ParentsCAN



Every child's journey is different.
ParentsCAN's mission is to partner
with and guide parents when challenges
arise in their child's education, health,
behavior or development, so children
can reach their full potential.



Raising a Child is Never Easy. We Can Help!



Parent-to-Parent Support

Connect one-to-one with someone who has been there – a "veteran" parent of a child with the same or similar disability.



One-on-One Consultation

Private meetings with an expert Parent Advocate will help you problem solve and access the services your child needs more quickly. Learn helpful tips for communicating with professionals.



Support Groups

The best advice for parents of children with disabilities often comes from other parents. Join a confidential peer support group, and connect with a community where you will immediately feel understood and accepted.



Information and Referrals

Tailored information based on families' unique questions. Assistance with locating and accessing services to understand and meet your child's needs.



Classes and Workshops

Find classes on a variety of topics to help you understand your child's needs and advocate for them. Learn how to motivate your child positively and deal with concerns in a calm and consistent manner.

Our services are tailored based on the child's age and what they need help with – whether it's school, medical concerns, mental health or behavioral challenges.

Your journey starts here.

By contacting ParentsCAN, you're taking the first step toward finding support for your family. Not every challenge turns out to be a special need. Through our free developmental screenings and parenting classes, many families served find that their child's challenge can be quickly addressed.

For those children whose challenge meets the definition of a special need, ParentsCAN is the only Family Resource Center in Napa County providing services and support free of charge to families of children of all ages (birth to 26) and all disabilities (physical, cognitive, behavioral and

Every child deserves to be loved as they are.



We can help!

- Do you have questions about whether your little one's development is on track?
- Is your child experiencing problems in school?
- Do you have questions about health insurance or healthcare services for your child?
- Do you want to learn how to motivate your child positively and deal with misbehavior calmly and consistently?
- Do you have a child with a diagnosis who needs services?
- Do you want your teen to be prepared for what comes after high school?



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All services are available in English and Spanish.

I heard that ParentsCAN does
free screenings for children from ages
2 months to 5 years old, so I thought I
would see what that was about. I had read
that all children should be screened 3 times
before they turned 5, so I gave them a call.
My daughter loved playing the "games"
and I had fun as well. Everything is just
fine, and she is right on track.

Our son graduated high school last year and is doing great! When he was in elementary school, we noticed there was a big difference between what he remembered when he heard something, and what he remembered when he read something. It didn't seem like a big deal, but we thought he should be tested. The principal at his school was not cooperating with our request. ParentsCAN informed us of our rights, and made sure we had the tools we needed to see us through the IEP process. They empowered us to succeed!

The person who answered my call at ParentsCAN responded with great kindness and made me feel that I was not alone. The Advocates at ParentsCAN have experienced some of the same challenges our family was going through. But, even with their own busy lives, they are willing to extend a hand with love, humanity, understanding, patience, guidance, friendship, and acceptance.