

## Ultimate Aim

**All children with developmental concerns, delay and disability and their families thrive in the early years**

## What the outcomes will be

**Children have secure and safe relationships, are participating meaningfully, and are developing new knowledge and skills**

**Families have positive support networks, are confident in their ability to meet their child and family needs**

**Communities are caring and culturally-safe, and are committed to welcoming everyone**

## What impact this will have

Children's learning, development and meaningful participation in everyday activities is enhanced by building on each child's strengths and interests

Family cultures are acknowledged and respected and their knowledge, skills and confidence are strengthened to support each child and family's quality of life

Community members understand child development and wellbeing and create safe, welcoming, inclusive and connected communities

Collaborative and integrated service/practitioner networks provide holistic support for children, families, communities and colleagues

Regulatory standards are evaluated using data on best practice outcomes in ECI

## What we need to do

Build on child strengths and interests to enhance learning, development and meaningful participation in everyday activities and settings

Build trusted relationships that use family-centred and strengths-based approaches and recognise that children's wellbeing and development depends on the wellbeing of the family as a whole

Work together to create accessible services and spaces that understand and welcome children and families of diverse abilities and needs

Help build a collaborative and integrated network of holistic support for children, parents, carers, families, communities and colleagues

Commission and regulate services and standards according to the National Best Practice Framework

## Who needs to be involved

**ECI practitioners and services**

**Parents, carers and families**

**ECEC services and schools**

**Other child and family services**

**Government agencies**