



Public Notice

The North Dakota Department of Human Services is soliciting comments regarding the Federal Fiscal Year 2013 Part C Application. Part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act addresses services for children birth through two years of age with developmental disabilities or delays and their families. Comments are also being requested regarding: the updated Part C Policy document, which ensures that the Department is following all Part C regulations with regards to services, practice, etc.; and our System of Payments, which is necessary to show funding for Early Intervention services.

Two public hearing are scheduled to allow input from the public in person. These two **public hearings** are scheduled for **Thursday, March 14, 2013**, from **6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** and **Tuesday, March 19, 2013**, from **7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

These hearings will be broadcast over the statewide videoconferencing system and can be attended at any of the regional Human Service Centers (see addresses below). Representatives from the regional Human Service Center Developmental Disabilities Units will be on hand at each location to assist the public in getting to the correct conference room.

Bismarck - Developmental Disabilities Division, 1237 W. Divide Ave. (enter through doors on north side of building)

Devils Lake - Lake Region Human Service Center, 200 Hwy. 2 S.W.

Dickinson - Badlands Human Service Center, 300 13th Ave. W., Suite 1

Fargo - Southeast Human Service Center, 2624 Ninth Ave. S.

Grand Forks - Northeast Human Service Center, 151 S. Fourth St., Suite 401

Jamestown - South Central Human Service Center, 520 Third St. N.W.

Minot - North Central Human Service Center, 1015 S. Broadway Suite 18

Williston - Northwest Human Service Center, 316 Second Ave. W.

The North Dakota Part C Coordinator will be in attendance in person at the Bismarck site on Thursday, March 14, and in person at the Fargo site on Tuesday, March 19.

Comments will also be accepted via mail, email or phone, for those that are unable to attend the hearings. Comments via mail can be sent to Amanda Carlson, Part C Coordinator, 1237 W Divide Ave, Ste 1A, Bismarck ND 58501. To submit a comment via email, please send to arcarlson@nd.gov. To relay a comment by phone, you can do so by calling 1-800-755-8529 or ND Relay TTY 800-366-6888. Public comments are being taken until **April 8, 2013**.

The application, along with the Part C Policy document and System of Payments, are available at: www.nd.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/earlyintervention/.

If individuals would like a paper copy of the documents, they can request them by calling 1-800-755-8529 or ND Relay TTY 800-366-6888.