

Service providers

Our qualified staff includes Child Development Specialists with graduate training in child development, early childhood education, and developmental psychology.

Fees

The charge for services is based on your family size and income. Third party payments may apply. You won't be refused services if you can't pay.

For more information contact your local Health Department Child Guidance Clinic

Phone No _____

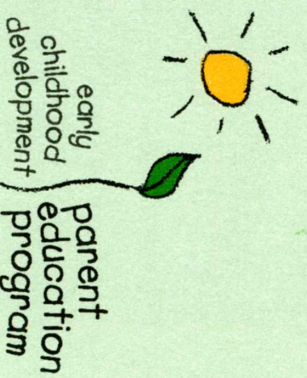
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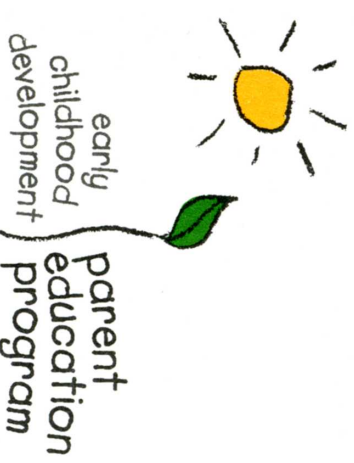
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parent education services

Sometimes being a parent is not easy. There's a lot to learn about children. To be a more effective parent, you can get help from the Early Childhood Development and Parent Education Program. This program will give you progress reports on your children as well as personal tips on parenting. The program is available to all families with children from birth to kindergarten age. Information can be provided to parents about:

- your child's progress
- development stages in children
- guidance and discipline
- toys and learning activities
- improving family life
- important concerns to parents

referral

Child development specialists often assist families and their children with specific needs by helping arrange for other services such as:

- speech, hearing and language services
- mental health services
- health-related services such as:
 - physical therapy, nursing,
 - nutrition, and pediatricians

child development

Evaluation of your child's skills and abilities is available to provide you information on:

- personal-social, language, perceptual, motor, and mental functioning
- abilities and behaviors appropriate to your child's age

consultation

We provide consultation:

- to groups, organizations and other professionals who have questions about young children

classes and workshops

Classes and workshops are available for groups of parents and organizations.

Topics may include:

- understanding children from birth to 5 years such as: infants, toddlers and preschoolers
- discipline and guidance techniques
- improving self-esteem
- communication and listening skills
- learning activities
- helping children adjust to a crisis
- helping with common concerns:
 - thumbsucking, bed-wetting, biting, hitting, nightmares, fears, mealtime and bedtime hassles
- infant care
- intellectual, social, and emotional growth
- competition among brothers and sisters
- television and children
- children and divorce
- toilet learning
- choosing toys
- strengthening step-families
- single parenting
- grandparenting
- children with special needs