COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS AND THEIR FAMILIES

These organizations offer either INFORMATION or DIRECT SUPPORT in the areas indicated.

AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION  
1-800-342-2383  
www.diabetes.org/wizdom  
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

ARC MICHIGAN  
1-800-292-7851  
www.arcmi.org  
Child care for children with special needs, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

ASSOCIATION FOR CHILDREN’S MENTAL HEALTH  
1-800-782-0883  
www.acmh-mi.org  
School and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

AUTISM SOCIETY OF MICHIGAN  
1-800-223-6722  
www.autism-mi.org  
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, School and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.
BIRTHLINE
1-800-26-BIRTH
www.michigan.gov/wic
Child care for children with special needs, school and learning.

CAMP-O-RAMA
List of Michigan summer camps for children with disabilities
www.cenmi.org/matr
Fun and recreation.

CAUSE (Citizens Alliance to Uphold Special Education)
1-800-221-9105
www.causeonline.org
School and learning, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

CDC NATIONAL AIDS HOTLINE
Open 24 hours
1-800-342-2437
www.cdc.gov/hiv/general
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition.

CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL NETWORKING
1-800-593-9146
www.cenmi.org
Help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

CEREBRAL PALSY ASSOCIATION OF MICHIGAN
1-800-828-2714
www.ucpmichigan.org
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PREVENTION PROJECT
1-517-335-8885
www.michigan.gov/mdch
Paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

CHILDREN'S LEUKEMIA FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN
1-800-825-2536
www.leukemiamichigan.org
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition.
CHILDREN’S RESEARCH CENTER OF MICHIGAN
1-313-745-2400
www.crcm.med.wayne.edu
Understanding the problem or condition.

CHILDREN’S TRUST FUND
1-800-244-5373
www.michigan.gov/fia
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS FUND
1-800-359-3722
www.michigan.gov/csfund
Understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

COMMUNITY COORDINATED CHILD CARE
1-866-424-4532
www.mi4c.org
Child care for children with special needs, help with problem solving.

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES INSTITUTE
1-888-978-4334
www.wayne.edu/ddi
Paying for health care services, support groups.

DIABETES DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF CHILDREN AT CLINICS ACROSS MICHIGAN
1-888-324-6852
Paying for health care services, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE
1-800-799-SAFE
www.ndvh.org
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

DOWN SYNDROME SOCIETY
1-800-221-4602
www.ndss.org
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.
EARLY ON MICHIGAN
1-800-372-5966
www.earlyonmichigan.org
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

EASTER SEALS OF MICHIGAN
1-800-292-2729
www.essmichigan.org
Paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

EPILEPSY FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN
1-800-377-6226
www.epilepsyfoundation.org/michigan
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK OF MICHIGAN
1-800-359-3722
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

FAMILY VILLAGE: A GLOBAL COMMUNITY OF DISABILITY-RELATED RESOURCES
www.familyvillage.wisc.edu/sp/p2p.html
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

FAMILY VOICES
1-888-835-5669
www.familyvoices.org
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

GENETICS SUPPORT GROUP DIRECTORY
(for families affected by known or suspected genetic diseases, birth defects and related conditions)
www.migeneticsconnection.org/staticSGD
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition.
HEAD START IN MICHIGAN
1-866-320-6472
www.mhsa.ws
Paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

HEARING PROGRAM
1-800-359-3722
www.michigan.gov/ehdi
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

HEMOPHILIA FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN
1-800-482-3041
www.hfmich.org
Child care for children with special needs, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

HOPE NETWORK
1-800-695-7273
www.hopenetwork.org
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH FOUNDATION
1-800-533-2873
www.jdrf.org
Paying for health care services, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

KENNY FOUNDATION
1-800-237-3422
http://comnet.org/kenny
Paying for health care services, support groups, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN - OFFICIAL WEB SITE
1-517-373-1837
www.michigan.gov
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care coverage, school and learning, support groups, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

MICHIGAN AIDS HOTLINE
1-800-872-2437
www.michigan.gov/hiv-aids-std
Paying for health care services, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.
Paying for health care services.

MICHIGAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION
(find a dentist/community programs)
1-517-372-9070
www.smilemichigan.org
Paying for health care services, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH
1-517-373-3740
www.michigan.gov/mdch
Paying for health care services, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN DONATED DENTAL SERVICES
1-866-263-4067
www.nfdh.org/state/m
Paying for health care services.

MICHIGAN FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY
1-517-373-2035
www.michigan.gov/fia
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services, school and learning, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN INSURANCE BUREAU
1-877-999-6442
www.michigan.gov/ofis
Paying for health care services, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES
www.mde.state.mi.us/off/sped
School and learning, support groups.

MICHIGAN PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS
1-800-292-7851 ext. 601
www.napvi.org
School and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.
MICHIGAN PROTECTION AND ADVOCACY SERVICES
1-800-288-5923
www.mpas.org
Paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN REHABILITATION SERVICES
1-800-605-6722
www.michigan.gov/mdcd
School and learning, help with problem solving.

MICHIGAN RESPITE PROGRAMS
1-517-788-7533
www.respitelocator.org/m3states.htm
Child care for children with special needs, paying for health care services.

MICHIGAN SIDS ALLIANCE/TOMORROW’S CHILD
1-800-331-7437
www.tomorrowschildmi.org
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition.

NATIONAL DISSEMINATION CENTER FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES
1-800-695-0286
www.nichcy.org
Paying for health care services, school and learning, support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving, fun and recreation.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR RARE DISORDERS (NORD)
1-800-999-6673
www.rarediseases.org
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION
1-800-772-1213
www.ssa.gov
Paying for health care services, school and learning.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS MICHIGAN
1-800-644-6404
www.somi.org
Fun and recreation.
SPINA BIFIDA ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
/lists Michigan chapters
1-800-621-3141
www.sbaa.org
Paying for health care services, support groups, understanding the problem or condition.

STEPFAMILY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
1-800-735-0329
www.saafamilies.org
Support groups, understanding the problem or condition, help with problem solving.

VERY SPECIAL ARTS OF MICHIGAN
1-313-832-3303
www.vsami.org
Fun and recreation.

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