

## Early Intervention Services for Children in San Diego County

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California Children's Services (CCS) ( <a href="http://www.dhs.ca.gov/pcfh/cms/ccs">www.dhs.ca.gov/pcfh/cms/ccs</a> )	Birth to 21 years old	Resident of CA with certain chronic conditions, e.g. CP, hearing loss, uncontrolled sz, cancer, sickle cell disease, congenital heart disease, etc...	Family income under \$40K per year or out of pocket medical expenses over 20% of annual income. MTP, diagnostic services, adopted with known CCS condition: no income limits	-Medical Services and equipment -Case management -OT/PT -Medical therapy program (MTP): OT and PT through MTU at schools	Federal, State and County	Phone: 619-528-4000 Fax: 619-528-4087
California Early Start ( <a href="http://www.dds.ca.gov/earlystart">www.dds.ca.gov/earlystart</a> )	Birth to 3 years old.	1) Developmental Delay  2) Established Risk (e.g. Down's, blindness)  3) High Risk (e.g. Premie <32 weeks EGA) of Dev. Delay	None	Early Intervention Medical Speech OT/PT Nutrition Respite Vision	Federal (IDEA) State	Phone: 800-515-BABY E-mail: <a href="mailto:earlystart@dds.ca.gov">earlystart@dds.ca.gov</a>  Or, contact San Diego Regional Center Phone: 858/496-4318 Fax: 858/496-4302 E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@sdrcc.org">info@sdrcc.org</a> <a href="http://www.sdrcc.org">www.sdrcc.org</a>

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First Five ( <a href="http://www.first5sandiego.com">www.first5sandiego.com</a> )	Birth to 5 years old	Varies with program - many are open to all	None stated	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Health</li> <li>-Developmental Services</li> <li>-Behavioral Services</li> <li>-Vision Screening</li> <li>-Hearing Screening</li> <li>-Speech Services</li> <li>-Parent Education and Peer-to-Peer Support</li> <li>-Newborn Medical Home Visits</li> <li>-Home Visiting for At-Risk Families</li> <li>-Behavioral Consultant Services for Parents and Daycare</li> <li>-Dental and Oral Health Services</li> <li>-Infant Immunizations</li> <li>-Healthcare Access and Connection to Insurance</li> <li>-Literacy Services</li> <li>-Preschool Programs</li> </ul>	State Tobacco Tax funds (Prop 10)	Toll Free: 866-726-8831 Phone: 619-230-6460 Fax: 619-230-6466  Or, call 2-1-1
Head Start/ Early Head Start ( <a href="http://www.headstartinfo.org">www.headstartinfo.org</a> )	EHS 0-3 years old HS 3-5 years old	Income only, but 10% of slots may be given to those exceeding the max. income; 10% of slots must be used by kids with disabilities	Income less than Federal Poverty level (at least 90 % of families)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Early childhood education</li> <li>-Medical</li> <li>-Dental</li> <li>-Nutrition</li> <li>-Parenting</li> <li>-Special Ed</li> <li>-Speech</li> </ul>	Federal	Central/Countywide: Neighborhood House Phone: 858-715-2642 East: Alpha Kappa Alpha Phone: 619-444-0503 South: Episcopal Community Services: Phone: 619-228-2800 North: Metropolitan Area Advisory Community Phone: 760-471-4210 Rincon: San Luiseno Band of Mission Indians Phone: 760-751-9821

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HOPE Infant Family Support Program ( <a href="http://www.sdcoe.net/student/eeps/hope">www.sdcoe.net/student/eeps/hope</a> )	Birth to 3 years old	Show a significant delay in at least one area of development or have a condition with a known probability of causing a disability or delay.	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Explore ways to play and interact to promote their child's development.</li> <li>-Discuss issues relevant to their concerns, priorities and resources.</li> <li>-Connect with other families of children with special needs.</li> <li>-Incorporate learning opportunities into daily routines and activities.</li> <li>-Access other services</li> </ul>	Federal (IDEA) State	Referral Desk Phone: (760) 761-5581  Or, contact Lois Pastore, Senior Director Phone: (858) 292-3801 FAX: (858) 569-5394
Regional Center ( <a href="http://www.sdrc.org">www.sdrc.org</a> )	No upper age limit. Must have DD starting before 18 years old	Developmental disability constituting a substantial handicap and expected to be lifelong (e.g., mental retardation, autism, CP)	None	Case Mgmt Respite Dx/eval/tx Behavior Modification Advocacy	State: Lanterman Mental Retardation Services Act of 1969	San Diego Regional Center Phone: 858/496-4318 Fax: 858/496-4302 E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@sdrc.org">info@sdrc.org</a> <a href="http://www.sdrc.org">www.sdrc.org</a>
School System-Special Education ( <a href="http://www.sdcoe.net/speced/welcome.asp">www.sdcoe.net/speced/welcome.asp</a> )	3 to 21 years old	Students with disabilities including: LD, MR, Visually impaired, Deaf/HOH, Speech delay	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Education in least restrictive environment</li> <li>-OT/PT</li> <li>-Adaptive PE</li> <li>-Speech Tx</li> <li>-Nursing</li> </ul>	Federal (IDEA) State	Diane Davies Administrative Assistant II Phone: 858-292-3560 Fax: 858-5381  Or, contact Carolyn Nunes Senior Director Phone: 858-292-3774