

**NAVAJO FAMILY VOICES** <u>http://navajofamilies.org</u> Áłchíní hózhóójí bá nahaťá - Planning for Our Children in a Blessing Manner

## FAMILY & CHILDREN'S MEDICAL / SUPPORT NEEDS

Planning in a blessing manner starts with achieving an understanding of the full range of your needs or your family member's needs. PLEASE FILL THIS OUT ONLY IF YOU HAVE CHILD OR YOUTH FAMILY MEMBERS WITH MEDICAL NEEDS. Check off below the range of needs that your family and your child may need to help plan in finding resources to meet all needs. YOUR NAME:\_\_\_\_\_\_ PHONE:\_\_\_\_\_\_ PHONE:\_\_\_\_\_ YOUR NAVAJO NATION CHAPTER: \_\_\_\_\_\_ HOW MANY KIDS: \_\_\_\_\_ My family has the following needs: **DINÉ CULTURE** CAREGIVING Prayers Caregiver help **Ceremonies** Babysitting help **G** Food sovereignty **Caregiver training** Diné arts and crafts □ Respite (Timeout from caregiving). Diné wellness teachings Guardianship Power of Attorney **DAILY NEEDS G** Food access **TRANSITIONING TO ADULTHOOD** Nutrition counseling Transition from childhood to adulthood □ Clothing □ Transition from school to employment □ Shelter Pre-vocational training Trash removal Individual employment □ Cleaning and chore assistance □ Supported employment **Companions Transition housing** □ Community interaction (Get out of the house) Permanent supportive housing □ Farming, gardening **PREGNANCY, INFANTS, SMALL KIDS** □ Homebased healthcare Pre-natal testing Livestock □ Newborn screening & follow ups □ Transport □ Breastfeeding support **U** Water Parenting education **Electricity** Sewage THERAPY □ Internet Behavioral & mental health □ Short term financial help Physical Long term financial help □ Speech / words **Emergency health planning** Occupational MEDICAL-RELATED NEEDS Animal & Arts Mobility and vision □ Communication help with doctors/nurses □ How to access resources & services DISABILITY □ How to advocate for healthcare needs □ Support toward self-sufficiency **Case coordination / management**  Helping community understand disability Getting referrals for services Assistive Devices (hearing aid, wheelchair) Getting to facilities far away □ Specialized medical supplies Obtaining medical appointments Home accessibility **SCHOOL** Vehicle accessibility □ Supportive housing (housing & services) **5**04 accommodation plan How to get disability benefits Meal plans ABLE Savings Account or Special Needs Trusts □ Spiritual, physical and mental health Healthcare Representative □ Transportation to and from school & field trips Adult Guardianship □ Individualized Education Program (IEP)