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We have released the <u>Guides for understanding supports</u>: <u>Supporting your child with assistive technology</u>.

Assistive technology (AT) may help children work to their goals. This can help with family relationships, friendships, education, play and household tasks.

The topics covered are:

- Supporting your child's communication with assistive technology
- Supporting your child's mobility with assistive technology
- Supporting your child at home and in the community with assistive technology

The Guides detail:

- best practices for early childhood intervention
- assistive technology support options for children
- how to plan the next steps to support a child
- how to choose the right providers.

AT supports may be offered through a child's NDIS plan or mainstream and community supports.

Community and mainstream supports are available to everyone, whether or not a child has a disability. The Guides also show where to find more information for families.

<u>The series of Guides</u> for <u>understanding supports</u> helps people with disability, their families and carers think about what supports suit their needs.

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