

Early Childhood Program Covid-19 Resource Materials

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Daily Health Screenings

(from DCFC licensing standards)

407.260 Daily Arrival and Departure of Children

b) Child care staff shall conduct a daily pre-admission screening to determine if the child has obvious symptoms of illness. If symptoms of illness are present, the child's inclusion or exclusion for the day shall be determined in accordance with Section 407.310(b) and (c).

d) A daily attendance log shall be maintained in such a way that it is always possible to determine the number of children present at any given time.

Daily Pre-Admission Screenings (Info taken from a variety of sources including DCFS standards as well as NAEYC and other Early Childhood Webinars/Zoom meetings from within the NID-LCMS, "Hi-Mama", "Bright Wheel" during April & May 2020)

(Printed on a 1/2 sheet of paper for the parent to complete or on an iPad & done orally with the parent/caregiver at arrival time)

Child's Name _____ Date _____

Yes No

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| _____ | _____ | 1. | Child has a normal temperature. (Below 100.4 F; Illinois) |
| _____ | _____ | 2. | The child has been fever-free for 72+ hours without the use of fever reducers. (Tylenol) |
| _____ | _____ | 3. | The child is free of persistent coughing, flushed cheeks, rapid difficulty breathing, fatigue or extreme fussiness. |
| _____ | _____ | 4. | All family members in the household have been Covid 19 free for at least 10 days; |
| _____ | _____ | 5. | The child has not returned from traveling internationally within the last 14 days |
| _____ | _____ | 6. | The child has used hand sanitizer as they entered the building. |

Helpful Covid-19 Early Childhood Resources:

Restore Illinois Child Care Guidelines (State of Illinois; updated 5/22/20)

<https://www2.illinois.gov/sites/OECD/Documents/05.22.20%20Restore%20Illinois%20Child%20Care%20Guidelines.pdf>

CDC- Child Care

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html#pickup>

NAEYC

<https://www.naeyc.org/resources/topics/covid-19>

American Academy of Pediatrics

<https://services.aap.org/en/pages/2019-novel-coronavirus-covid-19-infections/guidance-related-to-childcare-during-covid-19/>

Bright Wheel

<https://mybrightwheel.com/covid-19-resource-center/>

HiMama

<https://www.himama.com/resources/coronavirus-tips-daycare-closure>

EARLY CHILDHOOD ACTION PLAN SAMPLES

Individual Plans from local NID Early Childhood Center pertaining to how they will implement Action Plans for their new health and safety requirements (from DCFS, local health depts, CDC, etc.) in their centers. These individualized plans are now a requirement for DCFS licensed centers

1. Grace, Northbrook (Laurie Schneider, Director)
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1LsMutKhQNRV2ZfvZ9d70Gm_wOnz6IhRU90TeRtPoCLI/edit
2. Immanuel, Downers Grove (Jessica Gade, Director)
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_a9YDPvEyEnfJc6EotabrpF5JgBnjPo_tRImURAL8/edit