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What is AzEIP

- Statewide interagency
- Provides services to infants and toddler birth through two years of age
- Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part C
- Team Based Early Intervention Services

AzEIP serves an average of 16,000 infants & toddlers yearly!

Initial Planning Process (IPP)

Referral

- Central Referral System
- Raising Special Kids
- Starts the 45-day timeline
- Consent to Share

Assigned to AzEIP Service Providing Agency

- Family's zip code
- Service Coordination
- Email to Referring source

Initial Phone Call / Initial Visit

- Sharing of information
- Screening

Evaluation / Eligibility Decision

- Review of Records
- Multidisciplinary Evaluation Team
- Developmental Evaluation Report

Individualized Family Service Plan

- Child and Family Assessment
- IFSP
- Ends the 45-day timeline

Evaluation and Eligibility

Arizona Early Intervention Program (AzEIP)

- 50% developmental delay in one or more developmental domains
- Established Condition (Medical records with a diagnosis)
- Informed Clinical Opinion

Arizona State Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (ASDB)

- Unilateral or bilateral vision loss
- Unilateral or bilateral hearing loss

Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD)

- Cerebral Palsy
- Epilepsy
- Autism
- Cognitive/Intellectual
- Down Syndrome
- At risk for any of the above*



Contact Information

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To make a referral

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