

Resource and Referral Assistance Fact Sheet

Wood County Resources for Individuals with DisAbilities

Medical

For approved resources remember to refer to your Insurer's Preferred Provider Handbook!

Forward Health HMO Provider Handbooks

Community Care of Central Wisconsin <http://communitycareofcentralwisconsin.org>
Department of Health Services <http://dhs.wisconsin.gov/ForwardHealth/index.htm>
Managed Health Services/Network Health Plan www.mhswi.com 800-947-9627
Medicaid FACT Sheets: <http://dhs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid> - go to Publications
Security Health Plan www.securityhealth.org 800-472-2363

Medical Providers Serving Everyone Uninsured or Under-Insured

Federally Qualified Health Centers offer medical care on a sliding fee scale for low-income and uninsured families.

Bridge Clinic in Wausau 715-848-4884
Family Health Center in Marshfield 715-221-5700 or 800-942-5420
Family Health/LaClinica in Wautoma 920-787-5514

St Vincent DePaul Outreach Center Free Clinic 715-387-0395

Specialty Medical Support Programs

Partnership for Prescriptions www.pparx.org 888-477-2669
Shiners Hospitals serve All children for free: 800-237-5055
Burns <http://www.shrinershq.org/Hospitals/Chicago>
Orthopedic http://www.shrinershq.org/Hospitals/Twin_Cities
Wood County Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program
421-8950 or 387-8646

Medical Supply Reimbursement Rates (Forward Card)

Disposable and durable supplies: 800-947-9627
www.ForwardHealth.wi.gov (fee schedules)

Medical Information and Resources

Parish Nursing in your church home
Private and employer-based health insurance providers
Red Cross CPR classes 423-7360 or 387-0235
Social workers within your child's medical clinic



Medical Insurance Resources

Forward Health, BadgerCare Plus: Ages birth through 64 years
www.access.wisconsin.gov or 888-794-5722
Health Insurance Risk Sharing Plan (HIRSP) 800-828-4777
Katie Beckett Program Consultant 715-343-7103 or 608-266-3236
Social Security Benefits: (SSDI/SSI) 800-772-1213 or 855-686-1465
www.socialsecurity.gov

*Please refer to the backside for further clarification of agencies and their programs
For questions call United Way's Dial 211 or the Children and Disability Resource Center 715-650-0820*

Children's Disability and Resource Centers; Services are Free and Confidential

Children's Disability and Resource Center 421-0480 or 387-2326 or cdrc@cssw.org Children's Service Society of Wisconsin serves as your point of entry for the complex system of children's resources in Wood County; specializing in resource assistance for children's special needs from birth through age 22.

Northern CYSHCN Regional Center 866-640-4106 The Regional Center will connect you to community resources.

Federally Qualified Health Centers

Regional medical providers offering primary care physicians and limited dental services on an income-based sliding fee schedule for low-income and uninsured adults and children.

St Vincent DePaul Outreach Center Free Medical Clinic

149 N Central Avenue in Marshfield. Clinic hours on the **first and third Wednesday** of each month, 5:00 - 6:30 PM. No appointment is required. Individuals are screened by volunteer primary care physicians for imminent medical needs and referred to local community care programs if further follow-up is required.

Partnership for Prescriptions

This program brings together America's pharmaceutical companies, doctors, other health care providers, patient advocacy organizations and community groups to help qualifying patients without prescription drug coverage get free or low-cost medicines through the public or private program that's right for them. Many will get their medications free or nearly free. This program will help you find the program that's right for you, free of charge:

Medicare Drug Coverage Plans
State Coverage Programs
Free Clinic Finder

Co-Payment Programs
Patient Assistance Programs
Discount Card Plans

Economic Support, Wood County Social Services

Application assistance for Forward Health and BadgerCare Plus Medical Insurance, Food Share, Childcare funding, Energy Assistance and other governmental services.

Shriner's Hospitals for Children

Dedicated to providing pediatric specialty care, innovative research and outstanding teaching programs. Children up to age 18 with orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate are eligible for care and receive all services in a family-centered environment at no charge - regardless of financial need.

Women, Infant and Children (WIC)

WIC provides supplemental foods, health care referrals, nutrition education, oral fluoride treatments, vaccine for children, and childhood testing for lead poisoning for low-income pregnant, breastfeeding, and non-breastfeeding postpartum women, and to infants and children up to age five who are found to be at nutritional risk.

Health Insurance Risk Sharing Program

HIRSP offers health insurance to Wisconsin residents who either are unable to find adequate health insurance coverage in the private market due to their medical conditions or who have lost their employer - sponsored group health insurance. Applicants are required to meet HIRSP eligibility criteria to qualify. HIRSP covers major medical and prescription drug expenses, subject to pre-existing condition limitations. <http://www.hirsp.org>

Social Security Income Benefits

Income disability programs provide assistance to people with disabilities. They are administered by the Social Security Administration. Individuals must have a disability and meet medical criteria for benefits under these programs. Contact your local Social Security office for application assistance.

Katie Beckett Program

A special eligibility process that allows certain children, under age 19, who are residents of Wisconsin, with long-term disabilities or complex medical needs and living at home with their families, to obtain a Wisconsin Medicaid card. Children who are not eligible for other Medicaid programs because of family income or assets may be eligible. <http://dhs.wisconsin.gov/children/kbp/index.htm>