## How do we apply?

Carefully fill out a CCS application and return it to the Butte County CCS office. An Application can be obtained from a CCS office or online at: www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs

For more information or to get help filling out the application, contact Butte County CCS:

**Butte County CCS Office:** | 530.552.3891 2491 Carmichael Drive, Suite 400 Chico, CA 95928

# CCS SERVES CHILDREN AGES BIRTH TO 21 YEARS OLD



## Contact us by phone.



Call California
Children's Services (CCS)
530.552.3891

#### Find us online.



## **Butte County Website** www.buttecounty.net/publichealth

Search the "PROGRAMS" tab for: "Nursing Programs."

#### **State of California CCS Website**

www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs

#### **Facebook**

Facebook.com/buttecountypublichealth

#### **Twitter**

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CCS is a state program that helps children with certain diseases, physical limitations or chronic health conditions.



#### Can our child get CCS?

Anyone can refer a child to be considered for the CCS program. Please contact the CCS office for more information: 530-552-3891.



#### What are the requirements?

To get CCS, your child must:

- Be ages birth to 21 years old; and
- Have a medical condition that CCS covers; and
- Be a resident of Butte County; and
- Have a family income under \$40,000 based on the adjusted gross income on state tax form.



## What if my family's income is more than \$40,000?

CCS services may be available if one or more of the following conditions are met:

- Medi-Cal (full scope, no SOC).
- Out-of-pocket medical expenses for child's care is more than 20% of family income.
- Only Medical Therapy Program services are requested.
- Adopted child with a known qualifying medical condition at birth.

# What types of services does CCS offer?



CCS can manage a child's medical care. This means CCS will help qualified children to access special doctors and care they may need. Sometimes, CCS refers children to other agencies, like Public Health nursing or the Regional Center so a child can get the services they need.

CCS also has a Medical Therapy Program (MTP). MTPs are in public schools and provide physical and occupational therapy to eligible children. Additional eligibility is required for MTP services.

CCS doesn't cover all conditions, but does cover many conditions that are physically disabling or that need to be treated with medication, surgery or rehabilitation. A few examples of services CCS may cover include:

- Doctor visits
- Hospital stays
- Surgery
- Physical and Occupational therapy
- Lab tests and X-rays
- Orthopedic appliances and durable medical equipment (DME)

For a list of all medically eligible conditions, visit: www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/Pages/medicaleligibility.aspx





# Can we use any provider we want?

No. CCS must approve the provider, services and equipment <u>first</u>.