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In our effort to explore options and facilitate service delivery, Up Wee Grow inquired about the use of Telehealth services:

Can Early Intervention Services be delivered via Telehealth?

The following is the response we received:

While delivery of specific services via the method of telehealth has now been approved in New York State based on changes in Public Health Law, Social Services Law and Insurance Law, determination of the appropriateness and specific guidance for implementation of telehealth methods to deliver services in the Early Intervention Program (EIP) has not yet been made. Currently, telehealth is not an approved model of EIP service delivery. As per EIP regulations, 10 NYCRR Section 69-4.30 computation of rates for early intervention services provided to infants and children ages birth to three years old and their families or caregivers, a billable visit shall mean a face-to-face contact for the provision of authorized early intervention services between a provider of early intervention services and the individual(s) receiving such services.

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