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## Welcome to **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL**

**KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** is a new model for service coordination that is now offered through a partnership of Peel community agencies including Brampton Caledon Community Living, Child Development Resource Connection Peel, Community Living Mississauga, ErinoakKids and Kerry's Place Autism Services.

The partners in **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** have joined together to embrace a simplified approach to service coordination that assists children, youth and their families to strengthen their capacity to care for their child/themselves and enhance their formal and informal networks of community resources.

**KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** provides service coordination for children and youth from 0-17 with special needs, living in Brampton, Caledon, and Mississauga. **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** will support families in planning services for their children. Once families/individuals are registered with **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL**, they will receive specific information about programs, respite services, parent workshops, training and other resources. This information will be shared on an ongoing basis and will vary depending on the age and needs of the individuals.

This service will work closely with individuals and families to anticipate the need for support during key transitions. The **PATHWAYS** team will respond to a family's questions and/or concerns, and provide timely support and guidance. Urgent concerns will be assessed and referred where necessary to community partners within **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** for more intense service coordination.

Take a few minutes and check out the website at [www.kidspathwayspeel.com](http://www.kidspathwayspeel.com). The website is being expanded so please come back frequently to see what's new and email your website content suggestions to [info@kidspathwayspeel.com](mailto:info@kidspathwayspeel.com). You may also want to look at the calendar of workshops related to special needs and/or check out the respite services available at [www.respiteservices.com/Peel](http://www.respiteservices.com/Peel).

The **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** staff team is available to take your call between 9 and 5 pm on weekdays and they are fluent in a variety of languages including English, French, Arabic, Punjabi, Hindi and Urdu. TTY and Interpretive services are also available.

For further information please *contact* **KIDS PATHWAYS PEEL** at:  
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