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Family Services

Supporting all people through  
life's challenges and transitions.

*Parent education and support  
for families in Door County*

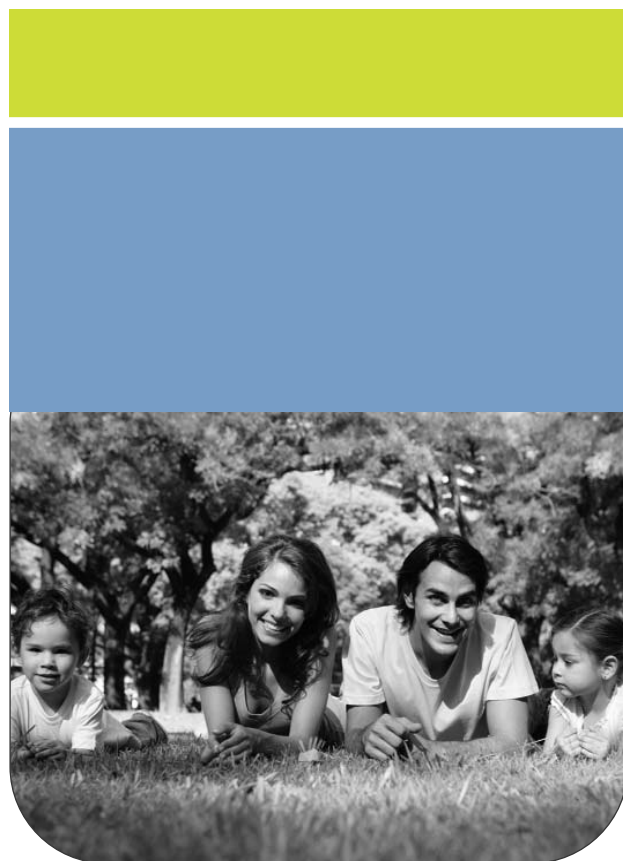


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## Program Overview

The job of parenting has changed significantly over the years as society has become more mobile and the informal support of extended family has notably decreased. The Parent Education program of Family Services works in collaboration with the Door County Department of Social Services to assist families who may be in need of additional support and resources.

It is our mission to enrich and nurture the quality of family life by supporting parents and caregivers through individualized services that are needs-driven and responsive.

By offering an intensive, flexible, and creative service delivery system, the Parent Education program provides parenting skills and support aimed at increasing family stability.

## Our Services

Services are provided to parents in need throughout Door County who have children from birth to 17 years of age. Our services include:

- ♦ **Guidance and Support** - Families experiencing difficulties or crisis situations receive support in removing barriers to success and assistance in accessing community resources, as needed.
- ♦ **Preservation** - Building on family strengths and individual needs, Parent Educators help families set and reach individualized goals aimed at creating a more stable home environment and keeping the family working together.



The Parent Education program is committed to helping families by offering the tools needed to meet the challenges of parenting today. With an emphasis on mutual respect and empowerment, the Parent Educator will offer emotional support, share information about child development, provide strategies for effective discipline, and help link your family to community resources.

## Service Fee/Eligibility

There is NO COST to participate in the Parent Education program. Current referrals are received through the Door County Department of Social Services and voluntary participation is possible, based on availability. Call us at 920-746-9226 for more information on the program.

## Agency Accreditations

- ♦ State of Wisconsin AODA Outpatient and Mental Health Outpatient
- ♦ Council on Accreditation of Services for Families and Children
- ♦ State of Wisconsin Certified for Residential, Day Treatment, and Crisis Intervention