



# Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia MONTHLY UPDATE

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### STATE SYSTEMIC IMPROVEMENT PLAN (SSIP)

As we move into the last few months of the SSIP year, here are a few things to look forward to in the first quarter of 2020:

- Full launch of the re-designed Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia website;
- An orientation package for child care providers/early childhood professionals to support provision of early intervention services through coaching in child care settings;
- Results from the recent Provider Implementation Survey; and
- A summary of coaching fidelity assessment results from the past year.

All SSIP-related materials are posted to the SSIP section of our website at <http://www.infantva.org/Sup-SSIP.htm>. If you have questions about the SSIP, please contact Kayla Patterson at [k.patterson@dbhds.virginia.gov](mailto:k.patterson@dbhds.virginia.gov)

### STATE PERFORMANCE PLAN (SPP)/ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT (APR)

Each state must submit to the U.S. Department of Education a State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report (SPP/APR) that specifies our annual performance on a set of federally required indicators. The SPP/APR is due to the Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) on February 3, 2020, and a draft of that report will be available around mid-December for your review in the "What's New" section of our website, [www.infantva.org](http://www.infantva.org).

This report covers the last year of a 6-year cycle. Since OSEP has now extended that cycle for one additional year, the SPP/APR also identifies new targets on the performance indicators for the extension year. The SPP/APR data and targets will be discussed with the

Virginia Interagency Coordinating Council prior to posting it, and we will be accepting any additional written comments through December 31, 2019. Please submit any comments you have on the SPP/APR to Kyla Patterson at [k.patterson@dbhds.virginia.gov](mailto:k.patterson@dbhds.virginia.gov).

## "THE LEADER IN ME SERIES"



**Leading from the Middle:  
A Multigenerational Thanksgiving and What It Can Teach Us  
about Life**

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW DOCUMENT](#)

## WIC DEVELOPMENTAL MILESTONE CHECKLIST PROGRAM ONLINE IMPLEMENTATION



### [The WIC Developmental Milestone Checklist Program Online Implementation Guide](#)

was developed by NCBDDD's Learn the Signs. Act Early. program, in collaboration with the University of Missouri and WIC staff in Missouri, and tested in WIC clinics across the nation. It provides practical guidance and FREE access to everything WIC clinics need to get this program up and running, including:

- Recruitment and training videos
- Free customizable materials
- Access to environmental graphics (wall and floor decals)
- Practical, WIC-tested tips for implementation

To learn more about the program, [click here to watch this short video.](#)

## ITOTS USERS

Please send requests for ITOTS logon assistance to the email address below.

[deltaprod@dbhds.virginia.gov](mailto:deltaprod@dbhds.virginia.gov)

Type "ITOTS Password" in the Subject Line and tell them your username.

Or, click on the link below and type your request in the email that opens.

### [ITOTS Password Help](#)

The above link will also be available on our website just below the link to ITOTS.

## EARLY INTERVENTION CERTIFIED PRACTITIONERS

### **Have issues with your username or password for Early Intervention Certification?**

Please send requests for Early Intervention Certification logon assistance to the email address below.

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Or, click on the link below and type your request in the email that opens.

## [Early Intervention Certification](#)

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#### Note about This Update:

This Update is prepared by the Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia State Team at the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services as a means of sharing current information from the DBHDS/Part C Office.

#### Enrollment of Children in the Medicaid Data System (VAMMIS)

Please note the following contact information for questions about enrollment of children in the Medicaid Data System (VAMMIS).

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- [Sarah Moore](#) \*804-371-5208
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#### Early Intervention Certification

For questions about certification of practitioners, contact [Irene Scott](#) \* 804-786-4868

For questions related to completing the online application, contact [DBHDS Production Support@cov.virginia.gov](#)

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