

## CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES

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### About California Children's Services (CCS)

California Children's Services (CCS) is a program within Sacramento County's Division of Public Health that provides diagnostic and treatment services, medical case management, and physical and occupational therapy services to children and young adults under 21 years of age with CCS-eligible medical conditions. To learn more, visit our website by clicking the button below.

CCS Website

### **CCS Patient Portal**



We are working on improving our client portal. Our goal is to make it user friendly and easy to

navigate. When you click on the link to register, that will lead you to add in your information. After you created your profile, the next step to complete the process you will need to call CCS office 916-875-9900 and ask to speak to your child assigned clerical staff to receive a token as a security precaution.

**CCS** Patient Portal

## **Medical Therapy Program (MTP)**

## We would love to hear from you!

Do you have any questions or concerns about your child's home program activities? Are you curious about when their next therapy appointment should be?

Want to share your child's accomplishments, or that adorable picture of them at the grocery store or the park with you?



Our therapists have work cell phones, and can send and receive texts, so feel free to reach out! If you need the cell phone number for your child's therapist(s), call the MTU and request it.

#### How are those braces fitting?

If you think your child is outgrowing their orthotics (looking too tight, more red marks when removing them, etc.), give us a call! We can help get an appointment scheduled with their orthotist.

#### Is your child's durable medical equipment (DME) fitting and working well?

If you have any questions or concerns about their wheelchair, bath chair, stander, gait trainer, or any other equipment, give us a call! We can help get an appointment scheduled with their DME vendor.

Orchard Medical Therapy Unit (MTU)
916-876-8882
Bowling Green MTU
916-876-1480
Starr King MTU
916-876-8877

**Learn More about MTP** 

### Get to know the CCS Team

#### **CCS Medical Case Management Nurse**

Your child's nurse can help coordinate and advocate for your child's medical care. Call CCS Sacramento County office 916.875.9900 and ask to speak to your nurse if you are having any problems getting appointments, medications or supplies.



#### **CCS Health Service Coordinator**

Your Health Service Coordinator determines financial and residential eligibility. They also provide guidance

on Medi-Cal issues. Call CCS Sacramento County Office at 916.875.9900 and ask to speak to your Health Service Coordinator if you are having any Medi-Cal issues or concerns.

#### **Medical Therapy Program**

Your Medical Therapy Program (MTP) staff provides occupational and physical therapy services to children and youth with certain long term physical disabilities that meet the State's eligibility criteria. If your child is part of the MTP, call and ask to speak to your therapist if you are having any therapy or equipment issues or concerns.

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## **Helpful Resources for Special Education**



Hear from two parents, one a former teacher, as they share their insights on IEP meetings. If you're nervous or wondering what to expect, you're not alone. In this video they share their tips for what you need to know so you can be prepared for your IEP meeting. These IEP meeting tips include ways to prepare before the meeting and questions to ask during the meeting.

Visit Understood.org Website

### Special Education Rights and Responsibilities (SERR)

The Federal and California special education laws give eligible students with disabilities the right to receive a free appropriate public education (FAPE) in the least restrictive environment (LRE). Visit the link below to learn more.







### **Social & Recreational Activities**

### For Teens & Young Adults

For Teens & Young Adults Access Leisure is a program of the City of Sacramento Department of Youth, Parks, & Community Enrichment. Access Leisure provides sports, residential camping and outdoor education as well as social and fitness programs for children, teens, and adults with disabilities.



Visit Access Leisure Website



Where acceptance emphasizes possibilities!

We Embrace offers virtual classes for individuals with **different** abilities. These classes are meant to:

- Introduce new activities and hobbies
- Develop social and communication skills
- Build confidence
- · Form meaningful relationships with other peers

Click here to view the full list of classes.

Visit WeEMBRACE Website

## Transition to Adult Services

<u>Disability Rights of California</u> - Helpful information to learn about Conservatorship.

<u>Alta Regional Family Handbook on Conservatorship</u> - If you child is part of Alta Regional this is a great guide to learn more about Conservatorship. *Click here to learn more.* 

**Establishing Conservatorship in California brochure** - Legal Aid Society of San Diego in learning how to establish Conservatorship to California.

Handbook for Conservator from Judicial Council of California.

Petition for Appointment of Probate Conservator, form GC-310. Click here to learn more.

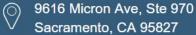
## **Helpful Links & Resources**

Sacramento Public Health
WarmLine Family Resource Center
Family Voices of California
Alta California Regional Center
Medi-Cal Booklet
State Medi-Cal
Local County Medi-Cal Offices
211 Sacramento
Folsom Cordova Community Partnership





# SACRAMENTO COUNTY CCS OFFICE







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