

Does your Child (aged 3 to 5) Have Special Needs?

Early Intervention programs offer many services to help children with special needs such as:

- Delayed or unusual development
- Vision problems
- Health problems
- Hearing loss
- Autism
- Brain injury
- Speech or language problems

This page will help you find the services you need for your child and your family.

At 3 years, the school system provides Early Intervention



Call: You're Local Education Agency (LEA):

Asheville City Schools	350-7000
Buncombe County Schools	255-5972
Henderson County Schools	697-4566
Madison County Schools	649-9276
Transylvania County Schools	885-7373

If appropriate, this program will:

- Evaluate your child
- Develop a special education plan for your child called an Individual Education Program (IEP)
- Provide special services for your child at child care or other suitable location
 - Provide special education and related support

CARE Coordination for Children



Call: CARE Coordination for Children (CC4C)

Buncombe County	250-5299
Henderson County Health Department	694-6089
Madison County Health Department	649-3531
Transylvania County Health Department	885-7373

If your child qualifies, CC4C will at no charge:

- Help your family identify your strengths and concerns
- Connect you with other services and resources
- Identify ways to strengthen the parent-child relationship

If you need more help



Call:

Exceptional Children's Assistance Center:.....	1-800-962-6817
Family Support Network of WNC.....	1-888-810-2800 x2
F.I.R.S.T.....	277-1315