

WHAT IS AN MLPC REFERRAL?

Your child's medical provider understands that a legal issue may be affecting your child's health. The Medical-Legal Partnership for Children (MLPC) at Advocates for Basic Legal Equality, Inc. (ABLE) may be able to help with civil legal problems. Please understand that a referral does not guarantee an attorney will represent you.

THE REFERRAL PROCESS

- 1 Your child's medical provider sends the referral form to the MLPC.
- 2 An intake specialist calls you complete an application over the phone and determine your eligibility for legal services. *This call will come from a blocked number. If your phone does not accept the call, we will send you a letter asking you to call us.*
- 3 Your completed application goes to an MLPC staff member, who reviews it and determines how we can help.

If the MLPC cannot help you, we will try to find a free attorney who can, or offer you general information so you can resolve the legal problem on your own.

If you have an urgent legal matter, please call Legal Aid Line at (888) 534-1432 to complete an application right away.

QUESTIONS?

Please feel free to contact ABLE at **(800) 837-0814** and ask to speak with the director of the MLPC.