

# COLUSA COUNTY CHILDREN & FAMILY RESOURCES

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES

### Colusa County Community Advocates for Parents & Children

“Help Me Grow is a free service for you and the families you serve with children from birth to age eight. Help Me Grow can assist you by locating the appropriate, non-medical services that meet the individualized needs of children and their families.”

**Contact:** (530) 458-7678

**Location:** 131 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Colusa, CA 95932

**Website:** <https://www.colusacapc.net/about1-c1x1t>

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## CHILD ABUSE RESOURCES

### Colusa County Community Advocates for Parents & Children – Parent Center

“Colusa County CAPC - Community Advocates for Parents & Children serves as the designated Child Abuse Prevention Council for the County of Colusa. As a local non-profit community-based agency, our goal is to help build a strong community by building strong families one at a time.”

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## CHILDCARE RESOURCES

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### Colusa County Office of Education

“We provide high-quality early care and educational programs that build a strong foundation for future academic success through each child's earliest years

**Location:** 345 5<sup>th</sup> Street

Colusa, CA 95932

**Contact:** (530) 458-0350

**Website:**

<https://www.ccoe.net/departments/childrensservices>

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### Colusa County Office of Education – Subsidy Program

“Children's Services has programs that serve the children of parents who are working, seeking employment or who are in training. Subsidized child care is available to families who meet the State's income and eligibility requirements of the California Department of Education Child Development Division or the Federal Head Start/Early Head Start program.”

**Location:** 345 5<sup>th</sup> Street

Colusa, CA 95932

**Contact:** (530) 458-2823 ext. 1

**Application:**

<https://www.childplus.net/apply/en-us/8839854C261E618C4B238017F72074D6/95582EE1C89DF8B4CB1E072807BB6DF3>

**Website:**

[https://www.ccoe.net/departments/childrensservices/apply\\_in\\_one\\_of\\_our\\_programs](https://www.ccoe.net/departments/childrensservices/apply_in_one_of_our_programs)

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## EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT

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### CaKIDS

“The California Kids Investment and Development Savings Program (CaKIDS) was launched in 2022 by the State of California with a clear mission: make it easier for more children to save for their future education.

Administered by the ScholarShare Investment Board, CaKIDS takes the initiative by automatically offering newborns and eligible low-income public school children in California an initial seed deposit, along with other potential financial incentives. This ensures that they can start their college and career savings journey right from the beginning.”

**Contact:** (888) 445-2377, Monday-Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm PST

**Website:** <https://calkids.org/>

**Confirm Eligibility:** <https://calkids.org/get-started/>

**Claim CaKIDS Account:**

<https://calkids.outcometracker.app/p/CalKids/calkids/registration/>

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## FAMILY RESOURCE CENTERS

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### The Family Action Centers of Colusa County

“The Family Action Centers of Colusa County, WFAC’s mission is to provide a safe and comfortable setting to network, share and acquire skills, and access services to create a better childhood for your youngest citizens.”

#### Arbuckle Family Action Center

**Location:** 812 King St./ PO Box 751  
Arbuckle, CA 95912

**Contact:** (530) 476-0822

**Website:** <https://www.afackids.org/> ;  
<https://www.facebook.com/AFACkids>

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#### Williams Family Action Center

**Location:** 499 Marguerite St./ PO Box 336  
Williams, CA 95987

**Contact:** (530) 476-0822

**Website:** <https://www.wfackids.org/> ;  
<https://www.facebook.com/WFACkids>

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## FAMILY RESOURCE CENTERS, Continued

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### Community in Unity Family Resource Center

“The FRC works directly with the Colusa County Free Library and First 5 Colusa to provide a welcoming space for family engagement, parenting classes, and early learning through the Growing Start Parent Playgroups and other programs and activities.”

**Location:** 131 5<sup>th</sup> Street

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**Contact:** (530) 225-4375

**Website:**

<https://www.countyofcolusa.org/762/Community-in-Unity-Family-Resource-Center>

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## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

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### Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation Family Assistance Program

“Helping Families of Children under the age of 21 with cancer. The B+ Foundation Family Assistance Program gives qualified families money for expenses that are attributable to their child’s cancer diagnosis. The goal of the program is to lessen the financial burden so families can focus on helping their children get well.”

**Contact:** (302) 563-8389

**Website:** <https://bepositive.org/need-help/>

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### California ALL

“If you have been financially affected by COVID-19, you may be eligible for: Unemployment Insurance, Eviction Protection, Mortgage Relief, Food Assistance and No credit score changes.”

**Contact:** (833) 422-4255

**Website:** <https://covid19.ca.gov/get-financial-help/>

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### PG&E Medical Baseline Program

“Assistance program for residential customers who depend on power for certain medical and independent living needs.”

**Contact:** (800) 743-5000

**Website:**

<https://www.pge.com/medicalbaseline>

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## FOSTER CARE & KINSHIP SUPPORT SERVICES

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### **EA Family Services – Foster Family Agency**

“We offer a variety of services and referrals to support and educate foster families and group home representatives, as well as the youth in their care.”

**Location:** 1138 Shasta Street  
Redding, CA 96001

**Contact:** (530) 242-1115

**Website:** <https://www.ea.org/>

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### **Youth & Family Programs**

“Provides programs for foster youth and their families. Services include:

Foster care licensing, placement, and support services, an Independent Living Program for foster youth ages 16-21.”

**Location:** 2770 Pioneer Drive  
Redding, CA 96001

**Contact:** (530) 365-9197

**Toll Free:** (888) 893-9197

**Website:** <https://www.ncyfp.org/>

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### **Family Urgent Response System (FURS)**

“FURS is a free 24/7/365 Hotline for current and former foster youth (up to age 21) and their caregivers with immediate, trauma-informed support when they need it. FURS assists to prevent placement disruptions, promotes healing as a family and is a safe, judgement free, and private space to talk about your worries and vent.”

**Call or Text Hotline:** (833) 939-3877

**Contact:** (916) 657-1858

**Website:** <https://www.cal-furs.org/>

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<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Child-Welfare-Programs/Foster-Care/FURs/FURS-Hotline-Flyer-Youth-SP.pdf>

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## HOME VISITING PROGRAMS

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### Healthy Families Shasta County

“Healthy Families Shasta is the nationally recognized, evidence-based home visiting program that builds a strong foundation for safe and secure relationships between caregiver and child, maximizing opportunities for all children to reach their full potential. Healthy Families Shasta can provide a home visitor to support any pregnant or parenting families who are NOT eligible for NFP. Mom can enroll at any time during her pregnancy or until the baby is three months of age and must reside in Shasta County. There are no age, income or first time parent requirements.”

**Contact:** (530) 247-3312

**Email:** [lharrison@nvcss.org](mailto:lharrison@nvcss.org)

**To Self-Refer:** <https://nvcss.org/shasta-baby-steps-questionnaire/>

**Website:** <https://nvcss.org/programs/healthy-families-shasta/>

**Facebook:**

<https://www.facebook.com/nvcss.hfashasta>

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### Parent Partners

“Family Resource Parent Partners are available for home visiting and walk-in services for any family in Shasta County. Parent Partners help families identify and connect to needed resources such as affordable housing, food, clothing and parenting education.”

**Location:** 2280 Benton Dr. Suite B  
Redding, CA 96001

**Contact:** (530) 242-2020

**Website:** <https://hopeshasta.org/family-resource-center/>

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### Nurse Family Partnership

“Nurse-Family Partnership is a free home visiting program that partners nurses with first-time moms early in their pregnancy. A free Registered Nurse can give you the support, advice and information you need as a new mom.”

**Contact:** (530) 225-5394

**Website:**

[https://www.co.shasta.ca.us/index/hhsa\\_index/Health\\_and\\_Safety/NFP](https://www.co.shasta.ca.us/index/hhsa_index/Health_and_Safety/NFP)

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## MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

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### Carelon Behavioral Health (formerly Beacon)

“Beacon’s system is built on a strong support structure of doctors, nurses, advocates, and mentors fulfilling members’ behavioral, physical, and social health needs.”

**Contact:** (855) 765-9703

**Website:** : <https://www.carelon.com>

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### CalHOPE Warm Line

“Feeling stressed by Covid-19? Help is just a phone call away! CalHOPE builds community resiliency and helps people recover from disasters through free outreach, crisis counseling, and support services.”

**Contact:** (833) 317-HOPE (4673)

**Website:**

<https://www.calhope.org/pages/current-services.aspx>

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### NAMI Helpline

“Education, support and advocacy for families & individuals affected by the challenges of living with mental illness.”

**Contact:** (800) 950-6264

**Text:** NAMI to 741741

**Website:** <https://www.nami.org/>

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### Bright Life Kids (Cal HOPE)

“Our expert coaches help kids navigate everything from sleep to screen time to separation anxiety — and help boost your confidence with resources for parents, too”

**Contact:** (888) 275-5357

**Email:** [ce@helloworldline.com](mailto:ce@helloworldline.com)

**Website:** <https://www.helloworldline.com/ca-families/>

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## PET ASSISTANCE

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### Brown Dog Foundations

“The Brown Dog Foundation provides financial assistance to pet owners in temporary financial crisis whose pet faces a treatable, but life-threatening condition or illness.”

**Contact:** Email

[grants@browndogfoundation.org](mailto:grants@browndogfoundation.org)

**Website:** <http://www.browndogfoundation.org/>

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### Canine Companions for Independence®

“We unite people with dogs in a powerful program that leads to greater independence and confidence.”

**Contact:** (800) 572-2275

**Form:** <http://www.cci.org/assistance-dogs/is-a-dog-right-for-you.html>

**Email:** [info@cci.org](mailto:info@cci.org)

**Website:** <https://canine.org/>

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### CDSS Assistance Dog Special Allowance Program

“The California Department of Social Services offers the Assistance Dog Special Allowance, which provides a monthly stipend of \$50 to eligible people who use a guide, service, or signal dog. The allowance is to help cover the food, grooming, and health costs of the dog.”

**Contact:** (916) 657-2628

**Website:**

<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/cdssweb/entres/forms/english/pub294.pdf>

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## SUPPORT SERVICES

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