



DEC'S ENDS POLICIES

- DEC exists so that young children (0-8) who have or are at risk for developmental delays and disabilities participate as full members of families and communities and benefit from knowledgeable, informed, and connected professionals, families, and policy makers.
- DEC exists to advance the implementation of evidence-based recommended practices by highly qualified professionals in collaboration with families to enhance the optimal development of young children (0-8) who have or are at risk for developmental delays and disabilities.
- DEC exists so that professionals, families and policy makers have an opportunity to connect, engage, and influence each other in a way that supports full community participation and desired outcomes for young children (0-8) who have or are at risk for developmental delays and disabilities.
- DEC exists to share evidence base practices and provide resources in multiple formats to inform professionals, families and policy makers.