

DAVIDSON COUNTY RESOURCES

Many Forsyth County Programs are available to Davidson County Families – Please refer to the Forsyth County information and call the agency if you need to know if they serve your county.

A BRIDGE to LEARNING, Inc.

Provides intensive behavioral intervention services to children with autism and related disorders across North Carolina. Also provides CAP MR/DD services to children with autism. PO Box 2081 Lexington, NC 27293 336-601-1810

ablearning@aol.com www.ablearning.com

DAVIDSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Provides public health clinics, nutrition programs health education, and public health nursing, including child service coordination. A child service coordinator can help you identify services that will benefit your child and assist in making referrals and appointments for needed services. 242-2300 www.co.davidson.nc.us

DAVIDSON COUNTY SCHOOLS 242-5516 www.davidson.k12.nc.us

LEXINGTON CITY SCHOOLS 688-1643

THOMASVILLE CITY SCHOOLS 474-4159 www.tcs.k12.nc.us

Provides education for children with special needs, developmental delays, and mental retardation from age 3 years to 21 years.

DAVIDSON COUNTY CHAPTER OF THE AUTISM SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Provides support and promotes opportunities which enhance the lives of individuals within the Autism spectrum and their families. Contact Aimee Tennant at 956-5834.

DAVIDSON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

Offers Medicaid for medical assistance to families who meet eligibility requirements. 242-2500

DAVIDSON COUNTY PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

Provides welcoming environment for parents and self-advocates to learn, share, support, and advocate. 746-4456.

EASTER SEALS UCP NC

Provides CAP, MR/DD Services including respite, supportive living, personal care, CBS, and Medicaid PCS for Forsyth, Davie, and Davidson Counties. Community Based Rehabilitative Services are also available for birth to 3 years of age. 20905812 or

www.nc.eastersealsucp.com

GOVERNOR MOREHEAD PRESCHOOL

Serve birth to five year olds who are blind or visually impaired (vision 20/70 or less in the better eye with correction). 334-3748.

PARENTS TOGETHER/FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK

Support services for families that have special needs – birth to 21 years. Hospital contact program, parent-to-parent matching, sibling support groups, resource and referral, lending library. 924-5301.

PARENTS AS TEACHERS PROGRAM

An early learning program for parents with children birth to age 5 years. Sponsored by Smart Start & Davidson County, Lexington City, & Thomasville City Schools. 472-4666.

PIEDMONT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Accepts CAP-MR/DD referrals. Call 1-800-939-5911 for more information or application.

PIEDMONT DOWN SYNDROME SUPPORT NETWORK

Parent support group that provides information and resources. Hosts an annual Buddy Walk and social gatherings for families of children with Down syndrome. For more information or to join call 714-9120 or go to our web site at www.pdssn.com

SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF DAVIDSON COUNTY

Offers year-round sports training and athletic competition for mentally challenged youth and adults. Call 242-2285.

STONER THOMAS SCHOOL

School for children ages 5 to 21 years with significant developmental and/or behavioral needs. Serves all three Davidson school systems. Call 248-5421.

THE ARC

Advocates for improving opportunities for people with mental retardation and support for their families. Call 248-2842

THE WORKSHOP OF DAVIDSON

Provides vocational training designed to give physically and mentally handicapped clients skills necessary for employment. Call 249-1220.

This list is not inclusive but represents resources and organizations recommended by local families or professionals. If you want to recommend other resources for this list, please send them to info@pdssn.com