

Making a Referral

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Curry County 541 247-3300	Lane County 541 682-4041	Wasco/ Sherman/ Gilliam Counties 541 506-2600
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About CaCoon

CaCoon is a statewide public health nurse home visiting program that focuses on community-based **CAre COordination** for children with special health care needs. CaCoon nurses have provided services in most Oregon counties for over 20 years.

Children served in the CaCoon program make fewer visits to the emergency department. They also have higher rates of immunization, annual well-child, and dental care visits.

The CaCoon program is supported by the Oregon Center for Children & Youth with Special Health Needs at the OHSU Institute on Development & Disability.

The Population We Serve

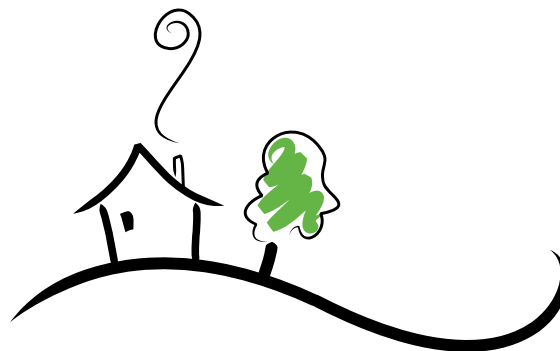
CaCoon serves children from birth through 20 who have (or who are at risk for) a chronic physical, developmental, behavioral, or emotional condition and who also require health and related services of a type or amount beyond that required by children generally. The most vulnerable families, such as those with a newly diagnosed infant, will be prioritized for CaCoon services.

Team-Based & Family Centered Care

Children are best served when families and professionals partner effectively as members of their health care team.

As professional members of the health care team, CaCoon nurses facilitate effective and efficient use of the health care system and community supports.

CaCoon nurses provide a variety of **assessments** that augment the team's ability to develop a **shared care plan** and support the family's **implementation** of the plan.



CaCoon nurses literally “meet families where they are” through home visiting. This environment is most conducive to increasing family knowledge, skills, and confidence in caring for their children with special health needs.

CaCoon Nurses Will:

- Increase family engagement with their medical home
- Help families access community-based services (e.g. education, transportation)
- Help coordinate care across agencies and providers
- Support families' ability to implement the shared care plan
- Promote health literacy
- Provide physical and developmental screenings as needed
- Assess home safety and emergency preparedness
- Support adolescent transition to adult health care services



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