

# Creating Quality Service Coordination Services in ND

IDEA outlines seven functions of service coordination. These functions cut across all aspects of the family's journey through Early Intervention.



The development of the family and provider relationship starts with the initial referral and continues through transition.

Service Coordinators must be knowledgeable about the guiding principles, program policies, and implementation procedures for each step in the early intervention process, as well as evidence-based intervention practices and community resources.

## Reflection: Putting It Into Practice

**Early Interventionists:** How does your team support and understand the roles of service coordination?

**Service Coordinators:** Are you driving the services or partnering with the parents and your EI team? How is your role evolving as you empower families through this process?

**Caregivers:** How has service coordination supported your family?

