CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS

WHO WE SERVE
We serve children and young adults (up to age 21) who
- Live in a New York City borough
- Have been diagnosed or may have a serious or chronic health condition or disability, or a physical, developmental, intellectual, emotional or behavioral condition
- Need extra health care and assistance

PROGRAM SERVICES

REFERRALS
Staff refer families with children who have special health care needs to the Health Department’s Certified Application Counselors. The Certified Application Counselors help families apply for low- or no-cost health insurance and connect to community resources to meet their children’s unique medical needs.

INFORMATION SERVICES
Staff help families find out about and choose health care options and services to best meet their children’s needs.

RESOURCES
We provide educational materials and web-based resources on health insurance and medical topics.

Call 311, visit nyc.gov/health and search for CSHCN or contact us at 347-396-4600