

Family Support Services Program



**Board of Developmental
Disabilities Services**

Helping Families

Service Requirements

When requesting items or services through the Family Support Services Program (FSSP), a **request for vouchers/funding request form** and/or a **verification of need form** must be submitted with required documentation. The item or service must be approved before a purchase is made or a service is delivered.

Services or purchases taking place prior to approval by the FSSP will not be paid for or reimbursed.

Any items purchased or services received prior to enrollment in the Family Support Services Program will not be reimbursed.

The Family Support Services Program is administered through the Southwestern Ohio Council of Governments (SWOCOG), which is located at 801 Drake Road, Lebanon, 45036.

Who Are Caring for Loved

What services are funded by the Family

RESPITE CARE

In-Home: Child care and personal home-maker care provided in the family's home.

Out of Home: Daycare and latchkey services, camperships, and child care provided out of the home.



ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT

Wheelchairs, walkers, standers, adaptive items, communication devices or toys requiring switch interface, etc.

COUNSELING, TRAINING AND EDUCATION

Workshops, seminars, sign language classes.

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HOME MODIFICATIONS

Ramps, stair lifts, bath rails, grab bars and widening of doorways, etc.

SPECIAL DIETS

Must be prescribed by a physician and not typical formula (ages 1 and up).

THERAPY

Applied Behavior Analysis, Hippo, Music, Occupational, Physical and Speech Therapy.

DIAPERS

Pull-Ups, Depends, Poise, training pants, bed pads, cloth diapers (ages 4 and up).



What is the Family Support Services program?

The Family Support Services Program (FSSP) is a locally-funded service available through the Montgomery County Board of Disabilities Services. This program provides supports and services to families caring for a family member with developmental disabilities that is living at home with a parent, guardian, and/or primary caregiver.

How do I apply?

Eligibility is determined by the Board's Intake and Eligibility Division.

Birth to 5 years	937-258-1446 Fax 937-258-2706
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Ages 6 and up	937-457-2888 Fax 937-457-2827
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Individuals living semi-independently or independently in a licensed or certified residential facility, foster home or group home are **not** eligible to receive funding from the Family Support Services Program.

Who do I call with questions about this program?

For more information about how to access services through the Montgomery County Board of Developmental Disabilities Services' Family Support Services program, please contact:

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