

Newborn Navigation

The Family Resource Center of Central NH in Laconia

Who



All expectant and new parents residing in Belknap and Lower Grafton Counties are eligible to be connected with a trained Newborn Navigator from the Family Resource Center.

What



This is a home visiting program under the Comprehensive Family Supports and Services contract with the Department of Health and Human Services. Up to three home visits are offered to families.

Why



The targeted outcomes of this program are:

- Increased connections to community resources
- Improved safety of the home environment
- Increased positive parenting behavior
- Promoting the use of high-quality childcare when non-parental care is needed
- Increased enrollment in home visiting programs such as Comprehensive Supports and Services, Healthy Families America, Family Centered Early Supports and Services, Early Head Start Home Visiting

When



The program can start prenatally or any time within the first 3 months of the baby's birth. Visits are scheduled at the family's convenience.

How



A referral is sent to Carol Stone, at the Family Resource Center. She will contact the family and the first visit will be scheduled. Follow up visits will be planned as determined according to each family's needs. Email Carol at carol.stone@lracs.org or mail referral form to Carol Stone, Family Resource Center 719 N. Main St. Laconia, NH 03246

