

	<b>GEORGIA DIVISION OF FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES</b>		
	<b>MEDICAID POLICY MANUAL</b>		
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## REQUIREMENTS

The Champions for Children program is designed to assist children and families that do not meet the eligibility requirements for the TEFRA/Katie Beckett Medicaid program.

## BASIC CONSIDERATIONS

Who is eligible?

- Children 21 and under
- Who live at home
- Who have a physical, cognitive, developmental or medical disability
- Not eligible for Medicaid

What services are provided?

- Respite care
- Specialized medical supplies and equipment
- Medical services
- Therapies (OT,PT, and ST)
- Dental and optical services
- Travel reimbursements for medical appointments
- Recreational/therapeutic activities
- Other services related to the child's disability not covered by other payment sources
- Parent to Parent of Georgia and other resources

## PROCEDURES

Families can access Champions for Children by calling 1-866- 584-3742 or be referred to the web site [www.championsforchildrenga.org](http://www.championsforchildrenga.org).