

MANHATTAN FAMILY SUPPORT COMMITTEE

ATTENDANCE

DATE: 11/10/15

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MANHATTAN FAMILY SUPPORT COMMITTEE AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENTS
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

AGENCY NAME:	General Human Outreach
ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY:	Pat Lin Chang
ANNOUNCEMENT:	<p>* Family Support Case Management - Medicaid is not required.</p> <p>* Family Reimbursement for goods & services.</p> <p>Services are available in Korean & Chinese.</p>
CONTACT NAME:	Pat Lin Chang
CONTACT PHONE:	(718) 307-6563

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AGENCY NAME:	YAI
ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY:	CAROLINE DUNN
ANNOUNCEMENT:	openings in PROGRAMS in manhattan: in home behavior management PARENT Training groups for Behavior management Crisis Intervention PARENT Training group w/ focus on sexuality + relationships Employment Programs
CONTACT NAME:	LINK
CONTACT PHONE:	212 273 6182

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AGENCY NAME:	MCP of NYC
ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY:	URSULA KONALCZYK
ANNOUNCEMENT:	MCP of NYC host two FAMILY FORUMS Nov 13 and Nov 19. During this forums MCP of NYC CEO will present info. on what the new budget could mean and how families need to advocate to ensure the preservation of the services.
CONTACT NAME:	FAMILY CONNECT TEAM
CONTACT PHONE:	718 436 7474 ext 704 or e-mail FAMILYCONNECT@mcpsny.org

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AGENCY NAME:	Lifespire
ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY:	Jay Kleinman
ANNOUNCEMENT:	In-home behavior management. Call or email Jay Kleinman jkleinman@lifespire.org
CONTACT NAME:	Jay Kleinman
CONTACT PHONE:	118.454.6940

AGENCY NAME:	Catholic Guardian Services
ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY:	Mark Ampah
ANNOUNCEMENT:	we have opening for Weekend Respite Program.
CONTACT NAME:	Bernadette Small
CONTACT PHONE:	(212) 567-2847



Family Forum

Important Information About Services

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Advocating **NOW** is very important. This matter impacts us all.

Friday, November 13th

UCP of NYC
175 Lawrence Ave.
Brooklyn, NY 11230
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 19th

EmblemHealth
55 Water Street
New York, NY 10040
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Service Provider Staff is Welcomed
and Pre-Registration is Required**

To RSVP, contact: familyconnect@ucpnyc.org
or call **718-436-7979 ext 704**

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Winter 2016

Group training for parents/
caregivers of individuals with
developmental disabilities.

Project GROW teaches specific behavioral techniques to improve
communication and promote positive family interactions.
Peer support is also provided.

Registration and OPWDD eligibility required.
For more information call [212.273.6259](tel:212.273.6259)

MANHATTAN

- YAI 460 W 34th St, New York

Thursday December 3 10:00am - 12:30pm

Understanding "non-verbal" communication

Thursday December 10 10:00am - 12:30pm

Learning the ABC's of Behavior Management

Thursday December 17 10:00am - 12:30pm

Creating Consequences that Work

BRONX

- North Central Bronx Hospital

Wednesday November 4 10:00am - 12:30pm

Advocating for your child



United Cerebral Palsy of New York City

Family Reimbursement

UCP of NYC Family Reimbursement program provides funds to family of individuals with disabilities that reside in Manhattan for Durable Medical Equipment.

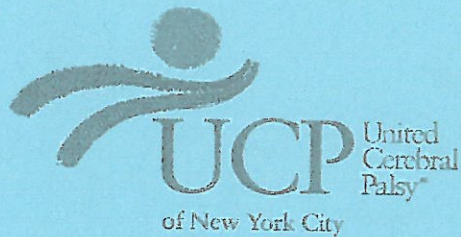
These funds cover the cost of items that Medicaid or your medical insurance does not cover, such as:

- Wheelchair
- Wheelchair Parts and Accessories
- Lap Trays
- Walkers
- Shower Chair
- and more....



. Medical documentation supporting a need for the equipment must be included. You must also show proof that Medicaid or your medical insurance does not cover the item.

For more information please contact
Danielle Raymond at 718-859-5420 ext 244



Creating opportunities for people with disabilities

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Services and Supports 2015

Healthcare Services

Medical Services in Article 28 clinics located in Brooklyn and Bronx, serving residents of the five boroughs of New York City. Clinics are wheelchair accessible. Services include Family Medicine, Women's Health, Dental, Audiology Services, Psychiatry, Podiatry, Optometry and Neurology.

Residential Services

Community Living Options are located in Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan and Staten Island.

- Information about accessing residential opportunities
- Must be OPWDD eligible

Bronx Overnight Respite

Serves all five boroughs.

- Transportation provided in Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens and Staten Island
- Serves all ages
- Site is fully accessible
- Must be waiver eligible

In-Home Respite

Serving Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Staten Island

- Must be waiver eligible and live with a family member.

Community Habilitation

An individualized, goal-orientated program serving Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Staten Island.

- Must be waiver enrolled
- Must be living independently or with a family member
- Should be able and willing to follow and participate in their Community Habilitation Plan.

Doorways to Independence

Housing Assistance Services/Home Modifications

Available in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, Staten Island and Queens

- Must be Family Support eligible
- Provides housing case management services, advocacy and referrals
- NYCHA application status checks and assistance processing requests for transfers
- Housing court advocacy and Legal Aid Society referrals
- Home assessments - a developed report on possible modifications and equipment to make the home more accessible.

Home Modifications

- Funds available for eligible individuals to modify their homes for necessary accessibility e.g. Ramps, Stairlifts.

Family Reimbursement

Funds available in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Staten Island

\$500.00 limit for Bronx, Brooklyn and Manhattan
Staten Island limit is \$300.00

Special Brooklyn Camp Funds available.

Manhattan Durable Medical Equipment Funds available.

Funding available to assist families in paying for an item Medicaid or other funds will not cover.

Families can apply every 12 months.

Family Connect

UCP of NYC Family Connect Centers offer free weekly workshops, support services, and educational resources for New York City parents and families of children with disabilities. Through the UCP of NYC Family Connect Centers, families are encouraged to learn, explore resources, and participate in improving outcomes for children with disabilities.

PROJECT CONNECT

Information and referral for supports and services offered in Brooklyn, Bronx, Manhattan, Queens and Staten Island.

1-877-827-2666 projectconnect@ucpnyc.org

www.ucpnyc.org



United Cerebral Palsy of New York City Services and Supports 2015

Children/Education Services

Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan and Staten Island

- On-site therapeutic services
- Preschool services
- Integrated programming
- Universal Pre-K (Manhattan Pre-School Service)
- School-Age Program (Brooklyn Only)
- Early Childhood Direction Center (Brooklyn Only)

After-School Program

Brooklyn and Manhattan

- Manhattan PS 138@30
- Brooklyn PS 396
- Transportation is provided by DOE-OPT

Day Habilitation

Opportunities in Day Programs available in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan and Staten Island.

- Persons served must be age 18 or older to apply

All sites are wheelchair accessible and transportation is available.

Supported Employment

Employment services for adults with DD. Available for Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Staten Island residents.

Technology Resource Centers/Techworks to Go Van

As the NYC centers of the NYS Assistive Technology Act program, TechWorks is a free, public service to help minimize and overcome barriers due to disabilities. From simple utensil grasps to complex communication devices, a myriad of options can be offered to create more independence. Contact us for our device demonstrations, short term loans, trainings and information and referral service.

SHARE Lending Library

Borrow books, adaptive toys and educational materials. Located in Staten Island, Brooklyn, Manhattan and the Bronx

ACTION DAY CAMP

Three week summer day camp experience for young people who reside in Brooklyn, ages 13-21, live with a family member.

Must be in OPWDD waiver

SPIRIT

Saturday Recreation Programs offered in Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Staten Island.

- Individuals between the ages of 13-29, DD eligible and live with a family member who resides in Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn and Staten Island
- Transportation is provided

EXPLORE Club Disco

Once a month, Friday nights events held in Manhattan, Brooklyn and Staten Island.

- 18 yrs or older, DD eligible and live with a family member who resides in Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn
- Wheelchair accessible
- Transportation is not provided
- Dinner and refreshments served

Staten Island Club Disco

- Must be HCBS waiver and live with a family member who resides in Staten Island

Medicaid Service Coordination (MSC)

MSC provides ongoing support and coordination of services for individuals and their families. Services available for Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn and Staten Island.

- Must have Medicaid to be eligible

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