

## Contractual Pediatric Therapists Needed:

The Mississippi State Department of Health's *First Steps* Early Intervention Program is seeking contractual pediatric therapists (Speech Language Pathologists, Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, and Special Instructors) in the following counties to provide multi-disciplinary, comprehensive evaluations and developmental services to eligible infants/toddlers and their families (as outlined in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act). Service Coordinators are also being sought to provide case management to families of infants/toddlers who are eligible for the Early Intervention Program.

<b>Public Health District &amp; Position</b>	<b>Special Instructor</b>	<b>Speech Language Pathologist</b>	<b>Occupational Therapist</b>	<b>Physical Therapist</b>	<b>Service Coordinator</b>
<b>District I:</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Michelle Masterson</u></a>			Coahoma County Grenada County Panola County Quitman County Tallahatchie County Tate County Tunica County Yalobusha County	Coahoma County Grenada County Panola County Quitman County Tallahatchie County Tate County Tunica County Yalobusha County	
<b>District II :</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Paulita Edwards</u></a>	Itawamba County Lee County Tishomingo County Union County	Itawamba County Lee County Marshall County Pontotoc County Prentiss County Union County	Itawamba County Lee County Marshall County Pontotoc County Prentiss County Union County	Itawamba County Lee County Marshall County Pontotoc County Prentiss County Union County	Lee County Marshall Prentiss County
<b>District III :</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Val Smith-Silas</u></a>	Carroll County Holmes County Leflore County Montgomery County Washington County	Humphreys County	Humphreys County Attala County	Bolivar County Humphreys County Sunflower County Washington County Attala County	
<b>District IV :</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Jimmie Faye McCarty</u></a>		Calhoun County Chickasaw County Choctaw County Clay County Lowndes County Monroe County Noxubee County Oktibbeha County Webster County Winston County	Calhoun County Chickasaw County Choctaw County Clay County Lowndes County Monroe County Noxubee County Oktibbeha County Webster County Winston County	Calhoun County Chickasaw County Choctaw County Clay County Lowndes County Monroe County Noxubee County Oktibbeha County Webster County Winston County	
<b>District V :</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Linda Proctor</u></a>	Claiborne County Copiah County Rankin County Simpson County Warren County	Claiborne County Copiah County Simpson County Warren County Yazoo County	Copiah County Issaquena County Sharkey County Simpson County Yazoo County	Copiah County Rankin County Simpson County	
<b>District VI:</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Kim Chancellor</u></a>	Clarke County Jasper County Smith County Kemper County Newton County Neshoba County Scott County	Jasper County Smith County Kemper County Newton County Neshoba County Scott County	Clarke County Jasper County Smith County Kemper County Newton County Neshoba County Scott County	Clarke County Jasper County Smith County Kemper County Newton County Neshoba County Scott County	
<b>District VII:</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#"><u>Liza VanNorman</u></a>	Franklin County Jefferson County Lawrence County Lincoln County Pike County Walthall County	Adams County Amite County Franklin County Jefferson County Lawrence County Lincoln County Pike County Walthall County			

		Wilkerson County			
<b>District VIII:</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#">Jeff Kresge</a>	Covington County Forrest County Jones County Wayne County	Covington County Greene County Jeff-Davis County Jones County Lamar County Marion County Perry County Wayne County	Covington County Forrest County Greene County Jeff-Davis County Jones County Lamar County Marion County Perry County Wayne County	Covington County Forrest County Greene County Jeff-Davis County Jones County Lamar County Marion County Perry County Wayne County	
<b>District IX:</b> <b>Contact</b> <a href="#">Anissa Pace</a>	Hancock County Pearl River County Stone County Harrison County	Hancock County Pearl River County Stone County	Hancock County Pearl River County Stone County	Hancock County Pearl River County Stone County	

For more information contact the District Coordinators,  
[http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/\\_static/resources/2951.pdf](http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/resources/2951.pdf) , or call the Early Intervention Program office at 1-800-451-3903.