

For more information about West Virginia Birth to Three visit our website at:

www.wvdhhr.org/birth23

1-800-642-9704



WV Birth to Three services and supports are provided under Part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)

and administered through the

Office of Maternal, Child and Family Health,

West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources

Individuals may enroll in the system independently or through payee agencies. Consult the website for information on entry level personnel standards, enrollment, and ongoing training and credential requirements.

For more information about enrolling with West Virginia Birth to Three as a service coordinator or a practitioner, visit our website at:

www.wv.eikids.com

or call

1-866-639-2916



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“The daily challenges are very difficult to do alone,

but with WV Birth to

Three services it makes life easier...”

Marci Osburn~ parent

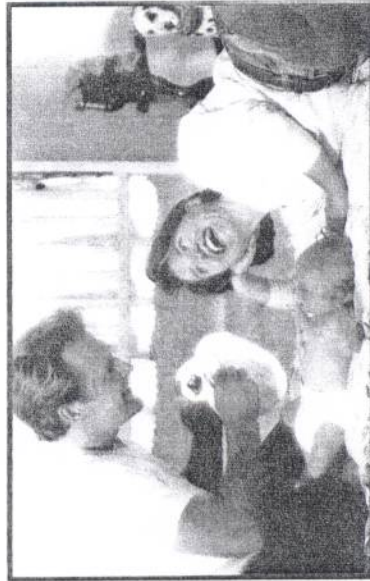
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Practitioner Recruitment



When a family experiences the birth of a child with a disability or becomes concerned about their child's development, they want information that can help them help their child. They may look for support from important people in their lives. Sometimes families want more information from professionals who understand child development and have knowledge about their child's disability. West Virginia Birth to Three can provide that support.



Would you like to get involved in WV Birth to Three?

WV Birth to Three needs service practitioners and service coordinators who can work together with families and community partners to identify children who might have developmental delays or be at risk of delays. We need individuals who can support these families as they help their children grow and learn.

Service coordinators

- link families to needed financial resources
- help the family coordinate and evaluate their service needs
- help the family and child's support team to communicate and stay in touch

Qualifications:

- bachelors degree in a human service field or in another closely related field with early childhood training
- parents of children who received early intervention services
- meet entry standards

Service practitioners provide information and support to infants and toddlers with special needs and their families.

Qualifications:

- background in early childhood education, preschool special education, social work, nutrition, physical therapy, counseling, nursing, occupational therapy, speech pathology, psychology, orientation and mobility, vision, deaf education, health care , or audiology
- meet the entry level standards

See **WV Birth to Three Personnel Guide** for details of qualifications.

All services and supports are provided in accordance with Part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Training is provided to help you understand the requirements of IDEA.

