

About NAPPR



Native American Professional Parent Resources, Inc. (NAPPR) is located in Albuquerque, New

Mexico. NAPPR, Inc. was founded in 1981 as a joint project between the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the New Mexico Department of Health to provide early intervention services to Native American families with young children experiencing developmental delays. Since that time NAPPR has established itself as an independent 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and grown from serving approximately 30 families per year to over 400 families in a four-county area. Services provided now include Early Intervention, Tribal Home Visiting, Early Head Start and support services for Indian Health Service-funded Dental Clinics. All programs and services are supported through a combination of state, federal, United Way and private funding/donations.

Mission

NAPPR empowers, educates and provides supportive services to build healthy Native American children and families.

Vision

*Healthy families
Strong communities*



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Tribal Home Visiting

Our Tribal Home Visiting staff provides home-based services to parents with young children—prenatal to age three. The home visitors provide pre-natal and child development education, basic parenting information, health and nutrition education, safety information, and much more.



Early Intervention

Through the Early Intervention Program, NAPPR provides family-centered home-based services to families of children with delays, or at risk for delays. Our knowledgeable staff provides a variety of services including child developmental guidance, therapy related to child development and social work or family support.

NAPPR Programs and Services



Early Head Start

The Early Head Start program serves 72 families through home and center-based services. Early Head Start provides services to expectant moms and families with infants and toddlers. Early Head Start is a two-generation program designed to provide high-quality child and family development services to income eligible pregnant women and families with infants and toddlers. The program serves families in the Albuquerque and Rio Rancho area.

Dental Support Center

NAPPR's Dental Support Center provides training, technical assistance, and other support to Indian Health Service, Tribal and Urban dental clinics in the Albuquerque area (New Mexico, Southern Colorado, and El Paso, Texas).

Through continuing educational opportunities, the development and distribution of culturally relevant materials, and other activities, the Dental Support Center works diligently to improve the oral health status of American Indians and Alaskan Natives.



What NAPPR Means



“This program is unique, essential, and should be available to all families and children in need.”

—Dr. Paul Avritt

“The program with NAPPR has helped my son with physical and learning skills. I’m glad we’re a part of the program.”

—Triniti

“I’ve been in the NAPPR Home Visiting Program since I was five months pregnant and I’ve loved every minute of it. My home visitor gives us such personalized attention.”

—Raelene