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The Center for Children and Families at Erikson Institute provides the highest quality family-centered assessment and treatment services for children birth to age 8.

At the Center, your family will work with an interdisciplinary team of experts. You also will have access to the latest research on early childhood, as Erikson Institute is the leading graduate school in child development and education. The Center for Children and Families has specialized expertise to assess and treat the emotional and behavioral difficulties families with young children face.

# WE SPECIALIZE IN

Depression and anxiety, including separation anxiety and school anxieties

Behavior challenges, including aggressiveness and defiance

Autism and Asperger's Syndrome and other developmental disorders

Attention and hyperactivity concerns

Sleep and eating problems

Parent-child relationship/attachment concerns

Adoption and attachment

Sibling rivalry

Academic and learning concerns

Child or family trauma

Adjustment to divorce

Parental post-partum depression and anxiety

## WE EMBRACE

family diversity and are responsive to every family's unique needs.

#### **WE OFFER**

Comprehensive, interdisciplinary child assessments to help parents and other professionals find appropriate ways to respond to, support, teach,

and advocate for the child.

Our interdisciplinary assessments provide relevant developmental, behavioral, and emotional assessment results in one clear, concise report.

#### Therapeutic interventions

Individually tailored therapy based on a thorough understanding of the whole child in close collaboration with the parents. Child, parent-child, and family intervention options.

#### Early Intervention

Parent-child social-emotional intervention and developmental therapy as part of the Illinois Early Intervention Service System.

Family-centered medical diagnostic assessments as part of the Illinois Early Intervention Service System.

## **INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAM**

The Center's clinical staff members are experts in psychology, developmental pediatrics from the University of Chicago, clinical social work, child development, occupational therapy, speech-language, and early childhood mental health. We work together to assess all aspects of your child's development.

Margret Nickels, Ph.D., Director Licensed clinical psychologist

## CONTACT US

Please call (312) 893-7119 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

Evening hours available.

A limited number of sliding scale fees may be available based on income and family size.

Inquire about insurance reimbursement.

