

## **Assessment, Evaluation, and Programming System (AEPS)**

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The *Assessment, Evaluation, and Programming System* (AEPS) is a criterion-referenced assessment tool developed for use by direct service personnel (e.g., classroom interventionists, home visitors) and specialists (e.g., communication specialists, occupational therapist, physical therapists, psychologists) to assess and evaluate the skills and abilities of infants and young children who are at risk and who have disabilities. The AEPS includes assessment/evaluation and curricular and family participation components for the developmental range of birth to six years.

Unlike many of the standardized norm-referenced tests or screening tools used in the special needs field that generate only numerical scores, the AEPS provides material that informs intervention content and procedures that can be used to formulate developmentally appropriate goals and outcomes, and assist personnel in monitoring child progress

*Brookes on Location* provides in-person training. Most seminars are one day though some are multiple days depending on the type of training. *Brookes on Location* also offers "Train the Trainer" workshops. For more information about training for the AEPS, email [AEPStraining@brookespublishing.com](mailto:AEPStraining@brookespublishing.com) or call 1-800-638-3775.