

Who Is Eligible:

Applicants must:

- Have a child, who is under the age of three, and is actively receiving Part C early intervention services.
- Be a resident of Bergen, Passaic or Hudson county.
- Be the primary legal care giver of the child.
- Have a signed IFSP.
- Family Cost Share Payments must be up to date.

Our Purpose:

The purpose of the Carolyn Scaglione Special Needs Fund is to help defray the cost of services and equipment which will assist families in meeting the developmental needs of their child in early intervention.

What We Provide:

Reimbursement for:

- Inclusive community activities.
- Disability/Culturally specific programs.
- Assistive technology devices
- Developmental toys
- Conferences and workshops.

Contact your Service Coordinator or Helpful Hands for more details or to request an application. 973-256-8484



The Carolyn
Scaglione Special
Needs Fund



What We Do:

The Northeast Regional Early Intervention Collaborative helps to facilitate access and availability of effective early intervention services through outreach and collaboration.

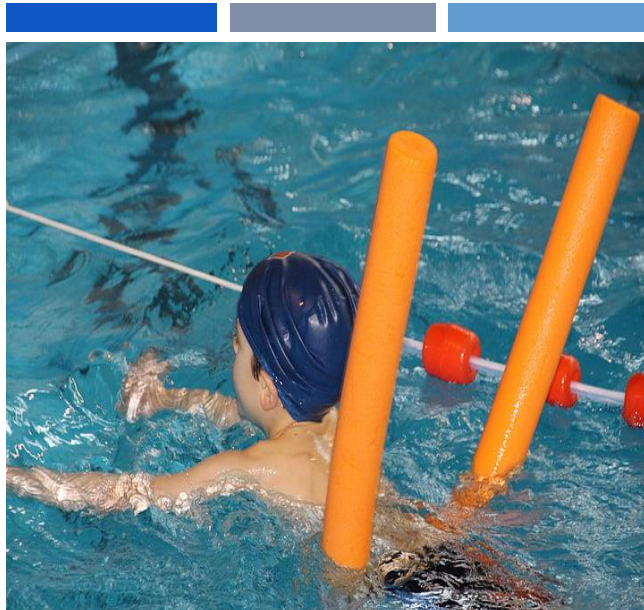
The NREIC is committed to providing a family centered, family driven, community and culturally sensitive system of early intervention services and supports.

Helpful Hands works to ensure that all eligible children from birth to three can reach their full potential and are valued in their communities.

Who We Are:

The Carolyn Scaglione Special Needs Fund, administered by Helpful Hands, NREIC. The Special Needs Fund is supported solely by private donations and funds are subject to the success of annual fundraising activities.

Applications are reviewed quarterly by a volunteer committee made up of members of the Board of Trustees and team members of the Northeast Regional Early Intervention Collaborative, Inc.



**“Nothing Teaches
Hope, Kindness,
Courage, and
Compassion like
Helping Others.”**

Who We Help:

The mission of the Carolyn Scaglione Special Needs Fund is to aid families with children under the age of three who are eligible for, and participating in Early Intervention, who are impacted by the high cost of inclusive community classes, toys or adaptive equipment that is not covered by Part C, Medical insurance, Medicaid and/or other private or public funding sources.

