

MOTOR THERAPY at Early Childhood Services is provided both by our on-staff Occupational Therapist as well as an Occupational Therapist and two Physical Therapists from the Southern Oregon Education Service District Regional services program. Services are incorporated into the daily home or classroom routines of the child whenever possible, and include adaptations and/or assistive devices when necessary to achieve this goal. Emphasis is on maximizing the child's functional motor skill level so he/she can participate in age appropriate learning and exploring activities necessary for development. Such skills might require intervention in the areas of gross motor mobility, positioning, transferring, fine motor object manipulation, grooming/dressing, feeding, sensory processing, and organizational play skills.

Therapy services might take the form of consultation with the child's family, daycare provider, or preschool staff, or it might involve the therapist working directly with the child in any of these settings.