

## WE BELIEVE

Early identification of infants and toddlers with special needs increases the likelihood of reducing developmental delays in this particular population of children.

The Early Intervention Diagnostic Center (EIDC) is a special education home and center base program which is family centered.

The Early Intervention staff will work with families to enhance the child's development in the areas of language, cognition, fine motor, gross motor, social, emotional, self-help, hearing, and vision. The staff will also help families connect to community services and resources as needed.

### We believe that...

- Each family is unique
- Individual differences are respected
- Partnerships between families and professionals promote trust and respect
- All areas of development can be stimulated and enhanced through play
- A child learns through play



## WE PROVIDE

The Early Intervention Diagnostic Center provides the following services to infants and toddlers (birth to three years of age):

- Child Find Referral intake and outreach services
- Diagnostic Evaluations to determine special education eligibility
- Public Awareness information and materials regarding Early On
- Educational and Support Services
- Scheduled Home Services
- A Center Based Program with "hands on" experiences for children and parents that addresses specific growth and development issues.
- Parent Enrichment through a variety of monthly informational meetings, which affords parents the opportunity for social interaction, and the use of a lending library, which includes toys, books and reference materials.

The **EARLY INTERVENTION DIAGNOSTIC CENTER** provides these services at no cost to families

## WE SERVE

EIDC provides special education services to infants and toddlers experiencing developmental delays or children with an established physical or mental condition.

Developmental delays are often noticed by parents when children do not speak, play or move as expected. These delays may be genetic, auditory, visual, or due to prenatal difficulties.

We encourage families to promote their children's growth and development. While at EIDC, families are exposed to many stimulating toys, activities, and presentations that assist them in teaching their children. During their participation at EIDC, we prepare families for transition to center base and preschool.

If your child is found eligible for services, it is essential that he/she has an **updated immunization record and birth certificate**

For more information about the **Early Intervention Diagnostic Center** Please Call: **(313) 494-2240 / 494-0961**

## What is early On Michigan?

"Early On Michigan" is a system designed to coordinate early intervention and other services for families who have children (birth - three) that have a delay or medical condition that may lead to a delay.

"Early On" is the collaborative effort of the Michigan Department of Education, Public Health, Mental Health, Family Independence Agency and other non-profit and private human services organizations.

If you suspect your child has a developmental delay or associated medical condition or disability, contact Early On Michigan to get connected with a local coordinator to see if your child is eligible for services.

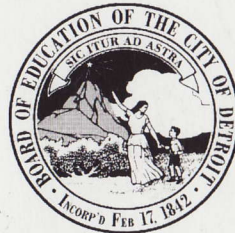
Your local Early On system will provide you with the following at no charge:

- Evaluation and Assessment
- Service Coordination
- Development of an IFSP  
(Individualized Family Service Plan)

The following services may be included on the IFSP; however, in some instances, a fee may be charged to the family:

- Family training, counseling, home visits
- Physical, occupational, and speech therapy
- Nursing services
- Special instructions (teaching)
- Social work services
- Psychological services
- Nutrition services
- Vision services
- Audiology
- Medical services (for diagnosis and evaluation)
- Transportation to early intervention services
- Assistive technology services and or devices
- Other services as identified on the **IFSP**

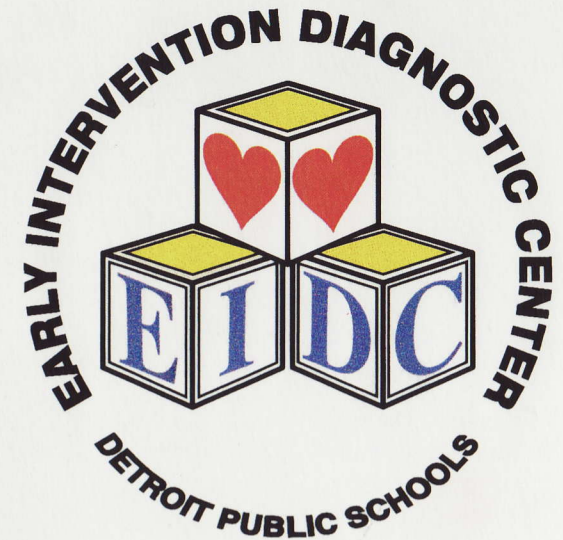
If you would like to make a referral,  
**CALL: 1 • 800 • EARLY ON**



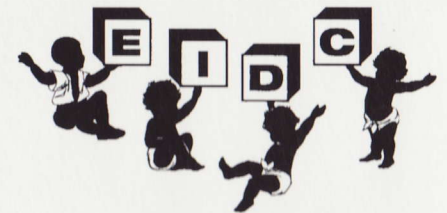
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## Detroit Public Schools OFFICE OF SPECIALIZED STUDENT SERVICES



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