

DEVELOPMENT CHECKLIST

3 Months:

- ✓ Smiles and coos
- ✓ Eyes follow moving object
- ✓ Holds head up, and turns to sound
- ✓ Grasps object

4-6 Months:

- ✓ Laughs out loud
- ✓ Reaches for object, brings to mouth
- ✓ Turns from back to stomach; sits with little support
- ✓ Listens to own voice

7 Months:

- ✓ Transfers object from one hand to the other
- ✓ Belly crawls
- ✓ Shy to strangers
- ✓ Can sit for a few minutes without support

8 Months:

- ✓ Sits steadily for about five minutes
- ✓ Creeps on hands and knees
- ✓ Grasps things with thumb and first two fingers

9-12 Months:

- ✓ Says "mama", "dada", and two other words
- ✓ Drinks from cup when it is held
- ✓ Walks hanging on to furniture
- ✓ Waves bye-bye and finger feeds self

15-18 Months:

- ✓ Walks, stoops
- ✓ Begins using a spoon
- ✓ Scribbles on paper
- ✓ Builds tower of three blocks
- ✓ Says six words

24 Months:

- ✓ Runs; walks up and down steps
- ✓ Says at least 15 words
- ✓ Knows at least six body parts

36 Months:

- ✓ Repeats two numbers
- ✓ Knows his/her sex
- ✓ Dresses self (needs help with buttons)
- ✓ Draws a circle
- ✓ Can follow two commands
- ✓ Builds tower of nine blocks
- ✓ Jumps

The *Birth to Three* Program outlines a coordinated plan of services for eligible infants and toddlers. The service coordinator will work with

Birth to 3

Referrals can be made
by parents,
professionals, or
other interested
parties by phoning
Sheboygan County
Health and Human
Services ,
Division of
Public Health at:

459-3030

Or

1-800-596-1919

Ext. 3030

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EARLY INTERVENTION IS IMPORTANT

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Your Sheboygan County Health & Human Services

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**EARLY INTERVENTION
PROGRAM
FOR
INFANTS AND
TODDLERS
WITH
SPECIAL NEEDS**

Sheboygan County
Health and Human
Services Department
SCF-4039

Medical or developmental conditions
that could indicate a need for *Birth to
Three* services are:

your family to:

- ❖ Assess your family's needs, strengths, resources, and priorities
- ❖ Evaluate your child's development and determine eligibility for services
- ❖ Develop a Family Service Plan with expected outcomes and identified goals
- ❖ Provide information about medical services, parenting skills, and other specialized services
- ❖ Offer support and advocacy
- ❖ Make referrals and assist with transitions to appropriate agencies and schools

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*Because the first three
years build a lifetime.*

Wisconsin Department of Health & Family Services

The *Birth to Three* Program is for eligible infants and toddlers with significant developmental delays, and could include those diagnosed with cognitive delays, physical impairments, sensory problems, speech and language delays, or emotional disturbances.

- ❖ Cerebral Palsy
- ❖ Down Syndrome
- ❖ Seizure Disorders
- ❖ Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- ❖ AIDS
- ❖ Autism
- ❖ Chromosomal Abnormalities
- ❖ Metabolic Disorders
- ❖ Head Injuries
- ❖ Other Developmental Problems