

# Early Development Resources for HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS & EARLY CHILDHOOD PROFESSIONALS

Resource	Type	Description	Target Audience	Source	Age Target	Cost
<a href="#">ASQ Provider Training</a>	Platform to access trainings	Helps providers understand and implement the ASQ. Includes digital training with DVDs, online learning sessions, information regarding on-site training and training of trainers seminar.	Professionals administering the ASQ	<a href="#">Ages and Stages Questionnaires (ASQ)</a>	1 month to 6 years of age	Cost is dependent on type of service
<a href="#">ASQ Screening Navigator</a>	Online tool, downloadable/printable tip sheets	Explains how to implement ASQ screenings. Includes tip sheets ( <a href="#">referral tips</a> , <a href="#">checklist of materials needed to communicate with parents</a> , <a href="#">tips on sharing screening results with families</a> , and more).	Professionals administering the ASQ	<a href="#">Ages and Stages Questionnaires (ASQ)</a>	1 month to 6 years of age	Free
<a href="#">Birth to 5, Watch me Thrive! Campaign</a>	Guides, compilation of screening tools	Encourages healthy child development through developmental screenings. Includes provider guides on developmental screenings that are intended to be used in conjunction with the <a href="#">Compendium of Screening Measures for Young Children</a> , which lists and discusses different research-based screening tools for children under the age of 5.	<a href="#">Communities, early care and education professionals</a> , and providers of: <a href="#">early intervention services</a> , <a href="#">primary care</a> , <a href="#">child welfare</a> , <a href="#">home visits</a> , <a href="#">behavioral health services</a> , <a href="#">housing/homeless services</a>	<a href="#">Administration for Children and Families (ACF)</a>	Birth to 5 years of age	Free
<a href="#">Bright Futures Initiative</a>	Downloadable/printable Guides, tool kits	Provides guidance on the topics of preventative care screenings and well-child visits. Includes: Bright Futures guidelines on <a href="#">infancy/early childhood</a> and accompanying <a href="#">pocket-guide</a> (both discuss health supervision during well-child visits), nutritional guide, Performing Preventive Services Handbook (guide on performing/ billing screening and providing counseling on children's development) and a tool kit (includes <a href="#">assessment forms</a> and screening reference tables for <a href="#">infancy</a> and <a href="#">early childhood</a> ).	Pediatricians/primary care providers and early childhood professionals	<a href="#">American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)</a>	Includes (but is not limited to) children from birth to 5 years of age	Mostly free, full tool kit is \$375, guidelines available for purchase for \$69.95, pocket-guide for \$16.95
<a href="#">Critical Competencies Professional Development</a>	Professional development products, trainings	Elevates best practices regarding early childhood development. Includes online and in-person courses, training and technical assistance, coaching programs and a reflection tool.	Early care and education professionals	<a href="#">ZERO TO THREE</a>	Birth to 3 years of age	Cost is dependent on type of service
<a href="#">Center on the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning Website</a>	Website with guides on best practices, trainings	Includes decision making guides (ex: <a href="#">How to Choose a Social-Emotional Curriculum</a> ), research syntheses (ex: <a href="#">Early Childhood Mental Health Consultation</a> ), practical strategies, "What Works" briefs (ex: <a href="#">Understanding the Impact of Language Differences on Classroom Behavior</a> ), training kits based on the briefs (ex: <a href="#">Understanding the Impact of Language Differences on Classroom Behavior</a> ), and training modules.	Early care and education professionals, coaches and trainers	<a href="#">Center on the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning (CSEFEL)</a>	Birth to 5 years of age	Free

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<a href="#">Center on the Developing Child Resource Library</a>	Informational website	Repository for briefs, videos, presentations from professionals, reports and tools/guides. Intended to present research on child development in an accessible way.	Pediatricians/primary care providers, early childhood professionals	<a href="#">Harvard University Center on the Developing Child</a>	Early childhood	Free
<a href="#">Developmental and Behavioral Screening Guide for ECEs</a>	Guide	Explains what developmental and behavioral screening is, why it is an important part of early childhood development, how to engage and refer families, how to screen and what tools to use.	Early childhood professionals	<a href="#">WestEd Center for Prevention &amp; Early Intervention</a>	Early childhood	Free
<a href="#">Early Childhood Training and Technical Assistance System</a>	Informational website	Repository for briefs, tools, fact sheets, guides and informational products on child development and general health.	Child serving practitioners, training and technical assistance providers, and state-level professionals	<a href="#">Administration for Children &amp; Families (ACF)</a>	Early childhood	Free
<a href="#">Hanan Centre Programs for Educators</a>	Training program	Provides guidance to early childhood educators on how to promote communication and literacy skills among students. Program consists of group training sessions and individual feedback/coaching sessions.	Early care and education professionals	<a href="#">The Hanan Centre</a>	Early childhood	<a href="#">Contact Hanan Center</a> for cost, minimum \$44.95 for guidebooks
<a href="#">HealthySteps Program</a>	Professional development program	HealthySteps Specialist joins a health provider and supplies families with help with referrals, on-demand support between visits, care coordination, and home visiting services. Specialists also help providers with professional development regarding family system issues, child/family mental health and early child development.	Pediatricians/primary care providers	<a href="#">ZERO TO THREE</a>	Birth to 3 years of age	<a href="#">Contact HealthySteps</a> for cost
<a href="#">Learn the Signs, Act Early Campaign</a>	Tip sheets, activity toolkit	Encourages professionals to learn the signs of healthy development and act promptly to address concerns of developmental delays. Includes instructions on sharing milestone materials with caregivers, <a href="#">tips on discussing developmental delays with parents</a> , “Promising Practices” page, and <a href="#">Go Out and Play! Kit</a> .	Pediatricians/primary care providers and early childhood professionals	<a href="#">Center for Disease Control (CDC)</a>	2 months to 5 years of age	Free
<a href="#">Mind in the Making Skill Building Opportunities</a>	Tip sheets	Offers answers to behavioral questions frequently posed by families during well-child visits. Tips draw on AAP recommendations and can be used by pediatricians to encourage parents to help their children develop life skills.	Pediatricians/primary care providers	<a href="#">Bezos Family Foundation</a>	Early childhood	Free

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<a href="#">Parents' Evaluation of Developmental Status (PEDS) Trainings</a>	Online trainings	Intended to help pediatricians/primary care providers fully understand and implement the screening tool. Trainings were developed by the <a href="#">Arizona Chapter of the AAP</a> and the <a href="#">Royal Children's Hospital</a> in Melbourne.	Professionals administering PEDS	<a href="#">Arizona Chapter of the AAP</a> and the <a href="#">Royal Children's Hospital</a>	Birth to 8 years of age	Arizona AAP training is \$30, Royal Children's Hospital costs vary depending on course
<a href="#">STAR Center</a>	Informational website	Highlights information and services related to developmental milestones, maternal depression, and social determinants of health. Includes: screening recommendations, applied practice tools, online screening tool finder, individualized assistance, interactive online training, and information on communicating with families.	Pediatricians/primary care providers and early childhood professionals	<a href="#">American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)</a>	Includes (but is not limited to) children from birth to 5 years of age	Free
<a href="#">Survey of Well-being of Young Children (SWYC)</a>	Screening tool	Screens for fine and gross motor, language, social, cognitive, behavioral and emotional development, family risk factors and autism. SWYC webpages include information on implementation, scoring, training, translated versions of the survey and more.	Early childhood professionals	<a href="#">Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center</a>	2 months to 5 years of age	Free
<a href="#">Tips for ECE Providers</a>	Activity book	Aims to encourage healthy early child development through play. Originally developed for children with autism but can be used during play with all children.	Early care and education professionals	<a href="#">ACF and National Institute of Child Health and Development</a>	Early childhood	Free
<a href="#">Watch Me! Training</a>	Online training course	Designed to help ECEs better understand their role in developmental monitoring. Certificates of Completion with Continuing Education are offered.	Early care and education professionals	<a href="#">Center for Disease Control (CDC)</a>	Birth to 5 years of age	Free

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