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For more information about the Tennessee Early Childhood Outcomes collection information, parents are encouraged to talk with their service coordinator.

Please call Tennessee's Early Intervention System if you have any questions or would like to make a referral.

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## Tennessee Early Intervention System: Early Childhood Outcomes

What parents should know about assessing a child's progress within the Part C infant toddler program.



Tennessee Early Intervention System



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# What Parents Should Know

In Tennessee, young children with disabilities receive services through the Department of Education, in a program that operates under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). The U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) identified three early childhood outcomes to examine the effectiveness of programs serving children with disabilities from birth through two years of age.

**These early childhood outcomes are:**

- 1. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationships).**
- 2. Acquisitions and use of knowledge and skills.**
- 3. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs.**

To determine a child's progress, information is collected at two points in time:

- When a child first enters early intervention
- Every six months until he or she exits from the early intervention program

This information is submitted into a statewide data collection system administered through the Tennessee Department of Education, called Tennessee Early Intervention Data System (TEIDS).

The data serve as a report on effectiveness of early childhood programs in Tennessee. Because no personally identifiable information is available to the public, and this is a federal requirement, parents cannot opt their child out of having early childhood outcome information collected and submitted by the local program.

Parents can be assured that security measures are in place to keep individual information secure and confidential.

