Intake Application for Infants and Toddlers under 3 Years of Age

This application is to assist Westside Regional to determine eligibility for the California Early Start Program. Families whose infants or toddlers have a developmental delay or disability or an established risk condition with a high probability of resulting in a delay may be eligible to receive "Early Start" in California. Teams of service coordinators, healthcare providers, early intervention specialists, therapists, and parent resource specialists evaluate and assess infants or toddlers and provide appropriate early intervention and family support services for young children from birth to three years of age.

Eligibility for Early Start is based on an infant or toddler having one or more of the following conditions:

1. A one-third delay in one or more areas of development before 36 months
2. An Established Risk condition. This is a diagnosed medical condition which has a high probability of resulting in a developmental delay, and/or disability
3. High-Risk for developmental disability due to a combination of two or more risk factors.

To determine your child's eligibility, Westside Regional Center will complete evaluations to assess your child's developmental level. This may consist of a developmental evaluation, and for children older than 18 months, a speech and language evaluation. Additionally, a review of your child's medical history/records is required to clarify and medical or high risk eligible conditions.

This application contains the necessary forms required for Westside Regional Center to initiate the evaluation process. Early Start eligibility determination may take up to 45 days.

To begin the process, complete the application as follows:

1. Complete application (pages 2 to 4) as accurately as possible. The collection of the information on this application is required by the State of California, Department of Developmental Disabilities.
2. Sign the consent for evaluation and services. The evaluation process cannot begin prior to receipt of your written consent.
3. Print out, sign, and submit the entire application and the consent form to WRC’s Early Start Intake Department.

To submit your application, choose one of the following:

1. Scan the documents and send them as an EMAIL ATTACHMENT to IntakeUnderAge3@westsiderc.org
2. Fax the documents to (310) 258 4059
3. Mail the documents to Westside Regional Center, Intake Under Age 3, 5901 Green Valley Circle, Suite 320, Culver City, CA 90230
4. Drop all documents off with the receptionist at Westside Regional Center.

Thank you for your interest in the Early Start Program at the Westside Regional Center. Application questions can be addressed to Sonia Garcia at (310) 258 4120. You can also find more information about California’s Early Start Program at www.dds.ca.gov/EarlyStart.

PLEASE KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR RECORDS.

WESTSIDE REGIONAL CENTER Early Start Application
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Child's Information: Please provide complete information about the child being referred.

First name ________________________Middle name______________ Last name_______________________________

Birth date_________________Age in months________Birth place________________Gender ☐ Male ☐Female

Primary language for communication_________________________ Other languages spoken________________________

Ethnicity___________________________________Social Security Number_____________________________________

Who does the child live with? ☐ Both Parents ☐Mother Only ☐Father Only ☐Foster Parents ☐Caregivers__________ (specify)

Address____

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Mother's Information				Father's Information			
First Name		MI		First Name		MI	
Last Name				Last Name			
AKA or Maiden Name				AKA			
ADDRESS				**ADDRESS**			
Street				Street			
City		State		City		State	
Zip Code				Zip Code			
Email				Email			
Home	( )			Home	( )		
Work	( )			Work	( )		
Cell Phone	( )			Cell Phone	( )		
Primary Language				Primary Language			
Birthdate (mm-dd-yyyy)				Birthdate (mm-dd-yyyy)			
Disabled:	Y / N	Date:		Disabled:	Y / N	Date	
Deceased:	Y / N	Date:		Deceased:	Y / N	Date	
Marital Status	☐Married ☐Single	☐Divorced ☐Widower	☐Separated	Marital Status	☐Married ☐Single	☐Divorced ☐Widower	☐Separated

List all family members, including yourself, who live with the child:

Name Relationship Date of birth

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Who is the primary legally responsible party that can be contacted regarding the child's application?

Name Relationship Phone number Email

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Please provide information regarding the individual, agency, or office that made referral.
Name of Agency/Contact Person Phone Number Fax/Email

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Has this child received assessment or any services from another regional Center? □ Yes □ No
If "yes", please name the regional center____

Insurance: Please check all that apply, include plan name and bring all benefit cards to your appointment.

☐ Medi-Cal #: ______________________ ☐ HMO ____________________ ☐ Fee for Service
(plan name)

☐ Private Insurance: __________________ ☐ HMO ____________________ ☐ PPO __________________
(plan name) (plan name) (plan name)

Medical History

Birth weight______________Gestation_______Any neonatal intensive care unit or birth complications? □ Yes □ No
Please describe any birth complications:____

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Does the child have any medical diagnoses/conditions? □ Yes □ No Does the child have a visual impairment? □ Yes □ No
Please describe the impairment____

Please describe your child's best qualities____

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Please describe your primary concerns with the child's development.

Language Development

How many words does the child have?_________________ Does the child combine words? □ Yes □ No
List age (in months) the child could say single words_______ Has the child lost speech? □ Yes □ No
Does the child understand &follow commands? □ Yes □ No Has the child's hearing been tested? □ Yes □ No
Does the child respond to his/her name? □ Yes □ No Results of the hearing test? □ Pass □ No pass
Please describe any concerns____

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Physical Development

List age in months the child could do the following: Roll over_________Sit without support_________Crawl_________
Pull self to stand________________Walk by Holding Furniture_______________Walk without support______________

Please describe any concerns____

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Social/Behavioral Development

Please describe any concerns about the child's social interactions and/or behavior________________________________

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Clinician Contact Information for Medical Record Request: Please indicate the name and contact information for the child's birth hospital or NICU, current physician, and/or other medical specialists.

Name of the Birth Hospital/Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)____

Address____

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Phone Number____

Current Physician				**Other Physicians/Specialists** (e.g. neurologist, geneticist)			
First Name		MI		First Name		MI	
Last Name				Last Name			
ADDRESS				**ADDRESS**			
Street				Street			
City		State		City		State	
Zip Code				Zip Code			
Phone #	( )			Phone #	( )		
Fax #	( )			Fax #	( )		
Email				Email			
Specialty				Specialty			

Other Physicians/Specialists (e.g. neurologist, geneticist)				**Other Physicians/Specialists** (e.g. neurologist, geneticist)			
First		MI		First		MI	
Name				Last			
ADDRESS				**ADDRESS**			
Street				Street			
City		State		City		State	
Zip Code				Zip Code			
Phone #	( )			Phone #	( )		
Fax #	( )			Fax #	( )		
Email				Email			
Specialty				Specialty			

Name of Child____Date of Birth____________________

Parent Signature____Date___________________________

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emailed to IntakeUnderAge3@westsiderc.org, faxed to (310) 258 4059, mailed to Westside Regional Center, Intake Under Age 3, 5901 Green Valley Circle, Suite 320, Culver City, CA 90230, or dropped off with the receptionist at Westside Regional Center. Application questions can be addressed to Sonia Garcia at (310) 258 4120.

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Parents Consent for Assessment

Child ______________________ Birth Date ______________ UCI # __________

Primary Language of the Home ______________________ Agency ______________ Date __________

Consent for Assessment

Dear Parent or Guardian:

An individual evaluation to determine whether your child needs to begin or continue receiving early intervention services from agencies participating in the Early Start Program is needed. The assessment will help to identify your child's strengths and areas of need. The assessment may include: 1) observation of your child at home or other appropriate settings; 2) an interview with you; 3) review of medical and other reports you agreed to share; and 4) examination using a Denver II Screening or Bayley II Skills test.

The assessment may be conducted in any or all of the following areas:

- ☒ Cognitive development
- ☒ Physical development, including a recent vision, hearing and heath status
- ☒ Communication development (expressive and receptive language)
- ☒ Social/Emotional development
- ☒ Adaptive development

☒ Family Needs Assessment: *The Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP) is required, with the concurrence of the family, to include a statement of the family's concerns, priorities and resources related to enhancing the development of the child.*

Assessment May Be Completed by:

- ☐ Psychologist (PS)
- ☒ Speech and Language Specialist (SL)
- ☐ Teacher for the Visually Impaired (VI)
- ☐ Community Mental Health (CMH)
- ☐ Teacher (T)
- ☒ Hearing Impaired Specialist (HI)
- ☐ Nurse (N)
- ☐ Physician (P)
- ☒ Physical Therapist (PT)
- ☒ Occupational Therapist (OT)
- ☐ Orientation/Mobility Instructor (OM)
- ☐ Early Intervention Specialist (EIS)
- ☐ Other (specify): ______________________

☒ *I consent to an evaluation/assessment of my child for purposes of determining eligibility and/or determining early intervention needs.*

☒ *I consent to a Family Needs Assessment. This information will be included in the IFSP to help identify family priorities, needs and* resources related to my child.

I understand that the results will be kept confidential and that I will be invited to attend the IFSP meeting to discuss the assessment results. It is also my understanding that no services will result without my written permission.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: ______________________ Date ______________

IFSP Team Member ______________________ Position ______________
Agency ______________________ Telephone Number: ______________
Address ______________________ City ______________ State ________

Should you have questions regarding this assessment, do not hesitate to call the above named person.