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Dunn County, Wisconsin

<p>Dunn County Human Services Children and Families Section 808 Main Street, PO Box 470 Menomonie, WI 54751 (715) 232-1116 www.co.dunn.wi.us</p>	<p>Contact the Children and Families Section Intake to inquire about eligibility for Intensive Autism Services (for children under the age of 8), Children’s Long Term Support (CLTS) Waivers, Family Support Program, respite, and access to State Medicaid. An assessment is completed to determine which services and programs a child may be eligible for.</p> <p>The Dunn County Birth To Three program serves children with special needs, delays in development or atypical development <u>from birth until their third birthdays</u>. Services may include service coordination, teacher visits, occupational, physical or speech therapy.</p>
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<p>Supplemental Security Income (SSI) 1-800-772-1213 www.ssa.gov</p>	<p>A federal program of monthly income and access to State Medicaid for a child with a disability. To complete the application process, you will need copies of medical reports and evaluations. The application process can take three to four months. Determination of eligibility is based on family income and assets.</p>
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<p>Wisconsin Medicaid – Katie Beckett (608) 266-3236 www.katiebeckett.com http://dhfs.wisconsin.gov/bdds/kbp/index.htm</p>	<p>The Katie Beckett Program is a special eligibility process that allows certain children who are residents of Wisconsin with long-term disabilities, living at home with their families, to obtain a Wisconsin Medicaid card. Children who are not eligible for other Medicaid programs because the income or assets of their parents are too high, may be eligible for Medicaid through the Katie Beckett Program. Children who qualify for the Intensive Autism Services or other Children’s Waivers may be eligible for MA through the waiver. Contact your county human services department to explore options for accessing State Medicaid.</p>
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Dunn County Schools

<p>Special Education Services (3 and older):</p> <p>Boyceville Community School District 1003 Tiffany St, Boyceville, WI 54725 (715) 643-4311 www.boyceville.k12.wi.us</p> <p>School District of Colfax Special Education/Pupil Services 601 University Avenue Colfax, WI 54730 (715) 962-3155 (ask for Special Education) www.colfax.k12.wi.us</p> <p>Elk Mound 405 University Street Elk Mound, WI 54739 (715) 879-5744 ext. 139 (School Psychologist) www.elkmound.k12.wi.us</p> <p>School District of the Menomonie Area Student Services 215 Pine Ave NE Menomonie, WI 54751 (715) 232-1642 ext. 11332 (Special Ed. Office) www.msd.k12.wi.us</p> <p>School District of Spring Valley S1450 CTH CC PO Box 249 Spring Valley, WI 54767 (715) 778-5554 ext. 4144 (Director of Special Ed. or School Psychologist) www.springvalley.k12.wi.us</p>	<p>By Federal Law, children with disabilities have a right to receive a Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE). A child with a disability must qualify under IDEA (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act). The following are disabilities under IDEA:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Autism • Cognitive Disability • Deaf-Blind • Emotional Behavioral Disability • Hearing Impairment • Multiple/Severe Disability • Orthopedic Impairments • Other Health Impairments • Significant Development Delay • Speech or Language Impairment • Specific Learning Disabilities • Traumatic Brain Injury • Visual Impairment <p>Contact your local school district to request that your child be evaluated to determine eligibility for special education services. This is determined based on the educational criteria established by the State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.</p> <p>For more information about the educational eligibility criteria for autism, visit: http://dpi.wi.gov/sped/autism.html</p> <p>For more information about Special Education procedures, visit: http://dpi.state.wi.us/sped/hmparents.html</p>
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