Subject: February 15, 2017 UCCCN Resources of the Month

Dear UCCCN members,

Here are your February 2017 resources of the month.

## **Brainstorming**

**Case #1:** from Dusty. In-home help needed for respite care after surgery, 13 year old with a rare syndrome will have surgery in a month at Shriners, dad works 2 jobs, mom works nights, Regence BlueCross BlueShield. Shriners case manager has been contacted, applied to Steelman Foundation for emergency respite, [Regence *will* cover in-home care for palliative].

Home Health, In-home Services; Respite Care

<u>Salus Homecare</u> serving Salt Lake City and Park City. Home Health Services--licensed pediatric nurses and therapists for children with special medical needs. Home Care Services—personalized, cost effective with flexible scheduling, includes bathing, toileting, and meal preparation. <u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/22162</u>

<u>Bear-O Care</u> Riverton. Respite care for children. Day center for adults who have multiple disabilities. Before/after school care for students of the Kauri Sue Hamilton School and within the Jordan School District. Accept DSPD, \$3/hour for siblings, no respite in Jan, Feb, March due to health concerns. <u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/24245</u>

Financial Assistance, Other

<u>Steelman Family Foundation</u> supports families touched by various disabilities, focusing mostly on Cerebral Palsy and Autism, in transportation, scholarships, respite care, and caregiver support activities. medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/24969

**Case #2**: Marilyn's success thanks to UCCCN's presentations— siblings, 10 year old boy with behavioral issues, bi-polar, violent to others, depressed; and 14 year old girl depressed, suicidal; wanted help finding a psychiatrist for boy. Recommended Valley Behavioral and a Family Resource Facilitator.

Psychiatrist, Child - 18

<u>Children's Outpatient Services, Valley Behavioral Health</u> Salt Lake, Summit, Tooele. For youth with a mental health diagnosis, age infancy through 18. Medicaid. <u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10647</u>

Mental Health, Other; Family Support Organizations

<u>Family Resource Facilitators</u> Free family resource services for families with behavioral or mental health issues. medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/23830

<u>NAMI</u> Credentialed Family Resource Facilitators provide assistance to families and youth in accessing appropriate mental health services within their communities. medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10644

<u>Allies with Families</u> Partners with Utah Family Coalition to provide Family Resource Facilitators. SIbShops (workshops for siblings ages 7 - 13) throughout Utah, Diagnosis-Specific Packets. <u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/12249</u>

<u>Utah Family Voices</u> has added an in-house Family Resource Facilitator for children with dual diagnosis (mental and physical or learning disability).

<u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/10171</u>

Case #3: from Gina. <u>Utah Medicaid Benefits for Children – CHEC, UDOH</u> The Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) benefit provides comprehensive and preventive health care services for children under age 21 who are enrolled in Medicaid. EPSDT is a federal law that helps children on Medicaid receive medical services that are medically necessary even if they are not covered under the state's plan. EPSDT is key to ensuring that children and adolescents receive appropriate preventive, dental, mental health, and developmental, and specialty services. Many child, disability and family advocacy organizations are advocating within the state and nationally to keep this vital benefit in place for all children but especially children with special needs. <u>medicalhomeportal.org/services/provider/23099</u>

Disclaimer: These resources come from our members as part of the meeting brainstorming session; please check with your providers to make sure they are appropriate for your patient/families.

You can find a custom list of these service providers that can be printed, emailed, and more, here: February 2017 Family Support Mental Health, Respite, Psychiatrist

Presenter: Aimee Langone, Student Transition and Youth Support, <u>Utah State Division of Rehabilitation</u>

Description: ages 14 to 22. The 2015 Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), has provision for pre-employment exit services to students with disabilities who *may* be eligible for services. A counselor is assigned to every school district in Utah. Training is subcontracted to six providers in Utah. Contact Aimee Langone: <a href="mailto:alangone@utah.gov">alangone@utah.gov</a> 801-887-9500

## Other

Our next meeting will be March 15 Learning Session, "Collaborating on Care Coordination," at the University of Utah's Officer's Club in Fort Douglas from 9 am to 12:00 noon. This will be in place of the March UCCCN meeting.

You can find archived meeting recordings on the UCCCN YouTube Channel.

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