Idea 5

INTEGRATED EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES
Integration and shared back offices provide several advantages for early childhood services.

Due to the comprehensive nature of early childhood development and the necessity for cooperation between city departments such as Social Services, Health and Education, merging the back office when it comes to tracking and monitoring the child's development increases efficiency.

It also influences caregiver well-being by providing a better diagnosis of their situation, and can be based closed to the target population, for example in a community centre.

**At a glance...**

**COST**

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**MAINTENANCE**

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**GOVERNMENT INVOLVEMENT**

- Social Services
- Education
- Health
- Parks
- Planning
- Transport

**MINIMUM SCALE**

City

**IMPLEMENTATION EXAMPLES**

- Netherlands
- Brazil
- London, UK
- Netherlands