



EARLY STEPS REFERRAL CONTACT LIST



Anyone can refer a child to an Early Steps in Florida by calling the **Early Steps Central Directory** at **1-800-218-0001**.

Early Steps is available in all Florida counties. Services are available to any child and family who meet developmental eligibility criteria, regardless of income. Participation in Early Steps is voluntary and referrals are directed to local Early Steps teams that help children and families access needed services.

For more information, contact the **Early Steps** program for your **local area**.



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Bay Area

Counties Served: *Hillsborough, Polk*
University of South Florida
13101 North Bruce B. Downs Boulevard
Tampa, Florida 33612
Toll Free: (866) 549-1740
Phone: (813) 974-0602
Fax: (813) 558-1343

Big Bend

Counties Served: *Gadsden, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Madison, Taylor, Wakulla, Franklin*
Children's Home Society
1801 Miccosukee Commons Drive
Tallahassee, Florida 32308
Toll Free: (866) 696-8765
Phone: (850) 921-0330
Fax: (850) 921-0283

Panama City

Counties Served: *Bay, Calhoun, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Washington*
Children's Home Society
914 Harrison Avenue
Panama City, Florida 32401
(850) 747-5411
Fax: (850) 747-5583

Central Florida

Counties Served: *Orange, Osceola, Seminole*
Central Florida Early Steps
601 West Michigan Street
Orlando, Florida 32805
(407) 317-7430 Ext. 2121
(407) 648-4150
Fax: (321) 843-2108

Gold Coast

County Served: *Broward*
Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center
1401 South Federal Highway
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33316-2619
Phone for Broward County Referrals at Child Find: (754) 321-7200
(954) 728-1083
CDTC Early Steps: (954) 728-1083
Fax: (954) 779-2316

Gulf Central

Counties Served: *Charlotte, Desoto, Hardee, Highlands, Manatee, Sarasota*
Health Planning Council
4630 17th Street
Sarasota, Florida 34235-1843
(941) 487-5400
Fax: (941) 487-5430

North Beaches

Counties Served: *Volusia, Flagler, Lake, Sumter, Putnam*
Easter seals Northeast Central
1673 Mason Avenue Suite 100
Daytona Beach, Florida 32117
(386) 873-0365
Fax: (386) 873-0366

North Central

Counties Served: *Alachua, Columbia, Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Lafayette, Levy, Marion, Suwannee, Union*
Department of Pediatrics
1329 Southwest 16th Street, Room 4160
Post Office Box 100296
Gainesville, Florida 32610-0296
(352) 273-8555
Fax: (352) 294-8088

North Dade

County Served: *North Dade*
1120 Northwest 14th Street, Room 1216
Miami, Florida 33136
(305) 243-6660
Fax: (305) 243-3501

Northeastern

Counties Served: *Baker, Bradford, Clay, Duval, Nassau, St. Johns*
910 North Jefferson Street
Jacksonville, Florida 32209
(904) 360-7022
Fax: (904) 798-4545 or (904) 798-4544

Southernmost Coast

Counties Served: *South Dade, Monroe*
Nicklaus Children's Hospital
17615 Southwest 97th Avenue
Palmetto Bay, Florida 33157
Main: (786) 268-2611
Toll Free: (888) MCH-STEP
Fax: (786) 268-1748



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Southwest Florida

Counties Served: Collier, Lee, Hendry, Glades

Health Planning Council
8961 Daniels Center Drive, Suite 401
Ft. Myers, Florida 33912
(239) 433-6700
Toll free: (866) 547-2793
Fax: (239) 433-6703

Western Panhandle

Counties Served: Escambia, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Walton

Sacred Heart Hospital/Early Steps
5150 Bayou Boulevard, Suite 1-N
Pensacola, Florida 32503
(850) 416-7656
Toll free: (800) 281-1845
Fax: (850) 416-7348

Space Coast

County Served: Brevard

Catch of Brevard, Inc.
2565 Judge Fran Jamieson Way
Viera, Florida 32940
(321) 639-5887
Fax: (321) 504-0955

Treasure Coast

Counties Served: Palm Beach, Indian River, Martin, Okeechobee, St. Lucie

Easterseals Treasure Coast
1655 Palm Beach Lakes Boulevard, Suite 600
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
Phone for Palm Beach: (561) 881-2822
Toll-Free for Palm Beach: (866) 986-9486
Phone for Palm Beach Intake: (561) 882-6426
Phone for Other Counties: (772) 380-9972

West Central

Counties Served: Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas

Headquarters:
Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital
480 7th Avenue South,
St. Petersburg, Florida 33701
(800) 374-4334
(727) 767-4403
Fax: (727) 767-4715

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Post Office Box 31020 – Dept. 6500006005
St. Petersburg, Florida 33701

Florida's Early Steps Service Areas

