

Who may apply?

Any parent or guardian who cares for a Métis child, birth to 8 years old, is an MNBC citizen or self-identifies as Métis can apply. The child must be enrolled in the Métis Family Connections Program.

To learn more about:

The Métis Family Connections Program please visit: www.mnbc.ca/mfc

or

Miyoopimatishihk (*Wellbeing*) Program please visit: www.mnbc.ca/wellbeing

For more information or to apply please contact:

metisearlyyears@mnbc.ca
or 1-800-940-1150



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Miyoopimatishihk

Wellbeing Program



Miyoopimatishihk

is a Michif word which means "Wellbeing"

The Elders teach us that Miyoopimatishihk encourages us all to walk a good circle of life journey. When we all walk in a beautiful way our families experience wellbeing.

What is the Miyoopimatishihk Program?

The Miyoopimatishihk (*Wellbeing*) Program has been created for Métis families with children birth to 8 years. Métis families can apply for and access services funded directly by MNBC.

What can you apply for?

A wide range of services, programs and products, including but not limited to: Respite care, Speech therapy, Assessments, Medical equipment, Mental health support, Educational & Cultural support.

MNBC recognizes that some children may require multiple supports and services. Please contact us to discuss your child's needs. If more than one child needs support, you can apply for each one on an individual basis.

How do you apply?

Please contact us at metisearlyyears@mNBC.ca or 1-800-940-1150

You will be asked to provide the following:

- * Child's name & birthdate
- * Parent/legal guardian name & contact info
- * The product, service or support needed
- * How often product/service/support will be needed
- * Estimated costs (*if known*)
- * Copies of related information, as applicable
- * A copy of the child's birth certificate
- * A copy of the parent/legal guardian's picture ID

If approved, there is no cost to the parent or guardian and payment is arranged directly with the service provider or vendor in these situations



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"Métis means a person who self-identifies as Métis, is of historic Métis Nation Ancestry, is distinct from other Aboriginal Peoples & is accepted by the Métis Nation."

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