Medicaid HMO enrollees

800-760-0001

GLITC, Inc (Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, Inc) - parent training and information center dedicated to providing opportunities to enhance the quality of life for Native American children and their families

http://www.glitc.org/ 800-472-7207

Aging Disability Resource Center (ADRC) provides support services to adults with disabilities and their caregivers

http://www.ieffersoncountvwi.gov/departments/huma 920-674-8734 n_services/aging_and_disability_resource_center/in dex.php

NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally III)- provides education, advocacy, and supports for persons with mental illness, their families and friends.

http://www.namiwisconsin.org/

800-236-2988

Southeast Regional Center for Children & Youth with Special Health Care Needs - information and referral for families with special health care needs

www.southeastregionalcenter.org 800-234-KIDS

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Parent to Parent of Wisconsin – Support to parents of children with special health care needs through a one-to-one connections with another parent. 888-266-0028 www.p2pwi.org

Impact – 24/7 information and referral

http://www.impactinc.org/

Wisconsin Family Assistance Center for Education, Training and Support (WIFACETS) - free information and assistance to families concerning parent

and student rights and opportunities in education

www.wifacets.org 877-374-4677

Wisconsin Family Ties – statewide not-for-profit organization that provides support, education, advocacy and information and referral for families that include children with emotional, behavioral and mental disorders

www.wifamilyties.org 800-422-7145

Well Badger Resource Center - statewide public health Information and Referral (I&R) service and resource program offering a toll free phone line and website. Provides linkages to information and services for women, children and families, and families with children who have special health care needs and professionals.

https://wellbadger.org/ 800-642-7837

Wisconsin Statewide Parent Educator Initiative (WSPEI) – experienced parent liaisons work with families, educators and school districts through CESA to promote positive partnership and free consultation to families of children with special needs

http://wspei.org/ 877-844-4925

Department of Public Instruction (DPI) - responsible

for maintaining policies related to education

800-441-4563 www.dpi.wi.gov

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Financial Assistance

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Income Maintenance Consortia - a group of county agencies that determine enrollment and ongoing case management for FoodShare. Medicaid or Caretaker Supplement benefits

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/ForwardHealth/imagenc 888-794-5747 y/consortia.htm

Medical Transportation Management (MTM)- reservation line for

scheduled non-emergency medical transportation

Wisconsin Home Energy Assistance - provides assistance for heating costs, electric costs, and energy crisis situations

Social Security Administration - an independent agency of the federal

government that administers Social Security, a social insurance program

consisting of retirement, disability, and survivors' benefits

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid/contacts/medcont

www.homeenergyplus.wi.gov

866-432-8947

800-772-1213

Health Services

866-907-1493

Jefferson County Public Health Departments - information about prenatal care resources, breastfeeding concerns, new mom/baby visits. immunization information, car seat information, communicable diseases, home visiting, care coordination, dental care and general health issues.

Jefferson County Health Department

1541 Annex Rd. Jefferson, WI 53549 920-674-7275

www.mtm-inc.net/wisconsin

http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/departments/departm ents f-r/departments/health department.php

Watertown Department of Public Health

515 South First Street Watertown, WI 53094 920-262-8090

http://www.ci.watertown.wi.us/departments/health_dep artment/index.php#.Vz4Yx krLq5

Fort Atkinson Memorial Healthcare

611 Sherman Ave. Fort Atkinson, WI 53538 920-568-5000 or 920-568-5330 (Urgent Care) https://www.forthealthcare.com

Watertown Regional Medical Center

125 Hospital Dr. Watertown, WI 53098 920-261-4210

www.uwhpwatertown.com

Health Insurance

Badger Care - Medicaid eligibility for working families http://www.badgercareplus.org/

1-888-794-5780

Katie Beckett - Medicaid eligibility for children with significant disabilities http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/children/kbp/ 800-362-3002

Marketplace- an online website to purchase government-regulated health care coverage options during the open enrollment period https://www.healthcare.gov/marketplace/individual/

Compass Wisconsin - Threshold - Provides a unified point of intake, application, and eligibility determination for Katie Beckett, Children's Long-Term Support Waiver and the Children's Community Options Program www.compasswisconsin.org 608-288-9808

Human Services Department

Birth to 3 – early intervention services for children with developmental

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/children/birthto3/ 920-674-7386

COP/Family Support Program - support for families who have children with severe disabilities

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/children/fsp/index.htm 920-674-8715

Jefferson County Department of Human Services- provides a variety of programs to families, adults and children that need assistance with mental health, substance abuse, and disability issues as well as promotion of health and safety of the whole community.

http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/department 920-674-3105

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Women, Infants and Children (WIC) - WIC provides nutrition education, breastfeeding education and support, supplemental nutritious foods, and referrals to other healthy and nutrition services.

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/wic/

920-674-7189

Children's Long Term Support- provides financial support available through Medicaid for a child with significant disabilities.

http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/children/clts

920-674-8715



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Community Supports

Society's Assets Inc.- Society's Assets provides a full range of affordable services to promote living independently in the community.

https://societysassets.org

1-800-378-9128

Opportunities Inc.- Provide services for individuals for the purpose of maximizing their success and enhancing their abilities to be independent, contributing members of the community.

http://www.oppinc.com/about-us.html

920-563-2437

Easter Seals- creating life-changing solutions for individuals with disabilities and their families

http://www.eastersealswisconsin.com/

800-422-2324 / 920-675-0570 **St. Coletta Access Program-** Support persons with developmental and other challenges to achieve their highest quality of life, personal growth and spiritual awareness.

https://www.stcolettawi.org

920-674-4330

Additional Resource Directories

http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/departments/departments_in_a-e/aging_and_disability_resource_center.php

https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/index.htm

http://www.watertown.k12.wi.us/Sped/Resource%20Guide%20Jefferson%20County.pdf