



SCOPE NEWSLETTER

May 2022

FAQ's

If we are planning to have more children, will they have an increased risk for the same diagnosis?

While some special needs may have a genetic component, many are multifactorial (having more than one cause). If you are concerned about the risk of specific genetic disorders for future births, speak to your doctor.

FAQ Booklet



SCOPE INVITES YOU TO A

Mother's Day Celebration

Come and let's celebrate YOU! Bring your girlfriends too.

Music, Food, laughter and fun! Sign up to be a Bollywood Diva in the Fashion Show!

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022
SPICE RACK FRANKLIN PARK, NJ
12 NOON TO 4PM

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/y95ev7j9>

\$35 Per person

Payment via Zelle: Shri Krishna Nidhi Foundation
Email: associated with Zelle account: thesknfoundation@gmail.com

*Ladies only

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SCOPE Mother's Day Celebration

Moms with children of special needs, come and enjoy a Mother's Day Celebration in honor of YOU! Bring your girlfriends too! Great food, DJ, dance, games, and so much more. You can sign up to be a part of the fashion show and dress up as your favorite Bollywood Diva!

Location: Spice Rack Banquet Hall

3079 State Rt 27, Suite A, Franklin Park, NJ 08823

Sunday, May 15, 2022, from 12:00 – 4:00 PM

Registration: <http://tinyurl.com/y95ev7j9>

\$35 per person

ZELLE: **Shri Krishna Nidhi Foundation** email associated with the account is thesknfoundation@gmail.com

The mission of SCOPE (Special needs Community Outreach Program for



SKN Foundation Presents...

HOLI COLOR RUN

June 5, 2022
Van Horne Park
Rocky Hill, NJ

1 Mile Circuit
9-11am Run/Walk

Walk/run event for all ages and abilities. An inclusive event with activities, music, color, laughter and fun. Join us to celebrate the various colors of life.

Promoting Health and Wellness

On-site Registration will be available on the day of the event for \$10.
Proceeds to benefit our Special Needs families.

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HOLI COLOR RUN

See the flyer for all the information.

Testimonial

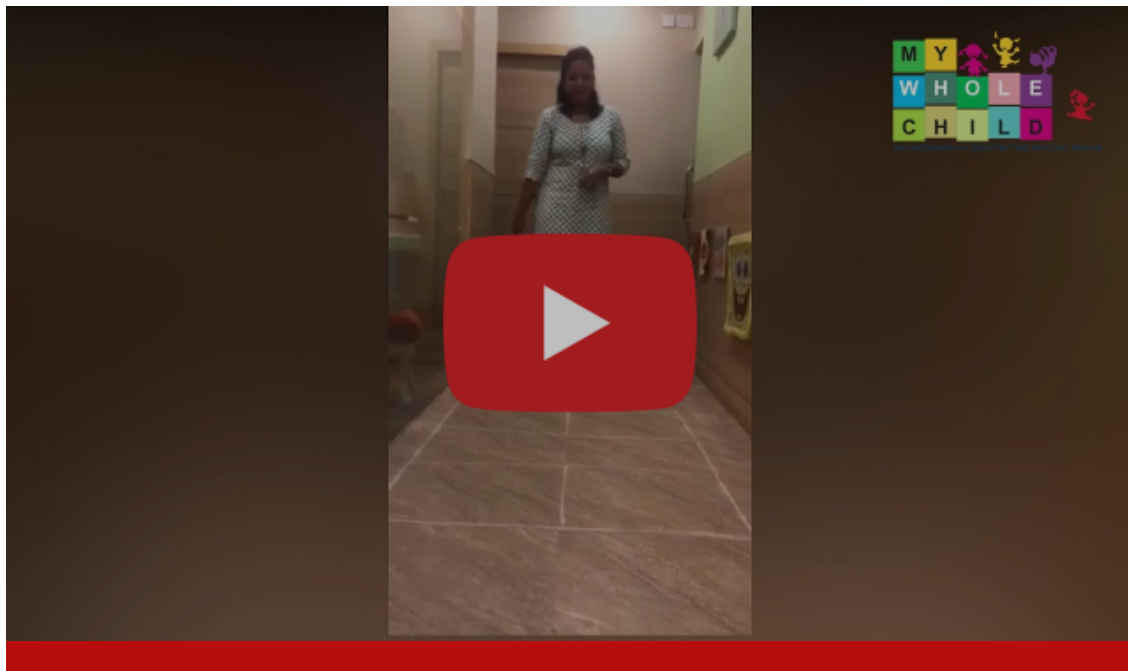
SCOPE has been very helpful with all the resources and the work that admins put in to help connect people has been tremendous. If there are questions you have, you are guaranteed to find an answer from someone knowledgeable on this group.

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PRACTICAL TIPS

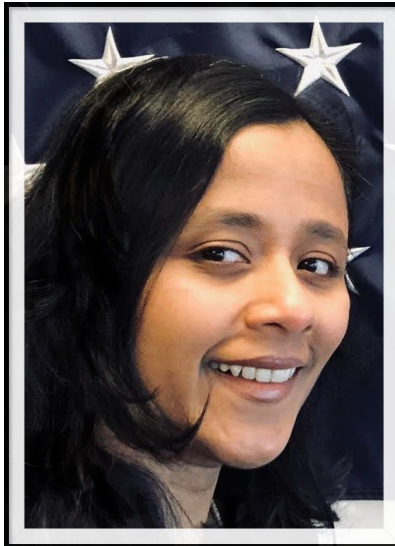
Activities to improve balance and coordination

Brought to you by our partner organization
My Whole Child Center for Special Needs at GK2 in India



**Join Our SCOPE Telegram Group &
Connect with other Special Needs
Families**

Sign Up for SCOPE Membership



**SKN Foundation SCOPE Parent Resource Specialist
Indu Iyer**

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**SKN Foundation SCOPE Parent Support Specialist
Ashwini Shenoy**

Special Needs Community Outreach Program For Empowerment (SCOPE)

The mission of SCOPE (Special needs Community Outreach Program for Empowerment) is to support South Asian families of children with special needs through activities that educate, advocate, and empower.

What SCOPE Provides:

Support: Ongoing parent-to-parent mentoring facilitates mutual support and understanding. A Parent Support Specialist connects families to needed resources. The Parent Empowerment Program is designed to build self-advocacy skills and training for the first year of a new diagnosis. A virtual parent group provides a safe space and introduces parents to others with similar challenges and needs.

Education: Regular workshops and training address the felt needs of parents of children with special needs (ex. IEP education, toilet training). Guest speakers include pediatricians, therapists, or other specialists who can serve to educate parents about the health and well-being of their children and provide tips for improving quality of life and outcomes.

Community: Inclusive social events provide safe spaces for children and families to socialize. Several annual events, including Dance 4 A Cause, Halloween party, Valentine's bowling, and Christmas spectacular are opportunities for children to have fun and make friends in a judgment-free zone.

Resources: Situated between health systems and the community, SCOPE serves as a resource for both. We provide cultural competence resources to providers, and overall health and wellness-related information to families. The virtual support group provides a platform for parents to be resources for each other.





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