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Western Wisconsin Autism
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Next Step Fact Sheet

St. Croix County, Wisconsin

<p>St. Croix County Youth Community Support Services (YCSS) 1445 N. 4th Street New Richmond, WI 54017 (715) 246-8255 or (715) 246-TALK - Intake www.co.saint-croix.wi.us</p>	<p>Contact the intake social worker to inquire about eligibility for Intensive Autism Waiver Services (for children under the age of 8), Coordinated Family Services, case management, Family Support Services, respite, and access to Wisconsin Medicaid. Families whose needs cannot be met by community resources will be asked to participate in a family assessment to determine eligibility for appropriate State or County funded programs. Families determined to have immediate health and safety needs will be prioritized for access to county funded services. Alternative options and resources for meeting the child's needs will be explored prior to considering State or County funded services. All waiver and family support services are subject to a parental fee, based on household income.</p>
<p>St. Croix County Public Health Birth-To-Three / Early Intervention Program 1445 N. 4th Street New Richmond, WI 54017 (715) 246-8250 www.co.saint-croix.wi.us</p>	<p>This 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>
<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>
<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>

(see reverse side for listing of school districts)

St. Croix County Schools

Special Education Services (3 and older):

Baldwin-Woodville Area School District
 Greenfield Elementary
 1160 14th Avenue
 Baldwin, WI 54002
 (715) 684-3334 ext. 147 (Director of Pupil Services)
www.bwsd.k12.wi.us

Glenwood City School District - Pupil Services
 850 Maple Street
 Glenwood City, WI 54013
 (715) 265-4266 www.gcsd.k12.wi.us

Hudson School District - Student Services
 644 Brakke Drive
 Hudson, WI 54016
 (715) 377-3703 www.hudson.k12.wi.us

School District of New Richmond
 Director of Special Education
 701 East 11th Street
 New Richmond, WI 54017
 (715) 243-8423 www.newrichmond.k12.wi.us

Osceola School District
 331 Middle School Drive
 Osceola, WI 54020
 (715) 294-4180 (Director of Special Education)
www.osceola.k12.wi.us

School District of River Falls
 852 East Division Street
 River Falls WI 54022
 (715) 425-1800 ext. 1115 (Director of Special Ed.)
www.rfsd.k12.wi.us

St. Croix Central Elementary School
 P.O. Box 129
 Roberts, WI 54023
 (715) 749-3119 (Director of Special Education)
www.scc.k12.wi.us

Somerset School District
 645 Sunrise Drive, PO Box 100
 Somerset, WI 54025
 (715) 247-4400 (Director of Pupil Services)
www.somerset.k12.wi.us

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

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:

- 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

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.

For more information about the educational eligibility criteria for autism, visit:
<http://dpi.wi.gov/sped/autism.html>

For more information about Special Education procedures, visit:
<http://dpi.state.wi.us/sped/hmparents.html>