

Disability Services

Access to Independence

Eligibility: Columbia, Dane, Dodge, and Green counties in Wisconsin

Availability: Mon – Fri 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Details: A disability-led and run organization that provides resources, services and advocacy for all disabled people. Offers a wide range of services designed to give people with disabilities, their families, and the general public the tools and resources they need to improve independence, self-confidence, knowledge, skills, and access to community resources.

Address: 3810 Milwaukee Street, Madison

Phone: (608) 242-8484

www.accesstoind.org/

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Dane County

Eligibility: Dane County older adults, people with disabilities and their caregivers and families

Availability: Monday – Friday 7:45am-4:30pm

Details: The ADRC is a free one-stop shop for older adults, people with disabilities and their caregivers and families. Provides useful information, assistance, and education on community services and long-term care options while serving as the single entry point for publicly-funded long-term care services

Address: 865 N Sherman Ave, Madison

Phone: (608) 240-7400

www.daneadrc.org/

City of Madison — Disability Rights & Services Program

Eligibility: Madison residents

Availability: Monday–Friday 8:00 am–4:30 pm

Details: Provides information and referrals to support self-advocacy. Works to ensure people with disabilities have opportunities to engage with the City of Madison and coordinates the City's efforts to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Gathers community input on issues including transportation, recreation, accessibility, and housing.

Address: 210 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Room 100

Phone: (608) 266-6511

www.cityofmadison.com/civil-rights/programs/disability-rights-services-program

Dane County Health and Human Services

Children's Disability Services

Eligibility: Age and disability requirements vary by program

Details:

- **Birth to Three Program** provides early intervention services for infants and toddlers from birth to age 36 months who present a 25% delay in their development, or have been diagnosed with a long-term disability or medical condition that affects their development.
- **Children's Long-Term Support (CLTS)** Medicaid Waiver is available to Medicaid-eligible children and youth under the age of 22 in Dane County who have a diagnosis of an intellectual and/or developmental disability, physical disability, and/or mental health disability who are living at home or in the community. Funding can be used to support a range of services based on an assessment of the needs of the child and their family.
- **Children's Community Options Program** provides a coordinated approach to supporting families who have a child with a

disability under the age of 22. The intention is to better support, nurture, and facilitate self-determination, interdependence, and inclusion in all facets of community life for the child and family not covered by other Medicaid-funded programs.

- **Vocational Futures Planning** provides services to transition age youth and young adults ages 18 to 21 with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) to help reach work goals.

Contact:

If the infant or toddler resides in the Madison Metropolitan School District:
Phone: (608) 252-1320

If the infant or toddler resides outside the Madison Metropolitan School District:
Phone: (608) 273-3232

Dane County services for children with delays or disabilities including the Katie Beckett Program, the Children's Long Term Support Program (CLTS) and the Children's Community Options Program (CCOP) contact the Children's Intake staff at (608) 242-6226

Vocational Futures Planning: (608) 335-2949

Address: Department of Health Services, 201 E. Washington Ave, Madison
<https://dcdhs.com/Disability-and-Aging/Children's-Disability-Services>

Disability Rights Wisconsin

Eligibility: People with disabilities in Wisconsin

Availability: Monday – Thursday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Details: Disability Rights helps people across Wisconsin gain access to services and opportunity through its free advocacy and legal expertise.

Address: 1502 West Broadway, Suite 201, Madison

Phone: (800) 928-8778

<https://disabilityrightswi.org/>

Easterseals Wisconsin

Eligibility: People with disabilities in Wisconsin

Details: Provides a variety of programs for people with disabilities including vocational rehabilitation, respite services, camping and recreation, information and referral, and public education. Services are designed to help people with disabilities live independently, become self-sufficient, and enjoy life more fully.

Address: 1468 N. High Point Rd., Ste. 202, Middleton, WI 53562

Phone: (800) 422-2324

www.eastersealswisconsin.com/

Family Care of Dane County

Eligibility: Medicaid-eligible adults who need care because of a disability, a lasting (chronic) illness, and older adults.

Details: Family Care is a Medicaid long-term care program for older adults and adults with disabilities. The goal is to get members the services they need to live in a home setting when possible.

Address: Department of Health Services, 201 E. Washington Ave, Madison, WI 53703

Phone: (800) 362-3002

www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/familycare/index.htm

IRIS (Include, Respect, I Self-Direct)

Eligibility: Adult Wisconsin residents eligible for Medicaid. Other financial and non-financial requirements

Availability: Monday–Friday 8:00 am–4:30 pm

Details: Self-directed program that provides a budget for goods, support, and services that will help you reach your long-term care goals.

Address: 201 E. Washington Ave., Madison

Phone: (888) 515-4747

www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/iris/index.htm

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Wisconsin

Eligibility: People living with mental illness and their family members, friends, advocates, and health care providers.

Availability: Monday–Friday 10:00 am–10:00 pm ET

Details: Largest grassroots mental health organization providing advocacy, education, support, and public awareness. NAMI provides peer-led education and support groups.

Address: 414 Atlas Ave., Madison

Phone: (800) 950-NAMI (6264)

<https://namiwisconsin.org/>

Vocational Rehabilitation

Eligibility: Job-seekers with disabilities in Wisconsin

Details: Employment necessary to assist people with disabilities in preparing for, getting, or keeping a job that is true to their strengths, resources, priorities, concerns, abilities, capabilities, interests and informed choice.

Address: 201 E. Washington Ave., Madison

Phone: (800) 442-3477

<https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/dvr/>

Wisconsin Council of the Blind and Visually Impaired

Eligibility: People of Wisconsin who are blind or low vision

Availability: Monday by Appointment, Tuesday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Details: Teaching about the causes of vision loss, available medications and visual aids. One-on-one and group support for people who are newly diagnosed, including low vision evaluations, in-home visits and assistive technology. Advocating for Wisconsin residents who are blind or visually impaired on local, state and federal issues.

Address: 754 Williamson St. Madison, WI 53703

Phone: (800) 783-5213

<https://wcblind.org/>

