

# NEW MEXICO

## *UMDF Support Groups*

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### **Official State Web Site**

Web: [www.state.nm.us/](http://www.state.nm.us/)

### **State Department of Education: Special Education**

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### **State Coordinator for NCLB (No Child Left Behind)**

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**Programs for Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities: Ages Birth through 2**

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Web: [www.health.state.nm.us/ddsd/fit](http://www.health.state.nm.us/ddsd/fit)

Phyllis C. Shingle, Education Specialist  
Information Center for New Mexicans with Disabilities BabyNet  
(for information about medical and support services for pre-natal, infants, toddlers, and individuals with disabilities)  
2300 Menaul, N.E.  
Albuquerque, NM 87107  
(505) 272-8549; (800) 552-8195 (in NM)  
E-mail: [infonet@unm.edu](mailto:infonet@unm.edu)  
E-mail: [pshingle@salud.unm.edu](mailto:pshingle@salud.unm.edu)  
Web: <http://cdd.unm.edu/linc/babynet/index.htm>

**Programs for Children with Disabilities: Ages 3 through 5**

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**State Vocational Rehabilitation Agency**

Gary Beene, Assistant Secretary  
Division of Vocational Rehabilitation  
435 St. Michaels Drive, Building D  
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(505) 954-8500; (505) 954-8511 (V/TTY)  
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E-mail: [gary.beene@state.nm.us](mailto:gary.beene@state.nm.us)  
Web: [www.dvrgetsjobs.com/](http://www.dvrgetsjobs.com/)

**Coordinator for Transition Services**

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Special Education Bureau  
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Web: [www.ped.state.nm.us/seo/index.htm](http://www.ped.state.nm.us/seo/index.htm)

**Office of State Coordinator of Vocational Education for Students with Disabilities**

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Career-Technical and Workforce Education Bureau

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**State Mental Health Agency**

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**State Mental Health Representative for Children and Youth**

Jack Callaghan, Director

New Mexico Children, Youth and Families Department

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**Programs for People with Developmental Disabilities**

Mikki Rogers, Acting Director

Developmental Disabilities Supports Division

New Mexico Department of Health

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**Councils on Developmental Disabilities**

Patrick Putnam, Director

New Mexico Developmental Disabilities Planning Council

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Santa Fe, NM 87505-4144  
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Web: <http://www.ddpc.state.nm.us/Index/Index.aspx>

Charlotte John, Executive Director  
Native American Disability Law Center, Inc.  
3535 E. 30th Street, Suite 201  
Farmington, NM 87402  
(505) 566-5880; (800) 862-7271 (intake and client only)  
E-mail: [cjohn@napap.org](mailto:cjohn@napap.org)

**Client Assistance Program**

Bernadine Chavez, CAP Coordinator  
Contact Protection and Advocacy Agency listed above.

Programs for Children with Special Health Care Needs  
Emelda Martinez, Bureau Chief  
Family Health Bureau  
Public Health Division  
New Mexico Department of Health  
2040 S. Pacheco, Room 103  
Santa Fe, NM 87505  
(505) 476-8901  
Web: [www.state.nm.us](http://www.state.nm.us)

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Web: [www.health.state.nm.us](http://www.health.state.nm.us)

Programs for Children and Youth who are Blind or Visually Impaired  
Greg Trapp, Executive Director  
New Mexico Commission for the Blind  
2200 Yale Boulevard, S.E.  
Albuquerque, NM 87106  
(505) 841-8844; (888) 513-7968 (in NM)  
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Web: [www.state.nm.us/cftb](http://www.state.nm.us/cftb)

Programs for Children, Youth and Adults who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing  
(serving children ages birth - 6)

Joanne Corwin, Coordinator

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(serving children ages 6-21)

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Educational Support Services

Outreach Department

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Web: [www.nmsd.k12.nm.us](http://www.nmsd.k12.nm.us)

(serving adults)

Thomas Dillon, Executive Director

State of New Mexico, Commission for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Persons

P.O. Box 5138

Santa Fe, NM 87502-5138

(505) 827-7269 (V/TTY); (800) 489-8536 (V/TTY in NM)

Web: [www.cdhh.state.nm.us](http://www.cdhh.state.nm.us)

Telecommunications Relay Services for Individuals who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, or  
with Speech Impairments

(800) 659-1779 (V)

(800) 659-8331 (TTY); 711 (TTY)

(888) 659-3952 (Speech to Speech)

**University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities**

Dr. Catherine McClain, Director

Center for Development and Disability (CDD)

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Albuquerque, NM 87107

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**Technology-Related Assistance**

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435 St. Michael's Drive, Building D  
Santa Fe, NM 87505  
(505) 954-8539; (800) 866-2253 (V)  
To place a Relay call dial: (800) 659-8331  
(800) 659-1779 (V)  
Relay New Mexico Customer Service: (800) 889-8353  
E-mail: [andy.winnegar@state.nm.us](mailto:andy.winnegar@state.nm.us)  
Web: [www.nmtap.com](http://www.nmtap.com)

### **Children with Special Health Care Needs**

(national office)  
Family Voices, Inc.  
2340 Alamo SE, Suite 102  
Albuquerque, NM 87106  
(505) 872-4774; (888) 835-5669  
Email: [kidshealth@familyvoices.org](mailto:kidshealth@familyvoices.org)

Family Voices of New Mexico  
David Murchio, Coordinator  
(505) 247-0192  
E-mail: [dmurchio@parentsreachingout.org](mailto:dmurchio@parentsreachingout.org)

Patricia Holmes, Coordinator  
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(505) 553-5704  
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Web: [www.familyvoices.org/states.php?state=NM](http://www.familyvoices.org/states.php?state=NM)

### **Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities**

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### **Mental Health**

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Albuquerque, NM 87190-3086

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Web: <http://nm.nami.org>

### **Speech and Hearing**

Toni Trujillo, President  
New Mexico Speech-Language-Hearing Association  
P.O. Box 90846  
Albuquerque, NM 87199  
(505) 899-6674; (800) 292-8465  
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Web: [www.nmsha.net](http://www.nmsha.net)

### **Other Disability Organizations**

Easter Seals Santa Maria El Mirador  
2041 S. Pacheco Street, Suite 100  
Santa Fe, NM 87505  
(505) 424-7700  
Web: [www.smem.easterseals.com](http://www.smem.easterseals.com)

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Information Center for New Mexicans with Disabilities and BabyNet  
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2300 Menaul, N.E.  
Albuquerque, NM 87107  
(505) 272-8549; (800) 552-8195 (in NM)  
E-mail: [infonet@unm.edu](mailto:infonet@unm.edu)  
E-mail: [pshingle@salud.unm.edu](mailto:pshingle@salud.unm.edu)  
Web: <http://cdd.unm.edu/linc/babynet/index.htm>

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