



California Resources for the Detection of Cerebral Palsy

Is there a concern about your baby's development or possible Cerebral Palsy?

Here's how to get help now!¹

Doctor

- Have a conversation about your concerns
- Bring your baby's medical records
- Ask for a screening test of development
- Ask for referrals to providers who can diagnose cerebral palsy

Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)

- If your baby was in the NICU, call your doctor.
- Ask if your baby may be eligible for a High Risk Infant Follow up (HRIF) visit

High Risk Infant Follow Up Clinic (HRIF)²

A clinic designed to evaluate the medical & developmental needs of infants with early medical challenges such as a pre-term birth or brain injury

- Make or keep all appointments because babies do better with early treatment.

Next Step: Your child may be eligible for one or all services. Ask for a referral or call to self refer*

Regional Center³

A state funded local agency that will evaluate eligibility for the Early Start program and home based physical therapy and occupational therapy for 0-3 year olds

California Children's Services (CCS)⁴

A state agency that will evaluate eligibility for medical care, therapy at a medical therapy unit, and financial assistance for services provided by CCS. CCS can refer to HRIF if eligible or not already referred.

Outpatient Therapy Services

Pediatric Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, and Speech Therapy. These may be covered by private insurance or Medi-Cal.

*For more information visit:

Or call:

1. **Developmental concerns** : <https://www.yourcpf.org/signs-and-symptoms/>

2. **HRIF**: <https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/Pages/HRIF.aspx>

3. **Regional Center**: <https://www.dds.ca.gov/rc/>

4. **CCS**: <https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/Pages/ProgramOverview.aspx>

5. **Early Start**: <https://www.dds.ca.gov/services/early-start/>

call your NICU

833-421-0061

800-288-4584

800-515-2229