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NICU PARENT INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

<p>GENERAL INFORMATION</p> 	<p>WELCOME TO 211 COLORADO</p> <p>2-1-1- is a free, confidential multilingual service that refers callers to non-emergency health and human services.</p>	<p>Number: 2-1-1- Website: https://211colorado.communityos.org</p>
<p>BREASTFEEDING INFORMATION</p> 	<p>BREASTFEEDING MANAGEMENT CLINIC Provides a comprehensive approach to breastfeeding challenges for the baby and family. They support any mother and baby having challenges (e.g. low milk, sore nipples) with breastfeeding from birth through older children (e.g. weaning). They accept self-referrals, as well as, referrals from community providers. Covered by most insurance companies.</p> <p>Women Infants and Children (WIC) Program This program supports families in meeting their nutritional needs by providing formula, breast milk, and/or baby food. Recourses are distributed based on eligibility and completion of an application.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 720-777-3605 Website: https://www.childrenscolorado.org/doctors-and-departments/departments/primary-care/breastfeeding-management-clinic/</p> <p>Phone: 303-692-2400 Website: https://www.coloradowic.gov/</p>
<p>CHILD DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>MILESTONE TRACKER</p>  <p>...because milestones matter.</p>   <p>Preemies develop differently than babies born at term. They may need a little extra help from their parents. Tracking your babies development let's you know how you can help your baby</p>	<p>CDC CHILD DEVELOPMENT MILESTONE APP Skills such as taking a first step, smiling for the first time, and waving "bye bye" are called developmental milestones. Children reach milestones in how they play, learn, speak, act, and move (crawling, walking, etc.).</p> <p>CARING FOR YOUR PREEMIE AT HOME American Academy of Pediatric Healthychildren.org provides specific information for parents of premature infants.</p> <p>FEEDING MATTERS Provides parents with information about their child's feeding. Parents complete an online questionnaire about their babies feeding. As the parent completes the questions, they are provided with information about typical eating for their child's age, including adjusted age. Parents may print out the questions for the primary care provider.</p> <p>EARLY INTERVENTION COLORADO Statewide program provides early intervention developmental education for families and services to children birth to 3 years of age who meet specific eligibility criteria. Family members, health care providers, and other community members are able to make a referral on behalf of a child. Services are USUALLY provided in the home.</p> <p>The Baby Sleep Site: This website informs parents on developmentally appropriate sleep habits, and resources to help your infant sleep well and safe.</p>	<p>Website: https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/actearly/milestones/index.html</p> <p>https://www.healthychildren.org/English/ages-stages/baby/preemie/Pages/Caring-For-A-Premature-Baby.aspx</p> <p>Website: https://www.feedingmatters.org/ Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/feedingmatters https://www.feedingmatters.org/resources-support/family-support/questionnaire</p> <p>Phone Number: 1-888 - 777- 4041 Website: http://www.eicolorado.org/</p> <p>Website: https://www.babysleepsite.com/</p>

<p>LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH SUPPORT SERVICES</p> 	<p>PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTHCARE NEEDS (HCP) A program for infants, children, and youth with medical and health coordination needs. Public health nurses help to identify the appropriate community services and resources for families, including families of premature and medically fragile infants, and help them coordinate care.</p>	<p>Phone: 303-692-2370 Website: www.hpcolorado.org</p>
<p>MENTAL HEALTH</p> 	<p>BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CENTERS Mental Health Consultation addresses the social and emotional needs of parents as well as infants, toddlers and preschool children through a trusting relationship, education, and support.</p>	<p>Website: https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdhs/find-behavioral-health-help</p>
<p>RESPITE SERVICES</p> 	<p>NURTURING NEWBORNS, LLC Short term respite services to families with infants and children. Offers education, consultation services, and in home care, including overnight support. They specialize in respite care for children of ill or overwhelmed parents. Many of the services provided by Nurturing Newborns are funded by non-profit organizations.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 720-252-4503 Website: http://www.nurturingnewborns.com/</p>
<p>FAMILY RESOURCES</p> 	<p>FUSSY BABY NETWORK Fussy Baby Warm line for parents to call and receive support and guidance about their infant's crying with the possible option for a home visit.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 1-877-627-9227 Website: www.fussybabynetworkcolorado.org</p>
	<p>NICU MOMS OF DENVER Support group/social meet-up for mothers who were separated from their babies at birth due to prematurity or other complications.</p>	<p>Website: https://facebook.com/groups/338430686289653/</p>
	<p>HAND TO HOLD National nonprofit organization that matches experienced parents of preemies with parents in need of support. These peer-to-peer relationships inspire hope and create the opportunity to receive support from someone who is uniquely familiar with the experience of preterm birth, life in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, a child born with special health care needs, loss of pregnancy and/or infant loss.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 855-424-6428 Website: http://www.handtohold.org</p>
	<p>PARENT 2 PARENT Colorado (P2P-CO) is a network of families across Colorado who understand! We connect families to each other and to the resources they need.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 303-691-9339 Website: https://www.abilityconnectioncolorado.org/p2p-co/</p>
	<p>MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES SOCIETY Mothers of Multiples is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) support club for parents of twins, triplets, quadruplets, in the Denver metropolitan area with the mission of nurturing a safe environment that supports their members and the community through education, resources, networking and fellowship with an emphasis toward family participation.</p>	<p>Phone Number: 303.586.3121 Website: www.mothersofmultiples.com</p>
<p>SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY INFORMATION</p>	<p>SSI Children who were born prematurely may qualify for disability benefits through Supplemental Security Income (SSI). Determination is based on the infant's birth weight. There are income requirements that must be met to qualify for SSI benefits. Please be sure to call and see if your family is eligible.</p>	<p>Colorado Social Security Field Offices: https://www.disability-benefits-help.org/social-security-disability-locations/colorado</p>