

Jefferson County Resources

Advocacy / Partnerships & Support

<p>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</p>	<p>NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill)- provides education, advocacy, and supports for persons with mental illness, their families and friends. http://www.namiwisconsin.org/ 800- 236-2988</p>
<p>The Wisconsin Disability Association (ARC) – advocacy for persons with cognitive disabilities in the form of support groups, training, information and referral www.arc-wisconsin.org 877-272-8400</p>	<p>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 (5437)</p>
<p>Board for People with Disabilities (BPDD) – an organization advocating on the behalf of individuals with disabilities www.wi-bpdd.org 888-332-1677</p>	<p>Parent to Parent of Wisconsin – Support to parents of children with special health care needs through a one-to-one connections with another parent. www.p2pwi.org 888-266-0028</p>
<p>Disability Rights Wisconsin – a non-profit organization ensuring rights to individuals with disabilities through advocacy www.disabilityrightswi.org 800-928-8778</p>	<p>Impact – 24/7 information and referral http://www.impactinc.org/ 2-1-1</p>
<p>Family Voices of Wisconsin – a nationwide grass roots training, information and advocacy network of families whose children have special health care needs http://fvofwi.org/ 608-220-9598</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Guardianship Support Center– a statewide resource for information about guardianship-related issues. http://cwagwisconsin.org/elder-law-center/guardianship-support-center/ 800-488-2596 ext. 314</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Medicaid Ombudsmen – assistance with appeals, complaints, billing problems etc. for Medicaid HMO enrollees 800-760-0001</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Disability Resource Center (DRC) provides support services to adults with disabilities and their caregivers http://county.milwaukee.gov/DSD/Disability-Resource-Center.htm 414-289-6660</p>	<p>Department of Public Instruction (DPI) - responsible for maintaining policies related to education www.dpi.wi.gov 800-441-4563</p>

Notes

Financial Assistance

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/imagency/consortia.htm> 888-794-5747

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/medcontact8.htm> 800-772-1213

Medical Transportation Management (MTM)- reservation line for scheduled non-emergency medical transportation
www.mtm-inc.net/wisconsin 866-907-1493

Wisconsin Home Energy Assistance - provides assistance for heating costs, electric costs, and energy crisis situations
www.homeenergyplus.wi.gov 866-432-8947

Health Services

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
http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/departments/departments_f-r/departments/health_department.php

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

Watertown Department of Public Health
 515 South First Street
 Watertown, WI 53094
 920-262-8090
http://www.ci.watertown.wi.us/departments/health_department/index.php#.Vz4Yx_krLq5

Watertown Regional Medical Center
 125 Hospital Dr.
 Watertown, WI 53098
 920-261-4210
www.uhwpwatertown.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/> 608-263-7861

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

Human Services Department

Birth to 3 – early intervention services for children with developmental delays
<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/departments/departments_f-r/departments/human_services.php 920-674-3105

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>

