



**SANILAC COUNTY GREAT START  
0-5 CONTINUUM OF SERVICES  
2017**

PROGRAMS	SERVICES PROVIDED	TARGET POPULATION	DURATION	REFERRAL SOURCE	PROVIDER & CONTACT #
<b>Preschool</b>					
<b>Local Interagency Coordinating Council</b>	Parent Education focusing on school readiness & literacy playgroups	Any family with children age 0-5	Weekly in different communities	Human service agencies or Self referral	ISD Sandusky 810-648-2200 ext. 4109
<b>Early Head Start</b>	Social work, education, child/family health education, child development, playgroup, other resources and referrals	Income based, risk assessed families with children 0-3 yrs. old and pregnant women	Prenatal – 3 years old	Human service agencies or Self referral	Human Development Commission 810-648-4497
<b>Head Start</b>	Preschool program including family education, social work, and health education	3-5 year old children (including foster care & special needs)	School year, 3-5 years old	Human service agencies or Self referral	(NEMCSA) 1-866-851-1674 or 1-866-851-1675
<b>Great Start Readiness Preschool (GSRP)</b>	Preschool program	Children age 4 by September 1st	School year	Self referral	Local School Districts
<b>Tuition Based Preschools</b>	Preschool Environment, curriculum	2-5 year old children	School year	Self referral	Regional Resource Center 877-614-7328. www.greatstarttoquality.org
<b>Tots-N-Teens Preschool</b>	State licensed preschool, DAP preschool environment, curriculum	2 ½- 5 year old children	Mid-September thru Mid-May	Self referral	Monique Soper 810-648-4700 msoper@sanilac.k12.mi.us
<b>Education</b>					
<b>Sanilac Literacy Council – Adult Reading Program</b>	Parent Education (reading, writing, math and GED prep); Parent-child interaction, family literacy, linking to services	At-risk families and/or any parent with low basic skills	Based on family needs	Human service agencies, FIA or Self referral	Literacy Council 810-648-9554
<b>Early On</b>	Coordination of services and resource support, home visitation, child development, education	Families with children 0-3 yrs. with est. condition or delay in any developmental area of 20%.	0-3 years	Human services agencies, Physicians/Hospitals or Self referral	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act – Part C ISD Sandusky 810-648-2200
<b>MSU Ext Parent Education Programs</b>	Parent Education Programs	Parents and caregivers with children birth to 18 years	Ongoing	Self referral or Agency referral	MSUE 810-648-2515 ext. 307
<b>Reach Out &amp; Read</b>	Well child developmental screening that emphasizes literacy related activities	Children ages 0-6 at well child visits	Each well child visit from 0-6	Physician referral	Health Department 810-648-4098 Deckerville Hospital 810-376-2835 McKenzie Hospital 810-648-3770 Dr. Gormley 810-679-0012
<b>Parents as Teachers</b>	Health, hearing & vision screening, ASQ Parent Education & Parent / Child Interaction	Families w/ children ages prenatal to 5 years	0-5 years	DHS, CMH, EHS, EON, WIC, Physicians or Self referral	Jennifer McClain 810-648-2200 ext. 4139
<b>Great Start to Quality Resource Center</b>	Professional development, Quality improvent resources, Outreach to parents	Child care & preschool providers / teachers, Parents, Unlicensed child care providers		Self referral	GSQ RC Julie Bush greatstarttoqualify.org bushj@sisd.org
<b>Community Supports</b>					
<b>Sanilac ISD Project Find</b>	Identification of children needing services, Special education, Preschool	Families with children 0-preschool entry, Children 5 with suspected disabilities	School Year	Human services agencies, Physicians/Hospitals or Self referral	ISD Sandusky 810-648-9020 810-648-2200
<b>Baby Pantry</b>	Supplemental clothing & baby items	Pregnant women in 3rd trimester & families with children to age 5	2nd and 4th Monday of every month 10-4:30 Maple Valley & Croswell	Human service agencies or Self-referrals	SC Child Abuse Prevention Council & volunteers 810-648-4098 ext. 144
<b>Safe Kids</b>	Monthly car seat checks & car seat replacements to those who qualify, Injury prevention education	Families with children of car seat ages 0-14	Monthly appointments can be scheduled and public events offered in spring summer & fall	Self, DHS, WIC, EHS, Early On, CMH	Jen Gezequel 810-648-4098 ext. 155
<b>Great Start Playgroup</b>	Weekly Playgroups to promote kindergarten readiness skills	Families and children birth to age 5	1 hour 15 minutes on Fridays	Self referral	810-648-2200 ext 4109
<b>Tot Time at Brown City United Methodist Church</b>	Weekly playgroup every Wednesday 10 -11:30 am	Families with infants and toddlers	1 and 1/2 hours	Self referral	Cyndy Rossman 810-346-2010



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<b>Community Supports - Continued</b>					
<b>Girl Scouts Daisy Program</b>	builds & encourages confidence and character in girls	Girls Kindergarten to 1st Grade	Events offered all year	Self referral	Girl Scouts 800-482-6724 www.gssem.org
<b>Great Start Preschool Scholarships</b>	Assist parents with funding to enter their child into a quality preschool program	Families with children age 3-5 that do not qualify for Head Start or GSRP	School Year	Self referral	Great Start 810-648-2200 ext. 4109
<b>Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)</b>	Food coupons, formula and nutritional education	Pregnant women, infants and children under 5	Pregnant, nursing moms and children to 5 years	Self referral DHS or Human Service Agencies	Health Department 810-648-4098 ext. 130
<b>SC Health Department</b>	Vision & Hearing Screening	Pre-school and school age children	Year around	Self referral	Health Department 810-648-4098 ext. 130
<b>Child Advocacy Center</b>	Forensic interviews	Children of suspected child abuse or sexual abuse	Year Around	DHS or Law Enforcement	Jen Gezequel 810-648-4098 ext. 155
<b>SC Health Department</b>	Family planning services	Teens and Adults	Year Around	Self referral DHS or Human Service Agencies	Health Department 810-648-4098 ext. 133
<b>Sanilac Transportation</b>	County - wide transport	All	Year Around	Self referral DHS or Human Service Agencies	810-648-9766 810-648-9768 800-275-9311
<b>Thumbworks!</b>	Employment education	Unemployed / Underemployed	Year Around	Self referral or Human Service Agencies	810-648-5800
<b>Blue Water Habitat for Humanity</b>	Housing, Repairs, Education	All	Year Around		810-985-9080 www.bwhabitat.org
<b>Blue Water Center for Independent Living</b>	Daily life supports	All	Year Around	Self referral, Human Service Agencies or CMH	810-648-2555
<b>Great Start Parents</b>	Peer support resource information connections	Parents and child care givers to children newborn to age 8	Year around	Self referral	Sanilac ISD 810-648-2200 ext 4109
<b>EVA's Place Shelter</b>	24 Hour Emergency shelter, crisis intervention, support advocacy & PPO assistance	Women & children of Sanilac County	Year around	Self referral, DHS or Human Service Agencies	866-336-7283 or 810-648-9467
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<b>Health</b>					
<b>Immunization</b>	Free immunizations for Medicaid, or those with no insurance	All children	Until children turn 19 years old	Self referral	Health Department 810-648-4098 MHS 810-648-3770 MRH
<b>Well Child Physicals</b>	Physicals for preschool & kindergarten, also well child physicals	Children 10 & under, especially preschool children	10 years & under	Self referral	Health Department 810-648-4098 MHS 810-648-3770 MRH
<b>Maternal / Infant Health Program</b>	Health, social work, dietary education	Prenatal mothers and infants, Medicaid	MSS-prenatal (9 visits) ISS thru infancy	Physicians, or Human service agencies	Health Department 810-648-4098
<b>Nutrition Education (FNP)</b>	Nutrition education, education on organizational skills & budgeting	Anyone who is food stamp eligible	Classes, 6-12 week	Human service agency, WIC, Self referral or Health care providers	MSU Extension 810-648-2515
<b>Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS)</b>	Treatment of qualified medical condition	Children with qualified medical conditions	Up to age 21 & medically necessary	Self referral	Health Department 810-648-4098



**Web Information:**  
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