

TRI-CITIES Children's Services

SERVICES GUIDE

WHO WE ARE:

A partnership between Kinsight and SHARE to provide coordinated services for children with, or at risk for, delays in development. Services are for families who live in Coquitlam, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody, Anmore and Belcarra.



INFANT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (IDP)

WHO: Children birth-3 years who are at risk for/have a delay in their development.

WHAT: Coaching and resources to support you with your child's development.

WHERE: Your home or community.

SUPPORTED CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (SCDP)

WHO: Children birth-19 years with developmental concern and need for support in daycare/preschool.

WHAT: Coaching and resources for centre educators to support your child's development and promote inclusion.

WHERE: Your home and your child's daycare or preschool.

KEY WORKER SERVICES

WHO: Children/youth birth-19 who are diagnosed with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder or a similar brain-based disability.

WHAT: Information, and resources to understand and support your child/youth through their development.

WHERE: Your home, school and community.

SPEECH & LANGUAGE THERAPY (SLP)

WHO: Children birth-start of school with concerns in communication.

WHAT: Support to build your child's communication, social skills, play skills (use of words, understanding of directions, eye contact etc).

WHERE: SHARE's offices, in your home and/or in the community.

PHYSICAL THERAPY (PT)

WHO: Children birth-start of school with concerns in gross motor skills.

WHAT: Support to help your child with sitting, jumping, crawling, walking as well as improving strength balance and coordination.

WHERE: SHARE's offices, in your home and/or in the community.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (OT)

WHO: Children birth - start of school with concerns in self-care skills.

WHAT: Support to help your child to become independent in everyday tasks (dressing, eating, sleeping, toileting, sensory processing, fine motor skills).

WHERE: SHARE's offices, in your home and/or in the community.



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EVERY child's journey is different

Your Child's Service Journey may include:

YOUR CHILD'S TEAM:

YOUR CHILD

YOUR FAMILY

All family members are encouraged to be part of a child's journey

SERVICE PROVIDERS

Therapist, Doctor, Counsellor, Behavior Consultant, etc.

COMMUNITY

School, child care, recreation, spiritual, etc.

PLANNING

You will plan goals with your team to support your child's growth, development and community inclusion, based on your priorities, and your child's identified needs.

REVIEWING

Throughout your child's service journey, we will review priorities, goals and services to support your child and your family.

COORDINATING

Service coordinating connects your family and your child to the right services at the right time.

COACHING

Family members are the most important people on your child's team. Our services aim to strengthen your abilities to help your child achieve their goals.

SHARE and/or Kinsight staff will work with you to:

- ✔ Consult with team members and share information.
- ✔ Refer you to other supports and/or services.
- ✔ Help with transitions.

This may include:

- ✔ 1:1 sessions with SHARE/Kinsight staff, your child and you.
- ✔ Group sessions with you, your child and other families.
- ✔ Education and training sessions with you and other parents/caregivers.

How you can support your child's service journey:

- ✔ Let us know your dreams and goals for your child and family.
- ✔ Share important information about your child and family.
- ✔ Share with us any questions or concerns about our services.
- ✔ Let us know if there is anything preventing you from accessing services or if you need to change or cancel an appointment.
- ✔ Let us know what is working and what we can do differently.

Additional Family and Individual Support:

The Family and Individual Support Program (FISP) supports families to connect with one another through networking groups and information sessions on inclusive education and transitions to and through adulthood. For more information contact intake.

Key Milestones on your child's service journey:

REFERRAL: You or a person on your team tell us about your family, your child, your concerns and desired services.

FIRST VISIT OR INITIAL CONSULT (IC):

An opportunity to meet with a member of the team to share your concerns. You will receive suggestions of what you can practice at home with your child and information on next steps (this may include a wait until your next service).

ASSESSMENT: Team members will help identify your child's developmental level, needs and strengths and to evaluate and monitor progress.

ONGOING SERVICES: Planning, coaching, coordinating and reviewing as outlined above.

TRANSITION: As your child approaches Kindergarten, or you move to a new community, we will help with transferring information.



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