COVID-19 Screening for Families Participating in Early Intervention Services

When there is an identified need for in-person EI service, the provider of the EI services should contact the family <u>prior to every</u> in-person service to ask the following health screening questions:

Name of Respondent:

Child's Name:

Does anyone in the home have signs or symptoms of a fever, new or worsening cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, respiratory illness? Is anyone in the home under quarantine due to having close contact with someone with or waiting for testing results for COVID-19? Additional Consideration: * Yes Will a person with a weakened immune system, a person
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who is 65 or older, or a person that has chronic health conditions or other factors that pose a risk if the person becomes infected with COVID-19 be present during the visit?
Consideration Comments:

If the response is yes to any of the three screening questions above, it is recommended that the provider of EI services coordinate with the family to participate in a tele-intervention session instead of an in-person session.

*If the response is yes to the additional consideration question, it is recommended that the provider of EI services and family discuss the possible risk in delivering an in-person session and document the reason for the decision to proceed or not proceed under "Consideration Comments". Tele-intervention is an option for providing EI service(s).

Quarantine Recommendations are issued through the Pennsylvania Department of Health using a Health Alert Network (HAN communication). An <u>Updated Quarantine Recommendations for Person Exposed to COVID-19 HAN communication is available.</u>

During in person sessions, all participants should practice appropriate public health measures to slow the spread of COVID-19 such as masking, physical distancing, and hand hygiene.