



Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs (CYSHCN) Program

Nassau County Department of Health

What is CYSHCN?

CYSHCN provides referrals and information about resources in your community that help benefit children with special health care needs and their families, including:

- Supportive Services
 - Medical, behavioral, and therapeutic
- Parent organizations
- Medical services
- Support groups
- Advocacy groups
- Transportation
- Food services/Pantries
- Transition from pediatric to adult health care
- Entertaining events/Groups
- Provider connections
- Suggestions for workshops/informational sessions

Scan for electronic intake form:



Eligibility

Infants and children from ages 0 to 21 years living in Nassau County, New York with a serious or chronic physical, developmental, intellectual, behavioral or emotional disability or condition.

A diagnosis is not required for the CYSHCN program.

Who can apply?

- Parents and guardians
- Individuals aged 18-20 years can apply on their own

For children in the Early Intervention program, this will provide them with help even after they "age out." A child can receive assistance through the CYSHCN program even if they have been identified as a child with a disability through CPSE or CSE.

More Information:

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