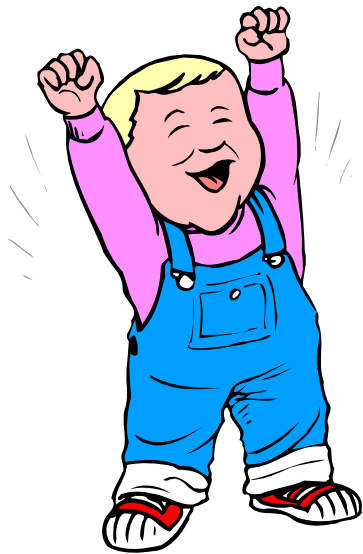


Children develop differently . . .

Early Intervention helps children reach their potential and prepare for successful learning experiences.



**Participating Agencies
and Programs**

Rice County Public Health
Rice County Social Services
Northfield School District
Faribault School District
Medford School District
Morristown School District
Minnesota State Academies



Rice County Public Health Nursing Service – 08/28/06.jn

**Wondering
About Your
Child?**



Why Wait and See?

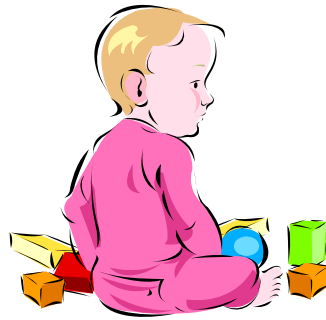
**Rice County
Early Intervention
Tel. (507) 333-6804
or (507) 649-0172**

What is Early Intervention?

A program to help families find resources that promote the development of their child.

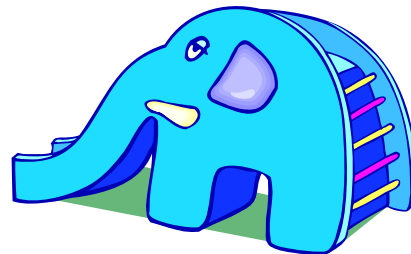
Family centered services provided at home and in the community for children birth to age 3.

A developmental screening, and if necessary, an assessment can be done at no charge to the family.

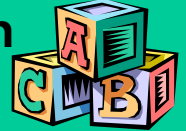


**Rice County
Early Intervention
offers at no cost
information, support
and referral services
to families of children
with special needs.**

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**For Children Age
Birth to 3 years
Early
Intervention
Provides:**



- ◆ a single point of entry to services;
- ◆ assistance in determining needs and locating resources;
- ◆ support and guidance to families in accessing services such as:

- screening and assessment of child's needs
- special education
- physical therapy
- speech therapy
- occupational therapy
- respite care
- family education training and support
- social services
- nursing services
- mental health services

