

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The State of Ohio requires the parent/guardian of a child entering a preschool program to provide certain health and emergency information *before* the child's first day of preschool attendance, unless otherwise noted. The required forms are attached and include:

- **Emergency Medical Authorization (EMA)**
- **Immunization Record** (must submit to the preschool program no later than the first day of school)
- **Preschool Health History**
- **Dental Report**
- **Physician's Report** (Must be received within thirty (30) days of the first day of attendance)
For children three years of age and older, the physical examination must have been completed within twelve (12) months of the first day of attendance and annually thereafter.

Please give the forms to the teachers when they make your home visit. All forms (except the physician's report) must be at the school before the first day of attendance.

The required health and emergency information is in the best interest of every child attending the preschool program. Such requirements provide for the prevention and control of communicable diseases, appropriate management of children with special health needs, and access to parents/guardians or identified responsible adults in cases of emergency.

Thank you for your cooperation in sending your child's information to school by the required deadlines. If you have any questions related to your child's health status or the preschool requirements, please contact your child's classroom teacher or me at 674-4581.

Sincerely,

Susan Geoppinger

Susan Geoppinger, RN
School Nurse
Early Childhood Program
Hamilton County Education Service Center

Dear Healthcare Provider,

The Ohio Department of Education requires all Center Based Early Childhood Programs to include the following information on the health examination forms (i.e., "Healthcare Provider Form"):

- Vision Screening Results
- Hearing Screening Results
- Height
- Weight
- Lead Level
- Hemoglobin Level

If these screenings are not completed during the office visit, we ask that you provide a very brief explanation on the examination form. Please review the attachment: "Healthcare Provider Form" for further details.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Susan Geoppinger

Susan Geoppinger, R.N.
School Nurse
Early Childhood Program
Hamilton County Education Service Center

Healthcare Provider Report

Preschool health record

Child's Name	Birthdate:	Sex: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
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OBJECTIVE DATA

*Height: _____ (_____ %) *Weight: _____ (_____ %) *BMI: _____ (_____ %) B P: _____ / _____
 * Reason Not completed(ex. Healthcare provider decision, insurance coverage, religious conviction) _____

SCREENING TESTS

VISION	HEARING
Date _____ * If <u>not completed</u> , please explain below _____ Screening equipment utilized: _____ Distance Acuity OD: <u>20/</u> _____ OS: <u>20/</u> _____ Random Dot E/Stereopsis <input type="checkbox"/> pass <input type="checkbox"/> fail <input type="checkbox"/> not done Near Acuity <input type="checkbox"/> pass <input type="checkbox"/> fail <input type="checkbox"/> not done Child wears glasses? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no Tested with glasses? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no Referral made? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no * Reason <u>Not completed</u> (ex. Healthcare provider decision, insurance coverage, religious conviction) _____	Date _____ * If <u>not completed</u> , please explain below _____ <i>Pure tone testing: 1200, 2000, 4000 (HZ) at 20 Decibels</i> Right ear <input type="checkbox"/> pass <input type="checkbox"/> fail <input type="checkbox"/> not done Left ear <input type="checkbox"/> pass <input type="checkbox"/> fail <input type="checkbox"/> not done Typanometry/Impedance <input type="checkbox"/> pass <input type="checkbox"/> fail <input type="checkbox"/> not done Other tests (specify) _____ History of Otitis Media <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no // Insertion of PE tubes <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no Date: _____ Referral made? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no Child wears hearing aid? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no * Reason <u>Not completed</u> (ex. Healthcare provider decision, insurance coverage, religious conviction) _____

SPEECH/LANGUAGE

Speech assessment: Done Not done Child has no discernible speech problem
 Child has possible problem with: Articulation Rhythm Voice Language
 Speech evaluation recommended: Yes No

LABORATORY TESTS/Other tests

*Hemoglobin _____ *Lead level _____
 Atlantoaxial Instability x-ray (required Down Syndrome): Date: _____ Done Not done
 *Reason Not completed(ex. Healthcare provider decision, insurance coverage, religious conviction) _____ Positive Negative

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION: ***Please include an updated copy of the immunization records with this form**

Date of examination: _____ Essentially normal Abnormalities as follows: _____

Is this child able to participate fully in the following:
 A. Classroom and academic activities? yes no
 B. Gross motor activities such as running, tumbling, climbing, etc.? yes no
 If limitations are advised, please specify those limitations: _____

If this child has any physical, developmental or behavioral problems, how can the school assist with special programs, placement or attention?

ASSESSMENT

Problem list:	Recommendation for school management
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PLEASE PRINT OR STAMP

Healthcare provider name:	Healthcare provider signature:
Address	
Phone	Date signed