

Guiding Questions for Families

Child's Name: DOB: / / Date: / /

Name of Person(s) Completing this Document:

Relationship(s) to Child:

Parents and caregivers are essential partners in understanding how children learn, communicate, interact with other children and adults, and attempt to have their needs met. Answering the questions below will provide valuable information on this child's behaviors and skills within everyday routines and activities. Feel free to provide examples and let us know if you have any concerns in each area.

How does your child:	Please provide examples: (If you need more room, please feel free to use the back.)
Develop Positive Social Emotional Skills Interact with parents/guardians & familiar adults? Interact with siblings & familiar children? Respond to new people/strangers/places? Express & manage own feelings/emotions? Use language to greet and engage others?	
Acquire and Use Knowledge & Skills Understand & respond to questions? Follow directions? Solve problems? Stay on tasks? Remember familiar routines? Demonstrate interest in books? Explore new environments, toys, & books? Use words, grammar and sentence structure? Demonstrate early literacy & math skills?	
Take Appropriate Action to Meet Needs Participate in feeding, dressing, & toileting? Identify & respond to unsafe situations? Travel &move his/her whole body? Use hands/arms to play & meet needs? Communicate wants & needs?	