

Circle of Parents Support Groups

For families of children and youth with special health care needs and/or disabilities



Circle of Parents support groups provide friendly, supportive environments led by parents and other caregivers. It is a place where anyone in a parenting role can openly discuss the successes and challenges of raising children with special health care needs and/or disabilities. It is a place to find and share support.

The Circle of Parents support group in Fairmont will meet the **3rd Friday** of every month starting **January 17th, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.** at the Disability Action Center located at 448 Leonard Avenue in Fairmont, WV 26554.

Please join us! By attending the Circle of Parents support group, you will:

- Be a part of a supportive community of parents and caregivers.
- Discuss the challenges and successes of parenting children with special health care needs, share ideas and network with others in a friendly and supportive atmosphere.
- Learn about local resources and opportunities to support your family.

Please register in advance to help us plan space and materials by contacting Bonnie Shannon using the info provided below.

When: 3rd Friday of each month at 10:00 a.m.

Where: Disability Action Center
448 Leonard Avenue
Fairmont, WV 26554

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