



# Help shape the future of Preschool Inclusion in Illinois!

[Early CHOICES](#) is an Inclusion Initiative of the Illinois State Board of Education. We are excited to invite you to the launch of the *Advancing Inclusion and Supporting Early Childhood Special Education in Community-based Settings* project on Friday April 28, 2023. This new project is funded through Illinois' Preschool Development Birth through Five (PDG B-5) planning grant.

We invite school districts, community-child care and Head Start programs, policy stakeholders, early childhood collaboratives, families, and more to come learn more about this exciting opportunity. It is important for the success of this project that all voices are heard as the state considers new service delivery models to better serve children with disabilities across the mixed-delivery early learning system. We hope you can come in person, but if not – then we encourage you to join virtually and convene local "watch parties" to participate in the project launch with your early childhood community partners.



## EVENT DETAILS

**When: Friday, April 28 from 1-3PM Central Time.** [Learn more here.](#)

**This event will be both in-person and virtual event.**

**In-person** at the Robert R. McCormick Foundation;  
205 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL 60601.

Capacity is limited for in-person attendance. RSVP is required to enter the building.

**Virtual convening via Zoom**

**[Please RSVP here](#) by Monday, April 24th to reserve your spot.**

**Please reach out to [ann.kremer@eclre.org](mailto:ann.kremer@eclre.org) with any questions.**

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