## Who we are:

Community to Home (C2H) is homevisiting program offered across Pennsylvania
at no cost to families with Children and
Youth with Special Health Care Needs
(CYSHCN) residing in rural counties.
C2H aims to improve health outcomes
for CYSHCN who are impacted by health
disparities. C2H utilizes evidence-based
Community Health Worker (CHW) models
to diminish barriers and promote equal
quality healthcare access.

## What we do:

Our CHWs work to create a plan of continuous care for families with newly diagnosed children. Our CHWs are trusted members of the communities they serve. This trusting relationship allows our CHWs to serve as liaisons between health and social services—leading families to a path of wellness.



# Our services:

Our CHWs who specialize in health literacy, health education, and care coordination help to facilitate access to services by providing:

- Family-centered home visits
- Roadmaps to self-sufficiency considering unique family needs
- Attendance to appointments, including Individualized Education Program (IEP) meetings, doctor's visits, benefits meetings
- Linkages to community resources
- Support in understanding child's health and development



Community to Home services will be provided by CareStar and Health Promotion Council depending on the family's county of residence.

#### **Health Promotion Council Counties:**

Adams Fulton Mifflin
Blair Huntingdon Perry
Franklin Juniata



#### **CareStar Counties:**

Armstrong Elk Pike Bedford **Fayette** Potter Bradford Forest Schuylkill Snyder Montour Butler Greene Cambria Indiana Sullivan Jefferson Cameron Susquehanna Carbon Somerset Tioga McKean Centre Union Clarion Mercer Venango Clearfield Monroe Warren Northumberland Clinton Washington Columbia Lawrence Wayne Crawford Wyoming Lycoming

### Who is eligible for C2H services:

- Children 21 years of age and under
- Newly diagnosed children with special health care needs OR newly residing in a PA rural county
- Households with an income of 300% or less of the federal poverty level

#### To make a referral to CareStar:

Email: communitytohome@carestar.com

Phone: 1-800-616-3718 Fax: 513-618-8319

## To make a referral to Health Promotion Council:

Email: CommunityToHome@phmc.org

Phone: 717-512-6888 Fax: 215-731-6199

For general questions and inquiries, call the Special Kids Network helpline: 1-800-986-4550



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