Early Head Start

UTRGV - PSJA - EHS - CC Partnership Program



POLICY AND PROCEDURE FOR MY DAILY REPORT (12-35 MONTHS)

Policy

A program must offer opportunities for parents and family members to be involved in the program's education services and implement policies to ensure: (2) Teachers regularly communicate with parents to ensure they are well-informed about their child's routines, activities, and behavior; *Head Start Performance Standards 1302.34 (b)(2) Engaging parents and family members*.

Must I share a daily report with parents for each infant in my care? You must provide a daily written or electronic report to the infant's parent when or by the time the infant is picked up from the child-care center. The report must contain: (1) Times the infant slept; (2) Times and amount of food consumed; (3) Times of diaper changes; (4) Infant's general mood for the day; and (5) A brief summary of the activities in which the infant participated. *Minimum Standards for Child Care Centers 746.2431*.

Based on the above policies UTRGV-PSJA-EHS-CCP Program staff will offer opportunities for parents and family members to be involved in the program's education services and implement policies to ensure: (2) Teachers regularly communicate with parents to ensure they are well- informed about their child's routines, activities, and behavior's Early Head Start (EHS) Center will provide a daily written report to the parent. The report contains: nap times, time & foods consumed, times of diaper changes, child's general mood, and a brief summary of the activities in which the child participated.

<u>Procedure</u>

- 1. My Daily Report will be filled out throughout the day for each individual child.
- 2. The EHS teacher will document child's name and the date the report is being completed.
- 3. The EHS teacher will fill in mealtimes, and document foods that were offered and circle if the child consumed all, some, or none.
- 4. The EHS teacher will indicate the child's mood by selecting cheerful, content, restless, or by selecting other and writing in the mood.
- 5. The EHS teacher will indicate any concerns by selecting rash, runny nose. cough, sneezing, or by selecting other and writing in any other concerns.
- 6. The EHS teacher will document times for when the child napped. Indicate if oral hygiene was provided by selecting, I brushed my teeth.
- 7. The EHS teacher will document diaper change or toilet training efforts including the time along with whether the child was dry (D), wet (W), had a bowel movement (BM), or if the child used the restroom (RR). If child was wet (W) or had a bowel movement (BM) but also used the restroom, document both in the square provided. (example: W/RR or BM/RR)
- 8. The EHS teacher will document an activity that was done that day or if a child received therapy document which therapy service the child received. Indicate if the child has any needs you would like to communicate with parent.
- 9. The name of both classroom EHS teacher will be documented at the bottom of the form.
- 10. A copy of the child's "My Daily Report" will be sent to the parents daily. All My Daily Report Forms will be kept on file.