



# Supporting Every Child: Inclusive Services for Children with Disabilities and Developmental Needs

At every stage of development, children thrive in environments that value their unique strengths, identities, and ways of learning. This guide outlines services available in Halton Region to support children with disabilities and developmental needs and to partner with families and caregivers in promoting inclusion and belonging.

## If Your Child Attends a Licensed Child Care Program

### Children's Inclusion Services (Halton Region)

Children's Inclusion Services offers support for children from birth to age 12 who may experience disabilities, developmental differences, or who are at risk for delays. These services are designed to promote participation and success in licensed child care settings.

- **Resource Consultants** collaborate with families, educators, and community professionals to ensure inclusive learning environments.
- Support includes developmental assessments, consultation, and service coordination tailored to your child's needs and strengths.

These services are provided in partnership with:

- Halton Region Children's Services
- Community Living Burlington
- Community Living North Halton

**📞 For more information or to access services, call 311.**

## If Your Child Is Not Enrolled in a Licensed Child Care Program

### Infant and Child Development Services (Halton Region)

This program supports families with children from birth to school entry who are not in licensed care and who have diagnosed or potential developmental differences.

- Services include early intervention, family support, and guidance to help your child grow and thrive at home and in the community.

 To learn more or access services, call 311.

## If Your Child Has a Developmental Disability and Lives at Home

### Central West Specialized Developmental Services (CWSDS)

CWSDS is the first point of contact for families with children or youth (up to age 18) who are seeking services and supports related to developmental disabilities.

- Support includes service coordination, community referrals, and access to developmental programs.

 Learn more: [www.cwsds.ca/our-services/haltonsupport-services](http://www.cwsds.ca/our-services/haltonsupport-services)

 905-844-7864

## If Your Child Is Experiencing Social, Emotional, or Behavioural Challenges

### Reach Out Centre for Kids (ROCK)

ROCK provides inclusive mental health and developmental supports for children and youth from birth to age 17, along with their families and caregivers.

- Services range from early prevention to intensive intervention and include counselling, family support, and crisis response.

### ROCK Contact Numbers:

- Milton/North Halton: 905-875-2575
- Burlington: 905-634-2347
- Oakville: 905-339-3525
- 24/7 Crisis Line: 905-878-9785

 More information: [www.rockonline.ca](http://www.rockonline.ca)

# If Your Preschool-Aged Child Has Physical, Developmental, or Communication Needs

## ErinoakKids Centre for Treatment and Development

ErinoakKids supports children and youth with diverse needs, including:

- Autism spectrum disorder
- Communication and speech disorders
- Physical and developmental disabilities
- Vision or hearing differences
- Services are family-centered and provided in partnership with caregivers and community professionals.

📞 **905-855-2690** | Toll-free: **1-877-374-6625**

🌐 [www.erinoakkids.ca](http://www.erinoakkids.ca)

# If Your Child or Youth (Age 2–21) Has a Developmental Disability or Autism Spectrum Disorder

## Family and Community Behavioural Services (Halton Region)

This program supports children and youth in building life skills and increasing participation in everyday settings like home, child care, school, and community programs.

- Behavioural Consultants work alongside families and professionals to design personalized strategies that promote growth and well-being.

📞 **Call 311 or visit the Halton Region website for more information.**

## We're Here to Support You

All children deserve the opportunity to belong, participate, and thrive in nurturing, inclusive environments. These services exist to walk alongside your family—celebrating your child's individuality while providing the supports they need to grow.

💬 **For general support and guidance on accessing inclusive services in Halton Region, call 311.**