

Developmental and Child Education Resources



Developmental Resources in Washington, D.C.

Strong Start Program

The Strong Start DC Early Intervention Program is a statewide, comprehensive system that provides early intervention therapeutic services for infants and toddlers with disabilities and developmental delays and their families.

- **Address:** 1050 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20002
- **Phone:** 202-727-3665 **Fax:** 202-724-7230
- **Website:** osse.dc.gov/service/strong-start-dc-early-intervention-program-dc-eip

Early Stages Program

Early Stages is a diagnostic center for children between the ages of 10 months to 8 years old. This DC Public Schools center helps to identify any delays that your child may have and arranges services to address them.

- **Walker Jones Location:** 1125 New Jersey Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20001
- **Phone:** 202-698-8037 **Fax:** 202-654-6079
- **Minnesota Avenue Location:** 4058 Minnesota Ave NE, Suite 1500 Washington, DC 20019
- **Phone:** 202-442-7201 **Fax:** 202-654-6079
- **Website:** earlystagesdc.org

Children's National Center for Autism Spectrum Disorders

The Center for Autism Spectrum Disorders is a multidisciplinary team comprised of pediatric autism specialists. These experts work together to provide the best possible care for autistic youth, and lead research to understand the underpinnings of autism and effective approaches to maximize autistic youth outcomes.

- **This program can be found at the following Children's National locations:** Friendship Heights, Neuropsychology at Montgomery County, Northern Virginia, Prince George's County and Takoma Theatre
- **Phone:** 301-765-5430 **Website:** childrensnational.org/departments/center-for-neuroscience-and-behavioral-medicine/programs-and-services/center-for-autism-spectrum-disorders

To reach the Children's National Department of Family Services-Social Work Services call **202-476-3070** or visit our website at childrensnational.org/visit/resources-for-families/family-services/social-work



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School Resources in Washington, D.C.

My School DC Program

The My School DC common lottery is a single, random lottery that determines placement for new students at all participating schools. Student-school matches are based on the number of available spaces at each school; sibling, in-boundary, and other lottery preferences; how each student ranked their school choices; and each student's random lottery number.

- **Email:** info.myschooldc@dc.gov
- **Phone:** 202-888-6336
- **Website:** myschooldc.org

District of Columbia Public Schools

Early Stages is a DC Public Schools diagnostic center for children between the ages of 2 years 8 months and 5 years 10 months. We help identify any delays that your child may have, and we arrange services to address them.

- **Address:** 1200 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002
- **Phone:** 202-442-5885 **Fax:** 202-442-5026
- **Minnesota Avenue Location:** 4058 Minnesota Ave NE, Suite 1500 Washington, DC 20019
- **Phone:** 202-442-7201 **Fax:** 202-654-6079
- **Website:** dcps.dc.gov

Developmental Resources in Maryland

Maryland Infants and Toddlers Program

The Maryland Infants and Toddlers Program (MITP) directs a family-centered system of early intervention services for young children with developmental delays and disabilities and their families.

- **Phone:** 410-767-0238 **Fax:** 410-333-8165
- **Website:** marylandpublicschools.org/programs/Pages/Special-Education/MITP/index.aspx

To reach the Children's National Department of Family Services-Social Work Services call **202-476-3070** or visit our website at childrensnational.org/visit/resources-for-families/family-services/social-work

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Preschool Special Education Services

Maryland's system of Preschool Special Education Services provides specialized instruction and related services, such as speech-language therapy, physical and occupational therapy, to young children, ages three to five, determined eligible under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and in accordance with State regulations for special education.

- **Phone:** 410-767-0238 **Fax:** 410-333-8165
- **Website:** marylandpublicschools.org/programs/Pages/Special-Education/MITP/PreschoolServices.aspx

Child Find Program

Maryland has family support services coordinators in each jurisdiction that assist families of children with disabilities ages birth to 21.

- **Website:** health.maryland.gov/mmcp/epsdt/healthykids/pdf/ChildFindContacts-12-03.pdf

The Arc of Maryland

The Arc Maryland is the largest statewide nonprofit organization dedicated to the rights and quality of life of persons with I/DD and their families. We do this through public policy, advocacy, public awareness, and training and membership support.

- **Address:** 8601 Robert Fulton Drive, Suite 140 Columbia, MD 21046
- **Phone:** 410-571-9320
- **Website:** thearcmd.org

The Parents' Place of Maryland

Parents' Place offers a variety of programs and services that continue to support families of children with disabilities and special health care needs. Serving as Maryland's Parent Training and Information Center and Family-to-Family Health Information Center, Parents' Place supports thousands of Maryland families each year.

- **Phone:** 410-768-9100 **Fax:** 410-768-0830
- **Website:** ppmd.org

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Disability Rights Maryland

Disability Rights Maryland provides free legal services to Marylanders of any age with all types of disabilities (developmental, intellectual, psychiatric, physical, sensory, learning, traumatic brain injury) who live in facilities in the community or who are homeless.

- **Phone:** 410-727-6352 **Fax:** 410-727-6389
- **Website:** disabilityrightsmd.org

School Resources in Maryland

Maryland Public Schools

- **Address:** 200 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201
- **Phone:** 410-767-0100
- **Website:** marylandpublicschools.org/Pages/default.aspx

Prince George's County

- **Address:** 14201 School Lane, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772
- **Phone:** 301-952-6000
- **Website:** pgcps.org

Montgomery Public Schools

- **Address:** 850 Hungerford Drive, Rockville, MD 20850
- **Phone:** 240-740-3000
- **Website:** montgomeryschoolsmd.org

Calvert County Public Schools

- **Address:** 1305 Dares Beach Road, Prince Frederick, MD 20678
- **Phone:** 443-550-8000 **Fax:** 410-286-1358
- **Website:** calvertnet.k12.md.us

St. Mary's County Public Schools

- **Address:** 23160 Moakley Street Leonardtown, MD 20650
- **Website:** smcps.org

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Developmental Resources in Virginia

Infant and Toddler Connection

The Infant & Toddler Connection of Fairfax-Falls Church provides evaluations and early intervention services for infants and toddlers (up to age 3) who have a developmental delay or a diagnosis that may lead to developmental delays.

- **Phone:** 703-246-7121 **Fax:** 703-653-1385
- **Website:** itcva.online/system-overview

School Resources in Virginia

Fairfax County Public Schools

- **Address:** 8115 Gatehouse Road Falls Church, VA 22042
- **Phone:** 571-423-3000
- **Website:** fcps.edu/contact-us

Arlington County Public Schools

- **Address:** 2110 Washington Blvd Arlington, VA 22204
- **Phone:** 703-228-8000
- **Website:** apsva.us

Alexandria City Public Schools

- **Address:** 1340 Braddock Place Alexandria, VA 22314
- **Phone:** 703-619-8000
- **Website:** acps.k12.va.us

For more information, please contact the **Department of Family Services-Social Work Services** at 202-476-3070 or visit our resources page by scanning the QR code.

