

An Informed Referral Network is comprised of community partners working together to serve young children and their families. Relationships with community partners have proven to be the most effective practice in identifying children with disabilities.

These partnerships provide an opportunity to learn more about screening young children and providing information about community resources.

INFORMED REFERRAL NETWORK

One Tapestry ... Many Threads



COMMUNITY PARTNERS may include:

Advocates
Bilingual Services
Child Care Providers
Childcare Resource and Referral
County Agencies
County Birth to 3 Programs
Domestic Abuse Services
Faith Based Organizations
Families
Family Resource Centers
Guardians

Head Start/Early Head Start
Health Care Providers
Health/Social Service Departments
Higher Education
Homeless Liaisons
Home Visiting Programs
Law Enforcement
Local School Districts
Migrant Services
Parents
Physicians/Doctors

Preschool Providers
Public, Private, and Home Schools
Public Libraries
Recreation Service Providers
Service Clubs
Shelters
State Agencies
Tribal Head Start
Tribal Service Providers
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
Other