Medical Review Team (MRT)

Reviews children and youth, ages birth to 22 years, for short and long-term admission to pediatric skilled nursing facilities in Massachusetts, based on both medical and developmental criteria.

Northeast Regional Health Office
Tewksbury Hospital
365 East Street
Tewksbury, MA 01876
(800) 882-1435 (978) 851-7621
(978) 851-3829 TTY

Pediatric Palliative Care Network

www.mass.gov/medical-review-team

Serves children under age 19 with a wide range of life-limiting diagnoses and their families.

250 Washington Street, 5th Floor Boston, MA 02108 (800) 882-1435 (617) 624-6060 (617) 624-5992 TTY www.mass.gov/ppcn

These services / organizations are resources for you to explore.

They have not been endorsed by MCS. You may suggest additional resources or send comments on these listings to info@mcsnet.org





Department of **Public Health**



A government agency that promotes healthy people, families, community and healthy environments through compassionate care, education and prevention.

Springfield Family Support Center 1000 Wilbraham Road Springfield MA 01109

Tel: 413-782-2500

MCS SOS of Springfield 505 E. Columbus Avenue Springfield MA 01105 Tel: 413-301-7390 Holyoke Family Support Center 260 Westfield Road Holyoke MA 01040 Tel: 413-534-3299

Westfield Office 3 State Street Westfield MA 01085

Tel: 413-562-4885

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MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH (DPH)

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) oversees the health care system of Massachusetts. Division programs work to build a comprehensive, coordinated, community-based, family-centered system of care for CYSHCN and their families.

Bureau of Family Health & Nutrition

250 Washington Street, 5th Floor Boston, MA 02108 (800) 882-1435 (617) 624-6060 (617) 624-5992 TTY

Local DPH Office Western Regional Health Office

23 Service Center Road Northampton, MA 01060 (413) 586-7525

Please visit the DPH website for an extensive list of programs that may be helpful to your family or family member with a disability.

www.mass.gov/dph

RESOURCES

Family TIES of Massachusetts

An information and support network run by and for parents of children with special needs.

Western Regional Coordinator

Mass. Department of Public Health23 Service Center
Northampton, MA 01060
(800) 905-8437 (413) 586-7525
(800) 769-9991 TTY
www.massfamilyties.org

Community Support Line

The Community Support Line offers information, technical assistance and referral for families of children with special health needs and their providers.

250 Washington Street, 5th Floor Boston, MA 02108

(800) 882-1435 (617) 624-6060 (617) 624-5992 TTY

www.mass.gov/community-support-line

Catastrophic Illness in Children Relief

Financial assistance to families who are MA residents, for expenses incurred for the medical and related needs of children under age 22 which are not otherwise covered by insurance.

250 Washington Street, 5th Floor Boston, MA 02108

(800) 882-1435 (617) 624-5951 (617) 624-5992 TTY

www.mass.gov/cicrf

Massachusetts Technology Assistance Resource Team (MASSTART)

Provides nursing consultation with parents, schools, and health care providers to ensure health and safety of children with special health needs in schools.

Western Regional Office

Baystate Medical Center Children's Hospital

759 Chestnut Street

Springfield, MA 01199

(413) 794-9591

https://www.mass.gov/massachusettstechnology-assistance-resource-teammasstart