



## PART C EARLY INTERVENTION RESOURCES

Health care providers, including pediatricians, parents, social service workers, and YOU are just some of the people who can refer an infant or toddler for early intervention. Families do not have to wait for a referral from a pediatrician. YOU can assist families to find your community's early intervention office with the following resources:

- Call the state department of health or education
- Reach out to the Parent Training and Information Center in your state :
  - <https://www.parentcenterhub.org/find-your-center/>
- Ask the pediatrician for a referral
- Visit the Early Childhood Technical Assistance Center's state-by-state contacts page:
  - <https://ectacenter.org/contact/ptccoord.asp>
- Visit the CDC's U.S. State, Commonwealth & Territory Early Intervention Contacts list:
  - <https://www.cdc.gov/ncbddd/actearly/parents/state-text.html>

When a call is made, explain that there are concerns for the child's development and request information on the evaluation process. Request for an evaluation is covered under Part C federal law and is typically free to families.