



**VENTURA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH  
Family Support Services Referral**



**\*\*\* PLEASE FAX REFERRAL TO (805) 654-7610\*\*\***

**REFERRING PARTY INFORMATION**

Date of Referral: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILD'S INFORMATION**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ AKA: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX:  M  F Language:  English  Spanish other: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Message: \_\_\_\_\_

Living With: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_

Identify Child's Strengths: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Describe Child's Needs: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Describe Parent's Needs: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If child is receiving services, please specify why parent needs additional support: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REFERRAL STATUS**

Unable to locate

Client is not interested in services

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## When to Initiate a Referral for Family Support

Family Support Specialists are available to provide support to parents and families with children birth to five years of age who do not qualify for early intervention services. In addition, family support specialists are available to help support and assist parents in advocating for their child's developmental needs and accessing community resources that can help improve their child's development. Please see the list below which specifies when it would be appropriate to refer a family to this program.

Please check all the appropriate box(es) which apply:

- Child did not qualify for early intervention services through Early Start, Tri-Counties Regional Center (0-3 years of age)
- Child is almost 3 years old and is in the process of transitioning out of the Early Start, Tri-Counties Regional Center and parent needs support
- Child did not qualify for services through their local School District (3-5 years of age)
- Child is receiving services through their local School District but parent needs additional support in navigating the system and/ or advocating for their child
- Parent needs assistance and/or support in navigating the system of early intervention services for their child (0-5 years of age)
- Parent has concerns regarding their child's development (0-5 years of age) and needs support
- Parent has concerns regarding their child's development (0-5 years of age) and needs to be informed of further resources in the community

If you have further questions, or if we can be of any assistance, please call our office to speak with a Family Support Specialist at (805) 654-7601.



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