



Greater Boston Community Resource Guide Families with Young Children

Community and Online Resources

- The [JCC of Greater Boston](#) organizes events, programs, and activities that help families connect with the Jewish community and bring Jewish life into their own homes
- [Combined Jewish Philanthropies \(CJP\)](#) connects Greater Boston's Jewish people to each other and to Israel, summer camps, and to learning opportunities and volunteer and service projects
- [Gateways: Access to Jewish Education](#) provides Jewish learning programs for students of all abilities and with a wide range of learning needs
- [Israeli American Council \(IAC Boston\)](#) provides a range of innovative programming to engage and build community for Israeli-Americans and the Jewish community
- [Jewish Family & Children's Service \(JF&CS\) Center for Early Relationship Support](#) provides direct services, training, and consultations that focus on the earliest infant-parent relationship
- [Jewish Arts Collaborative](#) offers events and workshops on Jewish arts and culture
- [JewishBoston.com](#) gathers recipes, blogs, DIY projects, family friendly events, and young adult meet-ups details and has a weekly "Plus Kids" newsletter for families with young children
- [Keshet](#) works for full LGBTQ equality and inclusion in Jewish life
- [PJ Library](#) delivers free, high-quality Jewish children's books or music monthly to families with children ages six months through six years old
- [Welcome Baby!](#) connects you and your baby to the Boston Jewish community with a visit, a gift tote, and community resource referrals

Interfaith Family Resources

- [18Doors](#) posts blogs and e-newsletters, provides referrals, and offers activities for interfaith families
- [Jewish Discovery Institute \(Conservative\)](#) provides classes and workshops for interfaith couples and others interested in learning about Judaism, including a meaningful conversion program
- [Union for Reform Judaism \(URJ\)](#) offers classes and workshops in partnership with area Reform synagogues for couples and individuals in interfaith relationships who want to explore or learn more about Judaism

New parent support and education

- [Mom Life Health](#)
- [North Suburban Child and Family Resource Network](#)
- [New Mom Health](#)
- [One tough job](#)

Parent/Adult Learning

- CJP and [Hebrew College](#) offer options for every adult learner:
 - [Me'ah](#) - A two-year in-depth curriculum that provides understanding and insight into Jewish texts, thought, history, and culture with master teachers
 - [Open Circle Jewish Learning](#) - Jewish learning when you want it, at your pace, and on topics you want to learn about
 - [Parenting Through a Jewish Lens](#) - Classes for parents that explore values through rich conversations with other parents on topics that matter, from toddlers to the teen years
- [Jewbelong](#)

Social Services

- [CJP's Path to Wellbeing](#) is a no-cost, virtual program to support your mental health
- [CJP Warmline](#) connects callers with one confidential phone call to multiple Jewish social service agencies, including those that address immediate needs like food, heat, employment, and housing
- [Jewish Family & Children's Service \(JF&CS\)](#) provides a broad range of services for families, seniors, people with disabilities, and people in need
- [Jewish Vocational Service](#) helps individuals find employment and build careers

Breastfeeding & Parent

- [BabyCafe](#)
- [Brazelton Touchpoints](#)
- [Bumps, Babies & Beyond Program](#)
- [LaLecheLeague](#)
- [NAPS Newborn & Parenting Support](#)
- [Nursing Mothers Council](#)

Volunteer Opportunities

- [CJP Hineni](#)
- [Friendship Circle of Sharon](#)
- [JF&CS Volunteer Opportunities](#)