

Community Resource

Name of Organization: Life Roots

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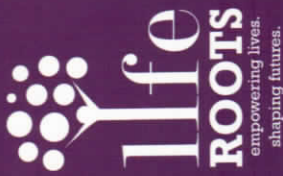
Website/Email: www.liferootsm.org

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Purpose of Organization: Provide services for children and adults with physical, developmental, and behavioral disabilities.

Services Offered: Day Habilitation, Job Coaching, Free Early Childhood Intervention Screenings, Assessments, Parenting Classes

Eligibility (If Applicable): Free



The years from birth to age 3 are a critical time in a child's development. For children demonstrating signs of developmental delays, these early years take on an even greater importance.

Early help makes a difference...and the LifeROOTS Early Intervention Program has made a tremendous difference in the lives of so many children and their families. We work directly with families to give them the tools and information needed to best help their children.

Early Intervention. It works, it can change a child's life ... and it's 100% free to the family. Discover what Early Intervention can mean to a young child ... and discover all that he/she can really do.

LifeROOTS also offers other therapy and support programs for infants, toddlers, children and their families. Services include parent support groups, education, physical therapy and much more.



Children's Therapy & Services

Main Administrative Offices
and Center for Independence

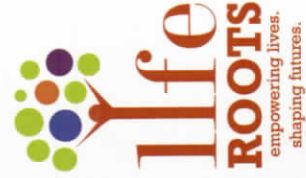
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Rio Rancho Center for Independence

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Providing people with disabilities and their families the resources and support they need to empower their lives and shape their futures.

Early Intervention services **FREE**. Lifelong results.



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Ensuring that Children and Their Families
Get the Help They Need ... When they Need It



Are You Worried About Your Child's Development?

Following are just some of the milestones that you can expect at different stages of your child's early development.

1-3 months

Begins to:

- Lift head up briefly when on tummy
- React to sudden movement or noises
- Make "cooing" sounds
- Follow moving objects with eyes
- Smile when played with
- Grasp small objects if placed in hand

3-6 months

Begins to:

- Lift head and chest when on tummy
- Roll over
- Know familiar objects and people
- Make babbling sounds
- Turn head toward sounds such as bell, voice, music

6-9 months

Begins to:

- Sit alone when placed in a sitting position
- Roll from tummy to back, and back to tummy
- Creep on tummy
- Feed them self a cracker
- Pass objects from hand to hand
- Make sounds such as "baba, gugu"

9-12 months

Begins to:

- Pull self to a sitting and/or standing position
- Creep or crawl
- Stack two blocks or objects
- Understand simple words
- Know their own name

LifeROOTS Early Intervention Program

How it Works. Why it Works.

- 100% free family centered services for children from Birth to Age 3 who have or are at risk for developmental delays (program funded by the State of New Mexico)
- Free screenings and evaluations to determine each child's needs – an individualized plan to meet each child's specific needs
- Experienced, skilled and caring licensed professionals working one-on-one with child and his/her family -- providing therapies and services in natural settings such as the home, school and daycare
- Early Intervention specialists work closely with and bring together all important people in a child's life -- building collaboration between parents, service providers and others to enhance the child's development
- Supports families through education and family services to help their children reach their true potential
- Provides connections to other resources in the community and helps transition children into pre-schools
- Early help is the best help when it comes to a child's development ... and early help starts with Early Intervention



LifeROOTS Support and Services for Children Include:

- Screenings and evaluations, including hearing and vision
- Developmental services
- Physical therapy
- Occupational therapy
- Speech and language therapy
- Feeding/oral-motor information and instruction
- Sensory integration specialists
- Educational instruction
- Activities to help social and emotional development
- Assistive technology
- Transition into school or next setting
- Educational Playgroup -2 hour sessions

LifeROOTS Services for Families Include:

- Education and counseling
- Coordination of needed social and health services
- Access to support groups
- Parenting Information and Instruction
- Love and Logic Parenting Made Fun



If you are worried about your child's development, call us at 505.255.5501 Ext. 1123 to learn more about the 100% Free Services of the LifeROOTS Early Intervention Program

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