

Dear Parent:

Okaloosa-Walton Child Care Services, through its agreement with the Early Learning Coalition of Okaloosa and Walton Counties, offers a number of **FREE** screenings and assessments (vision, hearing, ear, nose and throat check, height and weight and developmental checks). All screenings and assessments are available to children up to the age of five. A parental consent form must be signed and returned to the program director before screenings and assessments will be conducted.

These **FREE** services are designed to detect potential health concerns or developmental delays, which could affect your child's future ability to learn. Screenings and assessments let us know if potential delays exist and if early intervention evaluations are indicated.

If you would like your child to participate in these **FREE** screenings and assessments, please complete and sign the form below. You will be notified in writing of any health or developmental concerns. Program directors will have copies of screenings on file for your review.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following specialists: Developmental Screening Specialist, Registered Nurse, Infant-Toddler Specialist, or Inclusion Specialist at Child Care Services (833-9330).

 _____ **YES**, I grant permission for my child to receive **FREE** health and/or developmental screenings discussed above and for the results of these screenings to be shared with my child's program director.

_____ **NO**, I do not grant permission at this time for my child to participate in the **FREE** health and/or developmental screenings described above.

Parent/Guardian name (Print): _____ Date: _____

Parent Phone Numbers: Days: _____ Evenings: _____

Child's Name: _____ Child's Birth Date: _____ Sex: M or F

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Parent/Guardian Signature: _____