

# University of Nevada, Reno Early Head Start

UNR Early Head Start serves limited-income pregnant women and families with infants and toddlers up to the age of three. The program offers the following services:

- High quality early education in and out of the home for children ages 0-3
- Home Visits
- Developmental Screenings
- Nutrition Assessments & Services
- Medical Referrals
- Prenatal Support & Referral
- Access to Counseling Services
- Family Resource & Referral Program



The University of Nevada, Reno – Early Head Start Program offers three program options:

- **Home Visiting:** Program option that provides weekly home visits to pregnant women and families with children birth to 3 years of age, emphasizing the role of the parents as the child's first teacher.
- **Center-based Child Care:** Full day, full year child care with locations in downtown Reno and on the University Campus. Parents utilizing this option need to be enrolled in an educational or job training program and/or working.
- **WCSD Combination Program:** Child care and summer home visits for parenting teens at Wooster and Washoe Innovations high schools.

***In addition to the completed application you MUST submit copies of the following:***

- ◆ **Income verification** (documentation of family income for the last 12 months OR the last calendar year).
- ◆ **Proof of your child's date of birth** (birth certificate, immunization record, birth confirmation).

***Additionally, applications can be strengthened by including:***

- ◆ **Documentation of any special need** your child may have (certification by physician, Nevada Early Intervention Services, or other professional).
- ◆ **Proof of Work or School** (Pay Stub if you are currently working/school schedule if attending school).
- ◆ **A Referral Letter** from a community agency.

**Mailing Instructions:** Please send ***copies*** of all requested documentation.



**Mail applications and copies of documentation to:**

UNR–Early Head Start  
Mail Stop 392  
Reno, NV 89557

Or

**Bring to:** Early Head Start @ Nelson Building  
401 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Reno, NV 89503

**Questions? Call 682-8482**