

The MHS Children with Special Needs Team was developed to improve our member's and their family's knowledge of various developmental disorders and to assist them in establishing a medical home.

MHS staff can provide education, information and tools to the member and their family to assist in getting the help they need to live better in the community.

MHS staff can also help you ...

- Reduce complications relating to multiple diseases
- Increase ability to perform activities of daily living
- Reduce/eliminate barriers to care, education, social activities, fragmentation of services



## Children with Special Needs Team

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This brochure is a brief overview of the Children with Special Needs Team. Please refer to your member handbook or visit us online at [mhsindiana.com](http://mhsindiana.com) for more information about your benefits.



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care management solution  
to support our members

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# Children with Special Needs Team

## Our Children With Special Needs Team Can Provide:

- Help the family find support groups and other assistance based on need
- Calls to the family for education and support
- Partner with medical providers to assist the family and member
- Help the family find a specialist near their home
- Help the family obtain necessary medical equipment
- Work with the school to help the member access education
- Remind the family of all the routine health checks and special needs of the member
- Help the family find behavioral health assistance as needed

## Who Does the Children with Special Needs Team Help?

MHS identifies members and provides care management to families with children affiliated with various medical disorders, including:

- Autism
- Intellectual disability
- Muscular dystrophy
- Cerebral palsy
- Immune deficiencies
- Other chronic illnesses

## How Do I Get an MHS Care Manager for my Special Needs Child?

Family or guardians may call our toll-free telephone number at 1-877-647-4848 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET, and ask for a member of the Children with Special Needs Team, or contact us at [www.mhsindiana.com/contact-us.html](http://www.mhsindiana.com/contact-us.html).

