

Children With Special Needs require multiple services from a number of health providers including:

- Children 1st
- Babies Can't Wait
- Children's Medical Services

Children 1st identifies and screens children, age birth to five, at risk for poor health and developmental outcomes, refers them to appropriate services and monitors their health status. Children 1st provides:



- Access to appropriate health and community services;
- Assistance to families by offering no-cost, in-home visits to assess and arrange help for their needs;
- Referrals to health care providers and other community resources and continued tracking and follow up.

Babies Can't Wait strives to enhance the capacity of families to meet the needs of each infant and toddler with developmental disabilities in order to ensure that each young child achieves his or her maximum developmental potential. Services include:



- Evaluation and assessment
- Service coordination
- Transition from BCW to designated school system.

Children's Medical Services (CMS) provides coordination of specialty health care for children from birth to age 21 with chronic medical conditions. The range of medically eligible diagnoses Includes:



- Asthma
- Sickle Cell Disease
- Diabetes Mellitus
- Craniofacial Anomalies
- Hearing Disorders
- Epilepsy
- Hydrocephalus
- Cerebral Palsy
- Orthopedic Disorders

Behavioral Health Developmental Disabilities, Child, Adolescent & Family Services offer quality outpatient clinic and community-based behavioral health and addictive disease treatment services for children, adolescents and their families in Fulton County.

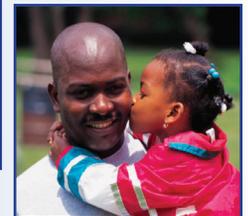
The Behavioral Health Information Line

is available for Fulton County residents to obtain information regarding behavioral health services. Individuals may also receive a behavioral health screening from a licensed clinician over the telephone and will be referred to the appropriate services. Ongoing services are available at any of the behavioral health centers. Appointments will be made by calling (404) 613-3675, Monday thru Friday from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM. After hours, please call the Georgia Crisis and Access line at 1-800- 715-4225.



Behavioral Health Training, Consultation, and Community Education program provides community education and consultation regarding behavioral health, addictive diseases, developmental disabilities, and other related behavioral health issues.

Healthy Children



(404) 612-1211

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HEALTHY CHILDREN, HEALTHY FAMILIES AND HEALTHY COMMUNITIES



Fulton County is home to more than 1 million residents. Quality and accessible health care combined with prevention and education contribute to the growth and maintenance of healthy citizens. Our continued commitment to reducing health disparities changed the way we provide health services, integrating the services of Fulton County's Health and Wellness and Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Departments to better care for body and mind.

Our Services/Programs Include:

- **Women, Infants and Children (WIC)**
- **Health Check**
- **Adolescent Health**
- **Dental Health**
- **Immunizations**
- **Children with Special Needs**
 - **Children 1st**
 - **Babies Can't Wait**
 - **Children's Medical Services**
- **Behavioral Health and Addictive Disease, Child, Adolescent & Family Services**

Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

supplemental nutrition program helps to improve the nutritional status of low income pregnant and postpartum women, and infants and children up to the age of five years. Nutritionists and registered/ licensed dietitians provide expert information through nutrition education, breast feeding promotion and support, and social service referrals.



WIC provides:

- Healthy foods: milk, whole grains, fruits and vegetables, eggs, cheese, cereal, juice, infant foods, and infant foods.
- Access to local farmer markets for fresh fruits and vegetables at specified health centers during summer months.
- Community nutrition education outreach to the residents of Fulton County.

Health Check is a program providing preventive health care services for children birth to age 21, who are enrolled in Medicaid. Program services include:



- Follow-up and outreach to families with children newly eligible and due for health screening,
- Periodic, or regular exams are necessary,
- Referral for children who have identified health problems,
- Diagnosis and treatment

by appropriate providers to ensure solution of identified problems.

Adolescent Health is dedicated to increasing the health status and positive health outcomes among adolescents 10-19 years of age by providing comprehensive, developmentally appropriate, and quality preventive health services including:

- Clinical Health Care
- Health Promotion and Education
- School Health
- Community Outreach
- Baby Think It Over™ Program
- Parental Involvement



Dental Health Services offers basic dental services for Fulton County Children ages 1 through completion of 12th grade

- Exams, fillings, cleanings
- Sealants and Fluoride
- School Screenings
- Well Baby Exam (under 3 years of age)



Immunization Program

protects the community from vaccine preventable diseases by providing:

- Vaccines to all children 0-18 years old

- On site vaccinations in the community
- Immunizations 5 days per week, some extended hours and weekends
- Community services through school and day care centers

Walk-in immunizations are available in eight clinic sites.

Immunizations are available for

- Polio, Measles, Mumps and Rubella
- Haemophilus Influenza Type B (Hib)
- Hepatitis A and B
- Chicken Pox (Varicella)
- Humanpapillomavirus (HPV)
- Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus,
- Pneumococcal
- Meningococcal
- Rotovirus (Children Only)
- Influenza (seasonal)