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| **To:** | All Medi-Cal IPAs and PCPs |
| **From:** | IEHP – Provider Relations |
| **Date:** | May 23, 2025 |
| **Subject:** | **REMINDER – Early Start Program – Refer and Review** |

The Early Start Program provides coordinated and family-centered, early intervention services for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families, following an assessment outlined in an Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP).

**Refer Members** by filling out an online referral form at inlandrc.org/eligibility if you suspect a child (ages 0-36 months) may have a developmental delay in one or more of the following areas:

- Cognitive
- Receptive Communication
- Expressive Communication

- Social
- Emotional

- Adaptive
- Motor Development (Vision and Hearing)

**Review the Early Start roster regularly on our secure portal** to confirm your patients who may be accessing services through Inland Regional Center and coordinate care accordingly:



- Select **Rosters** from the navigation panel and then **Early Start Roster**.

- When checking Member Eligibility, an **aler**t will appear indicating if a Member is enrolled in the Early Start Program. Clicking the alert will also reroute you to the roster.

Information about the Inland Regional Center (IRC) Early Start Program can be found here or **DDS.ca.gov** > Services > Early Start

Questions? Please contact the IEHP Provider Call Center at (909) 890-2054, (866) 223-4347 or email ProviderServices@iehp.org

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