



We wish our families and professional partners well and hope that you find these links helpful as we all navigate life during the COVID 19 (Novel Corona Virus 19) pandemic. Please remember that you are not alone and that Parent to Parent of NYS offices are open through home-based operations. Please contact us and we will return your call or email as soon as we can.

COVID -19 Resources for Families

Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID 19) Information (in English, Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese, and Korean)
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID 19) Frequently Asked Questions (in English, Spanish, and Chinese)
http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/faq.html?CDC_AA_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fcoronavirus%2F2019-ncov%2Fprepare%2Fchildren-faq.html

Family Voices Coronavirus Information and Resources <https://familyvoices.org/coronavirus/>

COVID-19: Information for Families of Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs from healthychildren.org (American Academy of Pediatrics)
https://www.healthychildren.org/English/health-issues/conditions/chest-lungs/Pages/COVID-19-Information-for-Families-of-Children-and-Youth-with-Special-Health-Care-Needs.aspx?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_content=COVID-19%3A%20Information%20for%20Families%20of%20Children%20and%20Youth%20with%20Special%20Health%20Care%20Needs&utm_campaign=2020.03.27_CSHCN_Network_Newsletter_Special_Edition

Social Stories on COVID-19:

The Autism Educator: “What is the Coronavirus?”
<http://www.familyvoicesofca.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/The-Corona-Virus-Free-Printable-Updated-2-The-Autism-Educator-.pdf>

Carol Gray Social Stories: “My Story About Pandemics and Coronavirus”
<https://carolgraysocialstories.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Pandemics-and-the-Coronavirus.pdf>

Plain Language Information on Coronavirus: For people with disabilities, by people with disabilities

- **English** <https://selfadvocacyinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Plain-Language-Public-Information-on-Coronavirus.pdf>
- **Spanish** <https://selfadvocacyinfo.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Spanish-Plain-Language-Information-on-Coronavirus.pdf>

What Do People with Disabilities Need to Know About Coronavirus? <https://acl.gov/COVID-19>

Ten COVID-19 Preparations to do RIGHT NOW for Medically Complex Families
<https://complexchild.org/articles/covid/covid-preparations/>

NYS on Pause from the NYS Department of Health
<https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home>

New York State of Health Marketplace

Special enrollment period for uninsured individuals to purchase health insurance to ease COVID 19 fears. Empire Plan, Medicaid and Child Health Plus are continuous enrollment.

<https://nystateofhealth.ny.gov/>

Protecting the People We Support- statements and guidance from OPWDD
<https://opwdd.ny.gov/coronavirus-guidance>

Corona Virus and its impact on Public Benefit Programs from BenefitsPlus Learning Center
https://cssny.s3.amazonaws.com/system/files/uploads/Coronavirus_-_Impact_of_on_Public_Benefits.pdf

Paid Family Leave- Paid Family Leave can be used by an eligible employee if they, or their minor dependent child, are subject to a mandatory or precautionary order of quarantine or isolation.
<https://paidfamilyleave.ny.gov/paid-family-leave-family-care>

COVID-19 Emotional Support Hotline 1-844-863-9314 free counseling to anyone who needs it during this time

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