



CHAPTER 10 : D.C. COMMUNITY HEALTH PROGRAMS & CENTERS

This chapter contains contact information about D.C. Community Health Programs and Centers that provide healthcare services, consultation, and testing to patients in need. The Genetics Services Program provides clinical genetic services to pediatric and prenatal clients of the community health centers of the PBC and at DC General Hospital. Services provided include genetic counseling and education; family history taking; physical examinations; diagnostic procedures; laboratory screening and testing; evaluation and diagnosis; treatment and management; referrals; and follow-up services. In addition, information about transportation services, interpreters, governmental agencies, and other health services are provided.

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

Children with Special Health Care Needs Advisory Board

Jacqueline McMorris, MD, Chair
(202) 727-7449

Lead Screening Advisory Committee

Muriel Wolf, MD
(202) 535-2626

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Mary Tierney, MD, Chair
(202) 727-7449

COMMUNITY SERVICES AND HEALTH CLINICS

Assessment Center for Hearing Impaired Children and Youth

Kendall School, Gallaudet University
800 Florida Ave, NE
(202) 651-5340 (TTY/V)
(202) 651-5000

Center for Child Development/CNMC

111 Michigan Ave, NW Room 3800
(202) 884-5467

Clearinghouse on Disability Information Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services

330 C Street, SW, Room 3132
Switzer Building
(202) 205-8241

Clinica Del Pueblo

2831 15th Street, NW
(202) 462-4788

Community Health Care, Inc./ Upper Cardozo Health Center

3020 14th Street, NW
(202) 745-4313
(202) 745-4300

DC Family Voices

(800) 394-5694
www.familyvoices.org

Easter Seal Society

2800 13th Street, NW
(202) 232-2342
(202) 387-4434
www.eseals.org

Faces of Our Children

(866) FACES 11
www.facesofourchildren.org

Healthy Babies Project (Wards 5 & 6)

801 17th Street, NE
(202) 396-2809

Howard University Hospital Family Health Center

2339 Georgia Ave, NW
4th Floor
(202) 865-3250

Howard University Speech and Hearing Clinic

The John H. Johnson School of Communications
525 Bryant Street, NW
(202) 806-7690

HSC Pediatric Center

1731 Bunker Hill Road, NE
Pediatric Audiology and Hearing Clinic
(202) 832-4400
(800) 226-4444

Kiwanis Orthopedic Clinic

5255 Loughboro Road, NW
(202) 363-1148

Lions Club

Vision Screenings
(301) 577-7800



Mary's Center for Maternal and Child Care, Inc.

2333 Ontario Road, NW
 Washington, D.C. 20009
 Main Phone: (202) 483-8196
 Direct Phone: (202) 483-8319
 Fax: (202) 797-2628
info@maryscenter.org

National Dissemination Center for Children and Youth with Disabilities (NICHCY)

(800) 695-0285
 (202) 884-8200
www.nichcy.org

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) (NIH)

Collection and Storage of Umbilical Cord
 Blood for Sickle Cell Disease
 (301) 594-8381
patientrecruitment.nhlbi.nih.gov/sicklecell.aspx

National Rehabilitation Information Center (NARIC)

(800) 346-2742
www.naric.com

Parent and Child Center

1719 13th Street, NW
 (202) 462-3375

Pediatric AIDS/HIV Care

450 M Street, NW
 (202) 347-5366

PSI Services, Inc. Early Developmental Intervention Program

770 M Street, SE
 (202) 547-3870

Scottish Rite Center for Childhood Language Disorders (CNMC Affiliate)

1630 Columbia Road, NW
 (202) 939-4703

Sibley Hospital Washington Speech and Hearing

5255 Loughboro Road, NW
 (202) 537-4010

Sickle Cell Association of the National Capital Area, Inc. (SCANCA, Inc.)

(202) 635-0240
www.scanca.org/index.html
scanca@scanca.org

Washington Free Clinic

1525 Newton Street NW
 Washington, DC 20010
 Phone: (202) 667-1106
 (Provides primary care and prenatal and pediatric care. Services are offered in both Spanish & English and translators are available for other languages as needed)

CONFIRMING LABORATORIES**Children's National Medical Center**

Clinical Metabolic Laboratory
 111 Michigan Avenue
 Washington, DC 20010
 (202) 884-3996
 Dr. Steven Kahler

Pediatric Screening

110 Roessler Road
 Pittsburgh, PA 15220
 (866) 463-6436

ENDOCRINOLOGY**Children's National Medical Center**

Department of Endocrinology
 111 Michigan Avenue
 Washington, DC 20010
 (202) 884-2121

GENETIC CONSULTS/METABOLIC AND GENERAL GENETICS/PRENATAL GENETICS

Children's National Medical Center

Genetics, Metabolism and the Center for Prenatal Evaluation
111 Michigan Avenue
Washington, DC 20010
(202) 884-2817

George Washington University Medical Center–The Wilson Genetics Center

2025 Eye Street, NW
Washington, DC 20052
(202) 741-3096

Howard University Hospital

Department of Pediatrics and Child Health
Howard University Hospital
2041 Georgia Ave, NW, Room 6B02
Washington, DC 20060
(202) 865-1592
(202) 865-1920

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

DC Commission on Mental Health Services

Parent and Infant Development Program
51 N Street, NE
Suite 700C
(202) 724-5383

DC Department of Human Services

Income Maintenance Administration
(202) 724-5506

Medical Assistance Programs/Public Assistance Service Centers

- Anacostia Services Center, 2100 MLK, Jr. Ave, SE, (202) 645-4614
- Congress Heights Services Center, 4001 South Capital Street, SE, (202) 645-4525
- Eckington Services Center, 51 N Street, NE, (202) 724-5555
- Fort Davis Services Center, 3851 Alabama Ave, SE, (202) 645-4500
- Kennedy Services Center, 508 Kennedy Street, NW, (202) 576-7268
- Northwest Services Center, 1207 Taylor Street, NW, (202) 724-7900

DC Department of Parks and Recreation

Therapeutic Recreation Services Branch
3030 G Street, SE
(202) 645-3995

DC Office of Early Childhood Development

1717 14th Street, NW, Suite 700
(202) 727-1839

Maternal and Family Health Administration

825 North Capitol Street, NE, 3rd Floor
(202) 671-5000

• *Children with Special Health Care Needs Bureau*

The purpose of the Children with Special Health Care Needs Bureau is to improve the health outcomes for this population group by facilitating access to coordinated primary and specialty health care and other services in partnership with their families and community organizations. (Newborn Metabolic Screening Program, Newborn Hearing Screening Program, Genetic Services Program, Sickle Cell Disease Program, Medical Home for CSHCN, Transitional Services for CSHCN, Epilepsy Program, Vision Screening Program, Childhood Lead Poisonings Prevention Program)

• *Perinatal and Infant Care Bureau*

The purpose of the Perinatal and Infant Health Bureau is to improve perinatal outcomes for high-risk pregnant and parenting women, and improve the health and development of their infants into early childhood. The current overarching goal is to reduce infant mortality and perinatal health disparities in the District of Columbia. (Healthy Start Program)



- *Nutrition and Physical Fitness Bureau*

The purpose of the Nutrition and Physical Fitness Bureau is to provide food, health and nutrition assessments and interventions, education and referral services to District families, infants, children, and seniors to affect dietary habits, foster physical activity, decrease overweight and obesity rates and thus improve health outcomes among the population.

- *Child, Adolescent and School Health Bureau*

The purpose of the Child, Adolescent and School Health Bureau is to improve the health and well-being of all District school-age children and adolescents. Primarily the group will seek to enhance access to preventive, dental, primary, and specialty care services for all school-age children, and contribute to the development of a coordinated, culturally competent, family-centered health care delivery system for this population.

- The **Healthline** provides District of Columbia residents with information, outreach, counseling, referrals, and transportation to prenatal and well-baby appointments. The toll-free number is (800) MOM-BABY.

- The **(800) MOM-BABY** hot line is physically located at 33 N Street, NE, Second Floor, Washington, DC 20002. This location also houses the **Parent Resource Center**, with free pregnancy testing, food, clothing, literature, videotapes, and referrals for other public health services.

Medical Assistance Administration (MAA)

(DC Medicaid) (202) 442-5988

General Information: (202) 698-2043,

(202) 724-7316

DC Medicaid Eligibility: (202) 724-5506

DC Medicaid (for recipients): (202) 724-5506

Mental Retardation & Developmental Disabilities Administration (MRDDA)

429 O Street, NW

(202) 673-7657

Women, Infants and Children Supplemental Food Program (WIC) Headquarters

2100 MLK, Jr. Ave, SE, Suite 409

(202) 645-5662

(800) 345-1942

HOSPITALS

Children's National Medical Center

111 Michigan Ave, NW

(202) 884-5000

www.cnmc.org

George Washington University Hospital

901 23rd Street, NW

(202) 715-4000

www.gwhospital.com

Georgetown University Hospital

3800 Reservoir Road, NW

(202) 687-2000

www.georgetownuniversityhospital.edu

Greater Southeast Community Hospital

1310 Southern Avenue, SE

(202) 574-6000

www.greatersoutheast.org

Hadley Memorial Hospital

4601 MLK, Jr. Ave, SW

(202) 574-5700

www.doctorscommunity.com/welcome.htm

HSC Pediatric Center

1731 Bunker Hill Road, NE

(202) 832-4400

www.hfscsite.org

Howard University Hospital

2041 Georgia Ave, NW

(202) 865-6100

www.hu hosp.org

National Rehabilitation Hospital

102 Irving Street, NW

(202) 877-1000

www.nrhrehab.org

Providence Hospital

1150 Varnum Street, NE
 (202) 269-7000
www.provhosp.org

Sibley Memorial Hospital

5255 Loughboro Road, NW
 (202) 537-4000
www.sibley.org

Washington Hospital Center

110 Irving Street, NW
 (202) 877-7000
www.whcenter.org

HOTLINES**DC Government Citywide Call Center**

(202) 727-100

HSC Health Care System

(800) DCYOUTH

IMMUNIZATION WALK-IN CLINICS

(For Uninsured and Underinsured District of Columbia Residents You Must Bring Proof of Residency; Driver's License, Non-Driver ID, Current Utility Bill, Lease; No appointment necessary—please Bring Immunization Records)

Congress Heights Community Health Center

3720 Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue, SE
 3rd Floor
 (Near Martin Luther King Jr Ave. & S. Capitol St.)
 Wednesdays 5pm
 (Limited Numbers Seen)

District of Columbia Developing Families Center

801 17th Street, NE, Washington, DC
 (Between Benning Rd and Maryland Ave. on 17th Street near Hechinger Mall)
 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month, 4:30 pm
 (Limited Numbers Seen)

DOH/Immunization Program

1131 Spring Road, NW,
 Washington, DC
 (Corner of 13th & Spring Road)
 Monday & Tuesday 10 am
 (Limited Numbers Seen)

Israel Baptist Church

1251 Saratoga Avenue, NE, Washington, DC
 (off 12th Street and Rhode Island Ave., near Brentwood Road)
 1st Wednesday of each month 4:30 pm
 3rd Saturday of each month 12 pm
 (Limited Numbers Seen)

Reeves Municipal Center

2000 14th Street, NW, Washington, DC
 (Corner of 14th & U Streets)
 Thursdays 4:30 pm
 (Limited Numbers Seen)

INTERPRETERS**Chinatown Service Center**

900 Mass Ave, NW
 (202) 898-0061

Clinica Del Pueblo

2831 15th Street, NW
 (202) 462-4788

Indochinese Community Center (ICC)

1628 16th Street, NW
 (202) 462-4330

Korean Community Service Center of Greater Washington (KCSC)

7720 Alaska Ave, NW
 (202) 882-8270

Translators and Interpreters Guild

2007 North 15th Street, Suite 4
 (703) 522-0881
www.ttig.org



LATINO CLINIC

La Clínica del Pueblo

2831 15th Street, NW
 Washington, DC 20009-4607
 Phone: (202) 462-4788
 (half block from Columbia Heights Metro
 Station)

PEDIATRIC HEMATOLOGY

Children's National Medical Center

Hematology Department
 111 Michigan Avenue
 Washington, DC 20010
 (202) 884-2140

Georgetown University Hospital

Pediatric Hematology/Oncology
 3800 Reservoir Road, NW
 Washington, DC 20007

Howard University Hospital (DC GAPS)

(Dr. Sohail Rana)
 Department of Pediatrics and Child Health
 2041 Georgia Ave, NW, Room 6B02
 Washington, DC 20060
 (202) 865-4583
 (202) 865-4346 (fax)

TRANSPORTATION

Metro/Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

Reduced Fares Disability ID Card
 600 5th Street, NW
 (202) 962-1245
 (202) 962-2568

MetroAccess

(301) 562-5361
 (301) 588-7535

