

**We need you! And your child!
And your child's stroller!**



To protest a change in eligibility to 40% delay and 50% delay in expressive language development that will eliminate 1 out of 3 children (10,000 state-wide) at the time that intervention has the greatest impact **as well as increases in family participation fees** of approximately 7 times (700%) of the current fees. (1333% increase for families in the lower income bracket) Families will be priced out of obtaining services for their children with these massive increases.

Date: Monday, March 1st

Place: Office of Governor Patrick

Time: 10-11am at the Governor's Office. Families are encouraged to visit their legislators following this meeting. (We will provide information on where to go)

Why: We need Governor Patrick to stop the implementation of these exorbitant fees and eligibility cuts that will eliminate services for 10,000 children at the time when they need it the most.

What else can I do? Bring copies of your letter to the Governor. We need hundreds of letters so that this message will be heard. Bring family and friends. Make calls, send emails and spread the word. We also need families willing to talk to the press. Please contact Mamulligan@governmentalstrategies.com cell: (617)447-5043 if willing.