

Important Phone Numbers

Alta Regional Center.....(916)978-6400

www.altaregional.org Services kids up to age 3 who shows delays, or who are “at risk” for disabilities. After age 3, will service diagnoses of Mental Retardation, Cerebral Palsy, Epilepsy, and Autistic Spectrum Disorders, including others related. Also services a “5th Category” of all other Disabilities not mentioned above that are life impacting.

IHSS Referral.....(916)787-8860

In-Home-Support-Services...if you child is serviced by ARC above, request a “Medicaid Waiver”. Once SSI or Waiver in place, parents can get paid as a provider for all of the additional things you do for your child that you would not do for a “typical child”. Can also pay someone other than parent as the provider.

SSI Referral.....(916)770-8310

Supplemental Security Income – For children who are considered “disabled” under the conditions above, as well as others such as Blind or Deaf. Will provide additional income to parents each month for the child’s care. Family must be income-qualified.

Medi-Cal.....(916)784-6000

Medical Insurance provided to all children who are considered “disabled”.

Lighthouse Counseling and Resource Center.....(916)645-3300

www.lighthousefrc.org Located in Lincoln, offers counseling and other resources for those in need. Also services for women, infants and children, as well as a Public Health Clinic.

PIRS (Placer Independent Resource Services).....(530) 885-6100

www.pirs.org PIRS is a non-profit independent living center. Their mission is to advocate, empower, educate and provide services for people with disabilities enabling them to control their alternatives for independent living.

Warm Line.....(916)782-7147

www.warmlinefrc.org Provides resources, support, and valuable links to families of children with special needs in six counties in Northern California.

SELPA.....(530)745-1343

Special Education Local Plan Area The basic goal of the SELPA is to ensure Spec Ed students receive appropriate programs and services in the most effective, and efficient manner practicable. SELPA staff supports quality instruction for students, parents, fellow educators and the community. SELPA will attend IEP or other meetings and mediate/advocate when necessary.

S.E.A.M.S.....(916)408-5069

www.myseams.org Support Education Advocacy for Mothers and Father with children with Special Needs. Site undergoing update, but can still contact using Email. Centralized in Lincoln/WPUSD, but available to all areas and needs. We support any questions/issues regarding any concerns you have for your child – even if the issue/disability is yet to be defined.

WPUSD Office.....(916)645-6350

www.wpusd.k12.ca.us Western Placer Unified School District Office - reach Special Ed Administrators, as well as individual school sites. Site also offers information regarding district services and policies.

Area Board III.....(916)324-7426

State of California Special Education Advocates for Placer County area who can clarify Special Ed laws and regulations, mandated services and/or procedures, and can even attend IEP meetings or the like.