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# All about the Colorado State Team

2020-2022



## Year 4: 2020-2021

2000 “Where is Bear?” books  
purchased:  
**1000 English** and **1000 Spanish**

“Where is Bear?” is a book from the  
CDC's Learn the Signs Act Early  
program, about developmental  
milestones for 2 year olds.



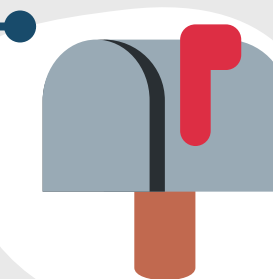
**2,500**

## Genetic Counseling Student Intern... 2022

The Colorado team paid a genetic counseling student  
intern to work on compiling a list of addresses and  
contacting 50 pediatric offices in CO and placing **21**  
**large flat rate FedEx boxes** of books and red flags in  
the mail to those 21 pediatric offices.

## Year 5: 2021-2022

2,500 **Red Flags 4 Genetics** (E&S) handouts  
were purchased for distribution with the  
Where is Bear? Books.



## The boxes of resources were mailed all across CO..

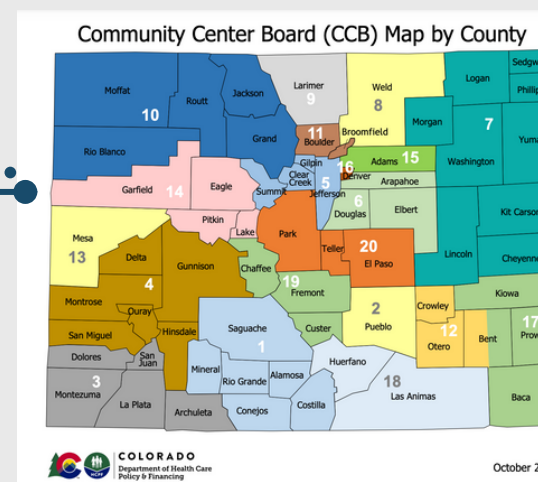
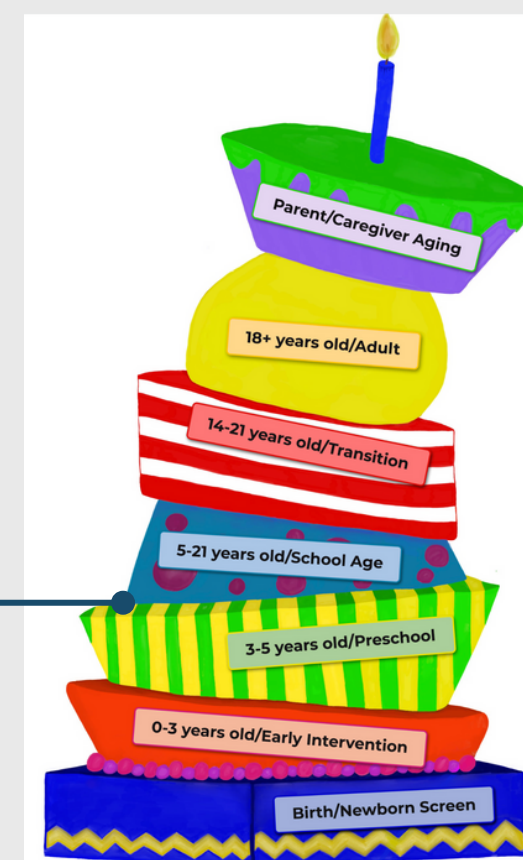
The GC student intern and the team used the map  
of the Community Center Board Regions to make  
sure the entire state was covered in their  
distribution plan.

## State Team Webpage

The Colorado team updated  
their website in 2022 to feature  
the Where is Bear? Book.

## Momentum...stay tuned

The Colorado team is converting the  
resources they have gathered for  
their Birthday Cake Transition  
Guide to the MSRGN website.



# All about the Colorado State Team: Part 2

2022-2024



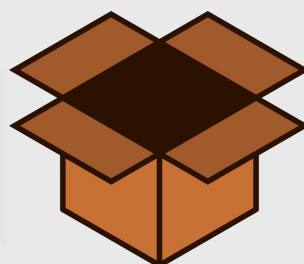
## Year 6: 2022-2023

In Year 6, the Colorado team completed the online transition resource and printed 7,500 Rack Cards with QR Cards for distribution.

The project can be found at:  
[www.mountainstatesgenetics.org/cake](http://www.mountainstatesgenetics.org/cake)

### **Colorado Transition Resources: Layers of Life**

Resources for individuals & families with disabilities or a genetic diagnosis as they navigate the challenging transitions that occur throughout the lifespan.



## Year 7: 2023-2024

Going into grant year 7 the team plans on using their funds to pay an intern for follow up on their year 6 project and to spread awareness about the Colorado Transition Resources: Layers of Life.

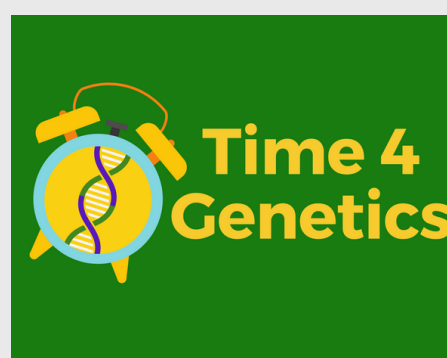
### **Intern & Pop Ups**

The Colorado team plans to pay a genetic counseling student intern to follow up with and gather feedback from the pediatrician offices and early intervention departments of the Community Center Boards that were sent resources and contacted in grant years 5 and 6. The remaining funds will cover shipping and printing costs to provide requested resources. The team also plans to hold a Genetics "Pop-Up" focused on awareness and how to use the Colorado Transition Resources: Layers of Life resource.



## Intern and Mailers

The Colorado team paid a high school intern to help finish up the subtext for the cake project and a prospective genetic counseling student to contact clinics and mail 40 boxes (with magnets, "Where is Bear?", rack cards, redflags and GN bios) to pediatric clinics and CCB's in Colorado.



### **Time 4 Genetics**

The Colorado team recruited 3 clinics to the Time 4 Genetics Initiative to educate primary care providers in their state.