

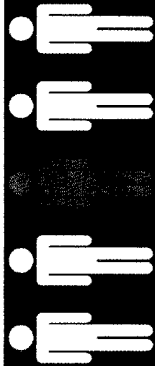


Minor Consent

Free and Confidential Services:

- Family Planning
- Drug & Alcohol Treatment
- Mental Health Treatment

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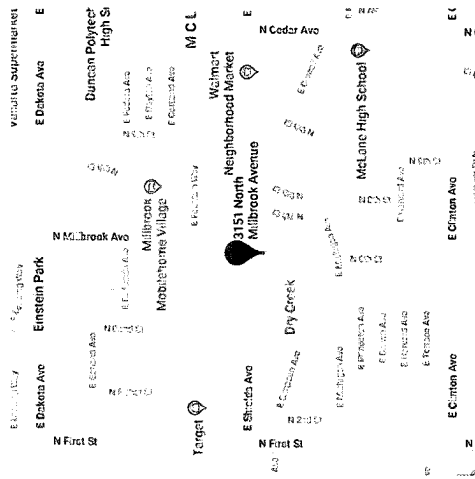
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ever receive the help they need

Where to Apply

3151 N Millbrook Ave

Southwest Corner of Shields and Millbrook



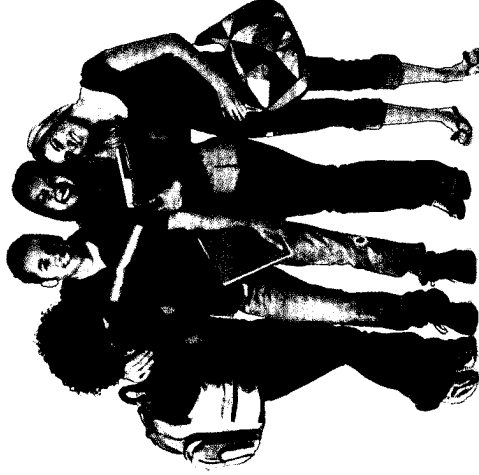
For More Information

3151 N Millbrook Ave
 Phone (559) 600-9799
 Office Hours: Monday through Friday
 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Services also available at the Kerman, Selma and Reedley Regional offices



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What is Minor Consent?

Medical care program that provides free confidential services to individuals under the age of 21. Services include Mental Health; pregnancy and pregnancy-related care; family planning; sexual assault services; sexually transmitted diseases treatment; drug and alcohol treatment and bus tokens to be able to access these services



What Services Does Minor Consent Offer?

Minor Consent Services are categorized by age as follows:

UNDER AGE 12:

- Pregnancy & pregnancy related care
- Family planning services
- Sexual assault services

AGE 12 YEARS THROUGH 21:

- Sexually transmitted diseases treatment
- Drug and alcohol abuse treatment/ counseling
- Mental health outpatient care
- Pregnancy & pregnancy related care
- Family planning services
- Sexual assault services

We will provide bus tokens to allow you to get to these services

Useful Resources:

Suicide Prevention Lifeline 24/7

1-800-273-8255

Youth Line

1-877-968-8491

Text: teen2teen to 839863

Crisis Line 24/7

Text: HOME to 741741

Questions and Answers

Can I apply without my family or friends knowing?

Yes, Minor Consent services are confidential.

Will you mail paperwork to my house?

No, the County will not send any paperwork to you.

Do I have to apply in person?

Yes, all applications must be taken in person.

Does it cost anything to receive services?

There are no costs to apply for services, however, your worker will ask if you have any income of your own during your interview.

How often will I need to apply?

Each month you need services.

My family already has Medi-Cal. Can I still apply for Minor Consent?

Yes, Minor Consent services are separate from the Medi-Cal your family is receiving.

Do I need to provide my Social Security Number?

No, you will not be asked for your Social Security Number.

Do I have to live with my parents, in order to apply?

Talk with the worker about your specific situation to determine the best program for you.

