

What does that mean for me?

IEPs are focused on child's educational needs, and sets up the plan based on recommendations from providers.

As your child gets older there are added parts, like focus on work skills and child's independence.

Services happen at school, and caregivers are not generally present.

Caregiver participation is still important, but the focus is to help the child, not the family as a whole.

IEPs are reviewed at least yearly and re-evaluations happen every three years.