

Call the referral agency
in your area to refer
children, birth to
kindergarten.



Service Area 1

- Baker County 800-927-5847
- Grant County 541-575-3643
- Malheur County 541-473-3905
- Morrow County 800-927-5847
- Umatilla County 800-927-5847
- Union County 800-927-5847
- Wallowa County 541-426-4225

Service Area 2

- Crook County 541-312-1195
- Deschutes County 541-312-1195
- Gilliam County 541-565-3600
- Harney County 541-573-6461
- Jefferson County 541-312-1195
- Sherman County 541-565-3600
- Warm Springs 541-553-3241
- Wheeler County 541-565-3600

Service Area 3

- Douglas County 541-440-4794
- Jackson County 541-789-5252
- Josephine County 541-474-5495
- Klamath County 541-883-4748
- Lake County 541-947-3371

Service Area 4

- Benton County 541-753-1202 x101
 877-589-9751
- Coos County 541-269-4524
- Curry County 541-269-4524
- Lincoln County 541-574-2240 x137
- Linn County 541-753-1202 x101
 877-589-9751

Service Area 5

- Marion County 503-385-4714
 888-560-4666
- Polk County 503-435-5940
 888-560-4666
- Yamhill County 503-435-5940
 888-560-4666

Service Area 6

- Multnomah County 503-262-4100
- Hood River County 541-387-5077
- Wasco County 541-296-1478

Service Area 7

- Lane County 800-925-8694
 541-346-2578

Service Area 8

- Clatsop County 503-325-2862
- Columbia County 503-397-0028
- Tillamook County 503-842-8423
- Washington County
 (English) 503-614-1446
 (Spanish) 503-614-1263

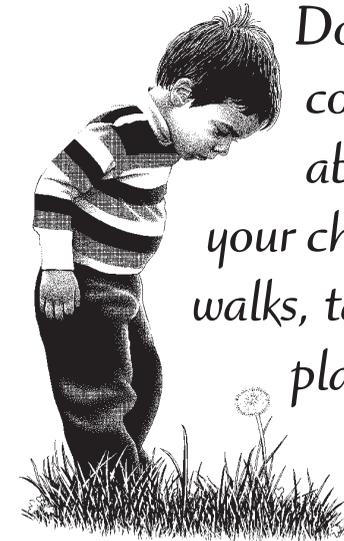
Service Area 9

- Clackamas County 503-675-4097



Oregon Department of Education
255 Capitol Street NE
Salem, OR 97310-1300

Do you have
concerns?



Do you have
concerns
about how
your child sees,
walks, talks, hears,
plays with toys
or responds
to others?

Call your local county
contact listed inside this
brochure for information
about screening and
evaluation for your child.

Early Intervention & Early Childhood
Special Education (EI/ECSE) Services
in Oregon

What is EI/ECSE?

The early intervention and early childhood special education (EI/ECSE) program provides specialized services to children with disabilities, their families, and other caregivers (such as child care and preschool teachers and other family members) to support the child's development. In Oregon, EI/ECSE services are provided through local programs that are administered by regional contractors. Services are individualized and based upon the unique needs of the child and his or her family.



When should I refer a child for a screening and evaluation?

Refer any infant, toddler, or preschooler suspected of having a developmental delay including problems related to how they:

- See
- Hear
- Talk

- Walk
- Respond to others
- Play
- Learn

Who can refer children?

- Families
- Child care providers
- Preschools
- Friends
- Physicians
- Any community agency

Where can I refer a child for a screening and evaluation?

Each county in Oregon has a designated referral and evaluation agency. All referrals for screening and evaluation pass through this agency. The phone number to call to make a referral in your area is on the back of this brochure. An Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) is developed if the child is eligible for EI/ECSE services.

What is an IFSP?

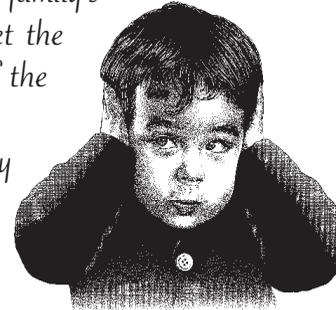
An IFSP is a plan of services individualized to each family. A team of professionals and the child's parents develop the IFSP. All eligible children with developmental delays or disabilities, from

birth to kindergarten age, have an IFSP. The IFSP is a written plan that describes:

- The child's abilities and needs
- Services for the child and family
- Family outcomes related to the child's needs
- Goals and objectives reflecting both the child's developmental and special education needs

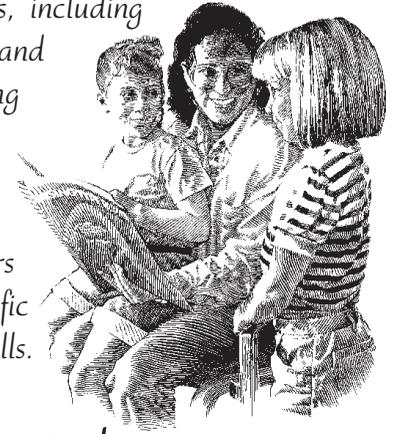
What services does Oregon provide to children and families?

The focus of Oregon's EI/ECSE services is on building the family's capacity to meet the special needs of the child. This is accomplished by incorporating strategies for promoting the child's development into family and community daily activities. Family members, preschool teachers, and caregivers are given strategies for teaching the child in situations where and when learning occurs every day. Services may include:



- Providing the family with specific information about the child's delay;

- Incorporating the child's special needs into family routines;
- Connecting the family to community resources, including classes; and
- Coaching parents, family and caregivers on specific child skills.



Is there a cost to families?

There is no cost for EI/ECSE services to families.

For additional information contact:

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Salem, OR 97310

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