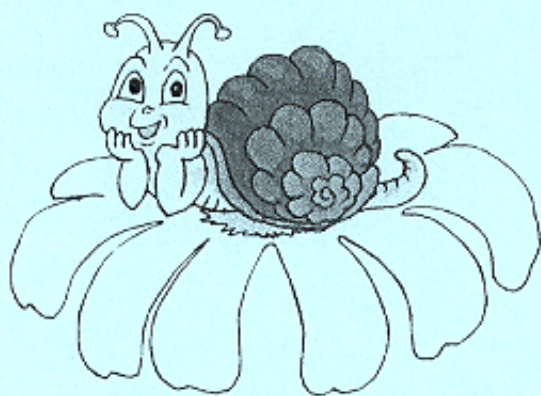


Ohio Regional Infant Hearing Program

Region 8



Do you have a child birth to age
three who has been diagnosed
with hearing loss?

If so... the Regional Infant Hearing
Program can help!

What is the Regional Infant Hearing Program?

The purpose of the Regional Infant Hearing Program (RIHP) is to educate families about their child's hearing loss, the options they have regarding the hearing loss, and steps to take to help their infant/toddler communicate effectively. The Regional Infant Hearing Program is funded by the Ohio Department of Health and is a program of the Community Action Commission of Belmont.



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How much do *services cost?*

Services are provided in your home or at any location that is convenient for you. There is **NO COST** to the families enrolled in the program.

How do I know if I am eligible for RIHP?

If you are a resident of any of the following counties: Belmont, Carroll, Coshocton, Guernsey, Harrison, Holmes, Jefferson, Monroe, Morgan, Muskingum, Noble, Perry, or Tuscarawas, and if you have a child age zero to three who has a diagnosed hearing loss, you are eligible for services.



How do I get involved in RIHP?

Contact the RIHP office at (740) 695-5000 or your county's Help Me Grow office.

Did You Know?

*Babies are tested for hearing impairments before leaving the hospital.

*It is possible for a child's hearing to change every three months.

*Sign language can be taught early to aid in a child's communication development.



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