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# PATHS FOR PARENTS | FAMILY TO FAMILY

Two programs – one mission  
**SUPPORTING FAMILIES**





## Who Can Benefit?

Our programs serve children and youth with disabilities or complex medical needs, families, caregivers, educators and other providers.

## What we do

- Resource center for parents and caregivers
- Workshops and trainings
- Disability Resource Library that includes:
  - Adapted toys
  - Medical procedure demonstration kits
  - Books for all ages
- Circle of Parent Support Groups and other opportunities for family connections and engagement
- Nutrition services for children and youth enrolled in the DHHR Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Program

## Our Goals

- **Children and youth with disabilities and special medical needs have a healthy, happy and well-connected quality of life within their home communities**
- To empower children and their caregivers to be partners in decision making in their education, health care and community life
- To make resources and information readily available and easily accessible



## Get involved

- Ask about parent leadership opportunities such as:
  - Mentorship programs
  - Advisory council committees
  - Parent panels
  - Parent led discussions
- Join our email list serve for current information, upcoming events and other program resources



Our Parent and Family Network Specialists are themselves parents of children with special health care needs and they understand the challenges other families face.