

Working together so all children are valued,  
healthy and thriving



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## SLV Early Childhood Systems Building

### **Description:**

We build organizational and community capacity to ensure: sound policy, strong partnerships, sufficient investments, robust public engagement, shared accountability, effective leadership and relevant education opportunities.

Grassroots advocacy to encourage early childhood policy by engaging professionals, community leaders, and other citizens joined together by their concern for the well-being of Colorado's children.

Collect and analyze data, creating stories describing the impact our services have on child and family outcomes and on the economy. Communicate important information about ECE, Brain Development, Economic Impact and other important issues to the public and elected officials.

### **Primary Role of Program in Early Childhood Systems:**

Advocacy

### **Service Area(s):**

Alamosa, Conejos, Costilla, Mineral, Rio Grande, Saguache

### **Population(s) Served:**

Prenatal, Newborn, Infants, Toddlers, Preschoolers, Kindergartners, 1st Graders, 2nd Graders, 3rd Graders, Families, Caregivers, Teachers, Other Professionals

**Services This Program Provides that Advance the *Early Childhood Colorado Framework*:**



**Family Support & Education**

Families advocate for high quality comprehensive services and supports that lead to future success



**Health & Well-Being**

All health care providers, including mental health, deliver coordinated, family focused care



**Learning & Development**

All children are ready for school and achieving by 3rd grade regardless of ability, race, place, income, language and culture