

Early Intervention Community Resources

**Call the Parent Help Line for
more numbers, tips and support.**

217-544-5808 or toll-free 1-888-727-5889

10 a.m. to 10 p.m., 7 days a week

www.parenthelpline.org

State & Local Resources for Early Intervention

- Look What I Can Do.....1-888-217-3505
Early Intervention information, WIC, lead screening.
- Community Child Care Connection.....1-800-676-2805
- DHS (Dept. of Human Services)1-800-843-6154
1-217-782-0400
Also for foodstamps, mental health, substance abuse, rehab services and WIC.
- Dental Quest.....1-888-286-2447
Helps find a dentist that takes public aid.
- Family Matters Advocacy and Training Organization for parents,1-866-436-7842
- IL Assistive Technology Program.....1-800-852-5110
- Lifespan.....1-800-588-7002
or lifespan.org
- Shriner's Hospital in St. Louis.....1-800-237-5055
- Social Security Office for SSI1-800-772-1213
- STARNET1-800-227-7537
Referrals, educational materials
- U of I Specialized Care for Children1-800-322-3722
217-524-2000
- Vision Kids USA.....1-800-766-4466
Will find a provider for free eye exams - must financially qualify

Find a Doctor

- IL State Medical Society.....1-800-782-4767

Find a Ride to the Doctor

- First Transit1-877-725-0569
For people on public assistance.

Find Help with Medicine

- Sangamon County Department of Public Health, 2833 S. Grand Ave. East, Springfield.....217-535-3100 or 888-217-3505
- Your local health department.
- Patient Indigent Programs through Drug Companies
Some drug companies will work through doctor's offices to provide free prescription drugs.

Find Help to Pay for Medical Care

- Div of Specialized Care for Children1-800-946-8468
Must qualify medically and financially.
- DHS (Dept. of Human Services)1-800-843-6154

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Early Intervention Resources for Sangamon County Area

- The Autism Program 1-217-525-8332
- Child & Family Connection 1-217-535-3100
0-3 program
- CISA (Central IL Service Access)..... 1-217-732-4731
Provides life-long advocacy and service access to persons with a disability. Has parent mentoring program.
- DSCC 1-217-524-2000
(Division of Specialized Care for Children)
- Healthy Families IL 1-217-535-3100
Pregnancy & newborn support.
- Lekotech - UCP 1-217-525-6522
- Sangamon Area Special Ed District 1-217-786-3250
- SPARC - Helping Individuals with Developmental Disabilities / Respite Services..... 1-217-793-2100
- Springfield School District #186 1-217-525-3060
Student Services & Special Ed
- HSHS St. John's Children's Hospital NICU Follow-Up Clinic..... 1-217-544-6464 Ext. 30444
- United Cerebral Palsy Land of Lincoln 1-217-525-6522
Lekotek program and respite services.

Home Visits for Parenting Support

- Elizabeth Ann Seton 217-757-6025
- Parents As Teachers 217-525-3315
- Teen Parents As Teachers..... 217-525-3315

Internet Resource for Disability Resources

- <http://www.disabilityresources.org>

Find Public Assistance & Food Stamps

- DHS (Dept. of Human Services) 1-217-782-0400
- ACA Insurance Information 1-217-535-3100

Find Parenting Support & Information

- **Parent Help Line** 1-217-544-5808
toll-free 1-888-727-5889

Springfield Hospitals

- HSHS St. John's Hospital 1-217-544-6464
- Memorial Medical Center..... 1-217-788-3000

For statewide resources

- DHS Helpline 1-800-843-6154
- Parent Training & Information Center 1-866-436-7842
Family Matters for parents or www.fmptc.org

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