

# CONCERNED

## About a Child's Development?

ACT EARLY AND REFER TO OHIO EARLY INTERVENTION



### EVERY CHILD IS UNIQUE.

As someone who regularly works and engages with children, you know that every child grows and develops differently. However, if you suspect that a child has a delay or disability, the best thing you can do is discuss those concerns with the child's family and refer the child to Ohio Early Intervention (EI).

Ohio Early Intervention is part of the Help Me Grow system of supports ([www.HelpMeGrow.org](http://www.HelpMeGrow.org)) and serves families with children birth to age 3 who have developmental delays or disabilities so that they have the best possible start in life.

### THE EARLIER YOU REFER A CHILD, THE BETTER.

Research shows that starting intervention services early gives a child the best chance to learn and grow, and early support can reduce the need for services later in life. There is no need to "wait and see."

### REFER A FAMILY TODAY.

Contact **800-755-4769** or visit [www.OhioEarlyIntervention.org](http://www.OhioEarlyIntervention.org)



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