

## **EPILEPSY FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN**

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### **OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**CLIENT ELIGIBILITY:** Michigan residents.

**SERVICES PROVIDED:** The Epilepsy Foundation is the only organization in Michigan solely dedicated to providing services for individuals with epilepsy/seizure disorders. Services include: public education and awareness for consumers and professionals; living-well programs for individuals and families affected by epilepsy; public policy advocacy; education and consultation on diagnosis, treatment, management skills, employment and community resources; support groups; school education programs; equipment connection website for mobility equipment; and volunteers. Classes offered: The Foundation provides free educational programs including the following topics: New Diagnosis; Stress Management; Caregiver's Stress; Employment; Parenting; Women, and more. The Foundation also offers two free school programs: "Seizure Smart" and "Attitudes". Also available for a small fee are programs providing training to police and security officers, nursing home caregivers, and corporations.

**CLIENT FEES:** Most services are free.

**INTAKE PROCEDURES:** Call.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Administration, Speakers Bureau, Visual Display Outreach, marketing/special events, advice, and Regional Network Program.

**FUNDED BY:** Public contributions, United Way, contractual agreements with Detroit-Wayne County Community Mental Health Board and grants.

**HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE:** Yes.

**EMERGENCY SERVICES:** None.