

Birth - Age 5 Programs in the Vancouver Area

If you are a family with a child(ren) with special needs between the ages of birth-5, there are several agencies available to support you and your child(ren), even before they are age appropriate for Kindergarten. The goal is to advance children's success through developmental activities and parent education while equipping families with the knowledge and skills to advocate for continued success. You and your child may qualify for any of the following services through the district:

- Occupational Therapy
- Speech/Language Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Early Childhood Special Education (Preschool)
- Specialized instruction in Early Intervention (Birth to age 3)

Early Support for Infants and Toddlers (ESIT) Referral

360-750-7507

For birth-3 services: Early Intervention

Special Services- Evergreen Public Schools

360.604.6700

Preschool developmental screening through Special Education

Other Community Options:

If you're interested in accessing private therapies through your insurance or seeing what other great resources are available within our community contact:

Innovative Services Northwest	360.892.5142
Clark College Child & Family Studies Program	360.992.2392
PRIDE for Kids!	360.759.4917

These agencies offer many different things to our families, including:

- Feeding and swallowing therapies
- Neuro-Developmental Treatment
- Parent and Family Education
- Workshops
- Training/Classes
- Parent Support, Training & Networking
- Individual sessions and/or small groups
- Specialized classes
- Advocacy and Empowerment

Childcare and Preschool:

If you're interested in preschool for your child(ren) or are looking for childcare, contact:

Educational Opportunities for Children and Families (EOCF)	360.567.2720
Head Start, Early Head Start, and ECEAP at no cost to eligible families	

Educational Service District (ESD 112)

360.952.3470

Head Start and ECEAP at no cost to eligible families

Childcare Aware 1-800-466-1114

Childcare Resources for the State of Washington

Evergreen Early Learning Partners

360.604.4004

Resources for childcare and preschools that Partner with Evergreen Public School http://evergreenps.org/Article-View/early-learning