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**Southeastern District Health Department Announces**

*Developmental Screening Planned for Infants and Toddlers*

**IT CAN'T HURT TO ASK...** Do you have questions about your infant, toddler or preschooler's development?

A **free** developmental screening clinic will be held in Arco at the Butte County Health Department. Located at 178 Sunset Drive, the clinic will run on Monday, June 9, 2008, beginning at 9:30 a.m. for children birth through 3. Gas vouchers are available for families traveling 50+ miles round trip.

The Idaho Infant Toddler Program in cooperation with the Southeastern District Health Department will conduct the screening. Children will be screened for vision, coordination, self-help, social skills, learning, growth, hearing, speech and language, feeding, and health.

For an appointment, call 527-3463. Arrangements can be made for a free screening at a later date if this clinic date or time is inconvenient. Children under the age of 3 are welcome to attend regardless of where they live. However, if a child is 3 or older, arrangements for developmental screening must be made with the child's local school district.

For more information about your child's development, please call the Idaho Careline at 211 or 1-800-926-2588 or visit the website at [www.idahochild.org](http://www.idahochild.org)

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