

Parenting Programs and Services – for All Families in Simcoe County

Many agencies have modified service delivery formats to support families to receive services safely during COVID-19. Call or visit agency websites to determine how best to access their services.

Service	Additional Information	Contact	Website
Health Connection* Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit	One-on-one parenting counseling over the phone, prenatal classes, Healthy Babies Healthy Children Program, parenting classes as well as help for families to access other parenting supports in the community.	705-721-7520 or 1- 877-721-7520	www.simcoemuskokahealth.org
Caring for Kids	Online information for parents from Canadian Paediatricians.		www.caringforkids.cps.ca
EarlyON Child and Family Centres* Centres pour l'enfant et la famille ON y va *	Free programs for parents and caregivers of children prenatal to six years of age which can assist in their parenting or caregiving role.	Various locations Including Francophone Centres	Simcoe County: www.simcoe.ca/ChildrenandCommunityServices/Pages/EarlyON.aspx
Triple P – Positive Parenting Program	Free parenting tips and info about local parenting programs. Online Triple P program available for \$80.		www.triplep-parenting.ca
Indigenous organizations and family supports	Supports to Indigenous families and children to connect with community services. Contact the Bebmintot program facilitator at the Barrie Area Native Advisory Circle with any additional questions.	705-734-1818	Link to Indigenous community supports & contact information www.simcoecommunityservices.ca/indigenous-earlyon/mental/
Community Action Program for Children/Canada Prenatal Nutrition Program (MotherCare)*	Free supports e.g. food, grocery gift cards, prenatal vitamins for low-income families with children ages 0-6. See Facebook page for program info and eligibility criteria.	1- 877-803-3227 Ext 2236	www.facebook.com/simcoecountycap/
Kinark Child and Family Services*	Services and supports for children & youth with complex needs and their families.	1-866-454-6275	www.kinark.on.ca
La Clé * Services pour les enfants et les jeunes	Les services pour les enfants et les jeunes offrent un programme de santé mentale pour les familles ayant des enfants âgés de 0 à 18 ans. Francophone mental health services for children and youth.	Penetanguishene 705-549-3116 Barrie 705-725-9755	www.lacle.ca "Services enfants/jeunes"
New Path Youth and Family Services*	Mental health services for children and their families. Child and Youth Mental Health Walk-In Clinics provide a single session and a first step to accessing services for children, youth and families who require support for emotional, relationship or behavioural challenges.	Intake 705-725-7656 or 1-866-566-7656 (905 area code)	Walk-In Clinics: www.newpath.ca General: www.newpath.ca
Simcoe County Infant Development Program	Home visiting services for families with infants and young children who are at risk of, or experiencing a developmental delay	705-726-9082 Ext 2281.	https://www.simcoecommunityservices.ca/infant-development-program/
Simcoe County Resource Consultation Services	Family support for parents with a child who requires developmental support who attends a licensed childcare program, before and after school program ,Early On or other community programs.	1-888-399-8394	https://www.clhmidland.on.ca/
Simcoe Muskoka Family Connexions*	Family/Parent Support available for families receiving service.	1-800-461-4236	https://familyconnexions.ca/

* Agency delivers Triple P Positive Parenting Program

Parenting Crisis Support: Refer family to Children's Mental Health Crisis Line 705-728-5044.

Child Protection Concern: Report to Simcoe Muskoka Family Connexions: Simcoe County: 1-800-461-4236 in Muskoka: 1-800-680-4426

Other local community programs: Dial 211 or 1-866-743-7818 www.communityconnection.ca or www.maps.simcoe.ca (Click Menu)