While all children grow and change at their own rate, some children can experience delays in their development.

**If you have any concerns about your young child’s development, call Early Intervention.**

**What is Early Intervention?**

Early Intervention consists of services and supports designed to help families with children **(birth-5 years)** who have developmental delays. Early Intervention is provided at **no cost to families**.

**What are Early Intervention supports and services?**

EI services may include: information on how children develop skills and abilities; education and support for the parent/caregiver, and specific developmental therapies. Early Intervention provides ideas for how a family can help their child at home as well as in the community, and is individualized to enhance both growth and learning.

**Where do children/families receive supports and services?**

Services may be provided during the child’s daily activities at home or in the community, at child care centers, preschools, play groups, and Head Start.

**Who is eligible?**

Infants, toddlers, and preschool children who have a developmental delay or a diagnosis are eligible to receive Early Intervention services. Early Intervention offers screenings and evaluations to determine if a child’s development is delayed.

**Who should families contact to see if their child is eligible for Early Intervention?**

**Birth- 3yrs Lancaster Infant/Toddler Early Intervention Program: 717-399-7329**

**3-5 yrs Lancaster Preschool Early Intervention Program: 717-606-1601**

**CONNECT toll-free line: 1-800-692-7288**

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