

Early Head Start Recruitment Point System

Income

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| Work First | +10 |
| 90-100% below poverty | +10 |
| 80-90% below poverty | +9 |
| 70-80% below poverty | +8 |
| 60-70% below poverty | +7 |
| 50-60% below poverty | +6 |
| 40-50% below poverty | +5 |
| 30-40% below poverty | +4 |
| 20-30% below poverty | +3 |
| 10-20% below poverty | +2 |
| 0-10% below poverty | +1 |
| Above poverty level | +0 |

Other factors

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| Family has not had a stable home in the Past 12 months | +30 |
| Parents working or attending school | +20 |
| Teen Parent | +10 |
| Referral from Other Community Agency | +5 |
| Child is Disabled | +5 |
| Child Abuse/Neglect | +5 |
| Expectant mother enrolling unborn child | +4 |
| Child is less than 12 months old | +3 |
| Social Needs/Problems in the Home: | +3 |
| Alcohol/Drug Abuse | |
| Parent in Prison | |
| Deceased Parent | |
| Spouse Battering | |
| Extreme Family Stress | |
| Language/Cultural barrier | |
| Disabled/Single/Non-parent | +3 |
| Foster Child (Receives income from DSS) | +3 |
| Size of Family (Children outnumber parents) | +2 |
| Applicant on waiting list 6 months or longer | +2 |
| Sibling in Head Start/Early Head Start | +3 |
| Applicant is enrolled in Home Base program | +3 |
| Child is Adopted | +3 |

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| Returning child | +20 |
| Applicant was previously enrolled in Early Head Start | +20 |
| Referral from Other Community Agency | +5 |
| Child is Disabled | +5 |
| Child Abuse/Neglect | +5 |
| Social Needs/Problems in the Home: | +3 |
| Alcohol/Drug Abuse | |
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| Four year old | +3 |
| Size of Family (Children outnumber parents) | +2 |
| Applicant on waiting list 6 months or longer | +2 |
| Sibling in Head Start/Early Head Start | +3 |
| Child is Adopted | +3 |