

LSU Health Early Learning Center

High-quality, inclusive early care and education for infants and toddlers.



Parent Involvement

We recognize that parents are children's first and most important teachers.

Together, we can give children exactly what they need to become successful, lifelong learners. We prioritize this connection in some of the following ways:

- Communicating with families during drop-off and pick-up
- Providing family boards in each classroom, newsletters, and daily reports
- Offering parent-teacher conferences three times a year
- Providing opportunities to volunteer in the classroom

Eligibility

The LSU Health Early Learning Center operates under the direction of the Human Development Center, and enrolls children between the ages of 6 weeks and 36 months (child must be under 36 months on September 30th).

Faculty and staff of LSU Health New Orleans are given priority enrollment.



High Quality Care

The LSU Health Early Learning Center is a high-quality early childhood education program designed to provide:

- High quality care and education for infants and toddlers
- Clinical experiences for students at LSU Health New Orleans and other schools
- A model demonstration site providing best-practices in effective inclusion of children with disabilities and special health care needs
- A venue for LSU Health faculty to conduct research in early childhood

We maintain high standards, including:

- Highly qualified teachers (lead teachers with Bachelor's or higher)
- Low ratio of 4 children to 1 teacher
- Small group sizes of 8 children per class
- Mixed-age classrooms supporting continuity of care
- Research-based curriculum supporting developmentally appropriate practices



Diverse and Inclusive Environment

The ELC is an inclusive and diverse program where everyone can learn and play together regardless of their background or abilities.

Hours of Operation

Monday through Friday
7:30 AM - 4:30 PM

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Admission

To apply for admission to the LSU Health Early Learning Center, visit our website or submit a pre-enrollment application online at this QR Code:

