Learn the Signs. Act Early.

You know your child best

If your child is not meeting milestones or you are concerned about the way your child plays, learns, speaks, acts, or moves, talk with your child's doctor, share your concerns and ask for a developmental screening.

If you or the doctor is still concerned:

- **1.** Ask for a referral to a specialist and,
- **2.** Call for a free evaluation to find out if your child can get services to help:

If your child is under age 3: Call your state or territory's early intervention program.

Learn more and find the phone number at: cdc.gov/FindEl

If your child is age 3 or older: Call any local public elementary school.

For more on how to help your child, visit <u>cdc.gov/ActEarly</u> or call 1-800-232-4636

Don't Wait. Acting early can make a real difference!

See below for a list of local resources

Regional Center Early Start Program

Tri Counties Regional Center tri-counties.org

- Santa Maria 805-922-4640
- Santa Barbara 805-962-7881
- San Luis Obispo 805-543-2833
 - Simi Valley 805-522-8030
 - Atascadero 805-461-7402
 - Oxnard 805-485-3177

Family Resource Centers

Rainbow Connection FRC 805-485-9643 • <u>rainbowconnectionfrc.weebly.com</u>

> Parent Helping Parents 805-543-3277 • <u>ucp-slo.org</u>

Alpha Resource Center Santa Barbara 805-683-2145 • <u>alphasb.org</u>

Special Education Local Plan Areas (SELPA)

San Luis Obispo SELPA 805-782-7301 • <u>sloselpa.org</u>

Santa Barbara SELPA 805-683-1424 • <u>sbcselpa.org</u>

Ventura County SELPA 805-437-1560 • <u>vcselpa.org</u>

Additional Resources

Help Me Grow Ventura County 805-981-6617 • <u>helpmegrowvc.org</u>

Milestone Moments



Milestones Matter!

Look inside for milestones to watch for in your child and tips for how you can help your child learn and grow.



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Your Child's Early Development is a Journey

These are just a few of many important milestones to look for. For complete checklists for your child's age visit <u>www.cdc.gov/Milestones</u> or download CDC's free Milestone Tracker app.

