

We know  
***most parents need***  
additional information,  
guidance and support.



We believe  
***every parent***  
deserves  
a home visit



Learn more or schedule a visit:

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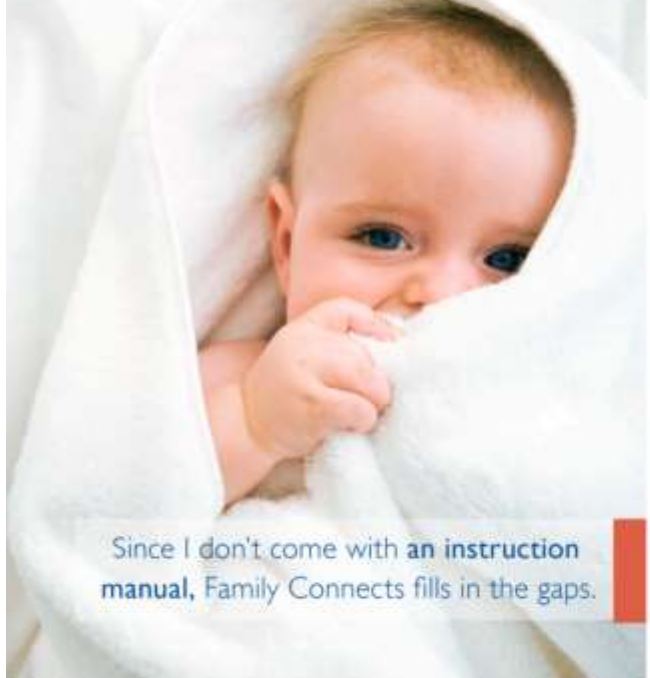
**NEWBORN**  
**HOME VISITING**  
*A new community program*

 **CONGRATULATIONS**  
on your **NEW BABY!**

Beginning the summer of 2017  
**AS A RESIDENT OF RACINE COUNTY**, you are eligible for an in-home nurse visit, courtesy of Family Connects.

Family Connects supports parents like you by bringing health providers, community resources and families together. Our mission is to connect you with resources that nurture your whole family and support your child's growth.

It's about planting seeds for the future. Together, we're growing healthy babies and making a more prosperous community.



 What can **FAMILY CONNECTS** do for you?

Having a new baby affects many areas of a family's life. Family Connects nurses are trained to answer all kinds of questions and are knowledgeable about the wealth of resources in our community. Here are a few examples of how a Family Connects nurse can address your family's needs:

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| Baby weight check                        | Safe sleep information             |
| Mom health check                         | Management of infant crying        |
| Breast or bottle feeding help            | Financial resources                |
| Postpartum depression screening          | Playgroups & parent support groups |
| Understanding of childcare options       | Early literacy information         |
| Understanding of new family dynamics     | Family planning advice             |
| Back-to-work support                     | Scheduling appointments            |
| Help with bathing, diapering & swaddling | Healthy home connections           |

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

-  **THREE WEEKS**  
Visits are scheduled around 3 weeks after your baby's birth
-  **NO COST TO RECIPIENTS**  
As an eligible recipient, you will not be charged
-  **REGISTERED NURSE**  
All visits are made by highly-trained nurses
-  **FOR ALL**  
Helping all families, regardless of income or background

 Family Connects is a **COMMUNITY-WIDE effort.**

Research shows that when families use the Family Connects program, mothers feel less anxious, they learn about quality childcare options available to them, and their babies need less emergency care at hospitals. This all adds up to an enormous, positive impact on the community.



**Our Community Partners:**

-  **Ascension**
-  **United Way**  
United Way of Racine County
-  **Racine County**  
Human Services
-  **CRCHD**  
Central Racine County Health Department