

## WHERE TO FIND US

Services are available on all islands. Please call Hawaii Keiki Information Service System (H-KISS) information and referral line to learn more about our program or to have your child evaluated for eligibility. Call H-KISS (Voice and TTY available):

**Oahu** (808) 594-0066  
**Neighbor Islands Toll-Free** 1-800-235-5477

*Telephone hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
If calling after hours, please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible.*

## OTHER CONTACT OPTIONS FOR NEIGHBOR ISLANDS

For families on the neighbor islands, services are also available at:

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| Kauai Easter Seals                     | 245-7141 |
| Imua Family Services (Maui & Lanai)    | 244-7467 |
| Ikaika for Molokai                     | 553-3276 |
| Hilo Easter Seals                      | 961-3081 |
| Kona Early Childhood Services Program  | 322-4880 |
| North Hawaii Child Development Program | 326-7778 |

### Early Intervention Section

1600 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 1401

Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

Ph: 594-0000

FAX: 594-0015

*For information about other children's services, please call:*

### SPIN (Special Parent Information Network)

Oahu: (808) 586-8126  
Enterprise: 5270

### The Parent Line

Oahu: (808) 526-1222  
Neighbor Islands (*toll-free*): 1-800-816-1222

### Department of Education, Operation Search (for children 3 or older)

Oahu: (808) 733-4403  
Neighbor Islands (*toll-free*): 1-800-297-2070

### Project AWARE (Assisting with Appropriate Rights in Education)

Oahu: (808) 536-9684  
Neighbor Islands (*toll-free*): 1-800-533-9684



Linda Lingle, Governor  
Chiyome Fukino, M.D., Director of Health

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STATE OF HAWAII  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

# E I S Early Intervention Section



Providing  
services  
for 0-3

## WHAT WE DO

The Early Intervention Section of the State Department of Health provides services for children from birth to three years of age with special needs. Services assist your child in five developmental areas:

- Physical (sits, walks)
- Cognitive (pays attention, solves problems)
- Communication (talks, understands)
- Social or emotional (plays with others, has confidence)
- Adaptive (eats, dresses self)

## WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICES

Your child is eligible for services if your child:

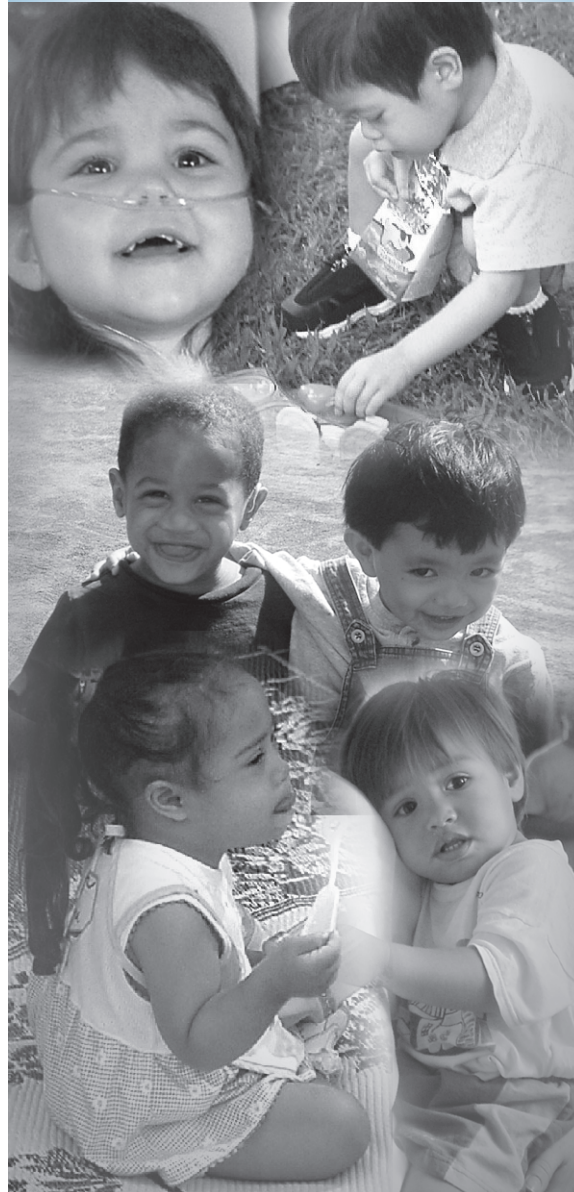
- Has a delay in development; or
- Is at-risk of developing a delay



Having a delay means that your child's development may be somewhat slower than expected. Being at-risk for a delay means that your child has a diagnosed condition (e.g., cerebral palsy, Downs Syndrome) that often causes a developmental delay. Your

child may also be at-risk if your family lives in a stressful situation that may affect your child's development (e.g., low income, teenage parents).

Do *you* have concerns  
about how your child  
is *growing*  
&  
*learning?*



## A CHILD CARE COORDINATOR FOR YOU

All eligible children will have a care coordinator. Your care coordinator will assist in having your child evaluated. Services are delivered based on an Individualized Family Support Plan (IFSP) which is developed by a team that includes your family and care coordinator. Services are provided in a variety of locations to support your child and family.

## NO COST TO YOUR FAMILY

There is no cost to your family  
for services and support

## MANY SERVICES PROVIDED

- Assistive technology (special equipment)
- Audiology
- Care coordination
- Family support and education
- Health services
- Nursing services
- Nutrition services
- Occupational therapy (self-help, small muscles)
- Parent-to-parent support
- Physical therapy
- Psychological support services
- Speech & language therapy
- Social work (counseling)
- Specialized teaching
- Transportation to early intervention services
- Vision services