

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **How much funding is available?**

The maximum funding allowed to any individual child will be \$5,000 per year.

### **What if the need exceeds \$5,000?**

We recognize that each situation is unique, please contact us to discuss your child's needs.

### **What if I have more than one child that needs support?**

Funding is allocated per child. If more than one child needs support, you can apply for each one on an individual basis.

### **What if my child is not a Métis Citizen?**

Funding is open to Métis children birth to 8 years, whether citizen or self-identified

### **What types of services and supports are covered?**

A wide range of services and supports, including but not limited to: respite care; speech therapy; assessments; medical equipment; mental health services, education and cultural supports. Every situation is unique so there is no exhaustive list. Please contact us to discuss your child's needs.

### **What is the Métis Family Connections Program and why do I need to be enrolled?**

Métis Family Connections is for Métis families with children birth to 8 years. Métis Family Connections is focused on helping families build a network of support that provides children with opportunities for early learning and childhood development.

Enrollment will ensure that you are connected to a Navigator in your region and will help us to gather the necessary information needed to move forward with the application process.

### **What if I am not yet enrolled in the Métis Family Connections Program?**

You can request an enrolment form at [www.mnbc.ca/mfc](http://www.mnbc.ca/mfc) . If you have any questions, or need support please contact us.

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