

Dubuque Racing Association Grants For Adaptive Equipment to Promote Motor Skill Development

These grants are available for individual children with a qualifying special need. If a family has more than one qualifying child they can apply for each child. The family works with their therapists and physicians to determine the appropriate adaptive equipment.

Grants will be considered for

- ◆ Deductibles and co-pays for medical care related to motor functioning
- ◆ Assistance with braces, splints, walkers and other orthopedic supports
- ◆ Compression or weighted clothing or blankets that help with muscle tone and body awareness
- ◆ Therapeutic equipment to increase muscle tone or prevent contracture
- ◆ Adaptive equipment to promote physical activity for muscle strengthening in the natural environment



The maximum grant amount is dependent on the purchase price the item and the amount the family can contribute to the cost.

To qualify for a grant you must meet three criteria:

1. Be a resident of Iowa and live in or near Dubuque County
2. Have a maximum NET TAXABLE INCOME of \$60,000
3. The child must have a specific special need. This includes a diagnosis of an autism spectrum disorder or a sensory processing disorder.

Please download the application on our website and submit to apply. The application must be signed by a professional and you must submit a copy of page 2 of your federal tax form with the application.

If you have questions please contact our Program Facilitator by email at gloriajkliefelter@gmail.com or by calling 563-543-4155.

You may download an application from our website at

<http://www.childrenathome.org>

