PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING PROGRAMS REFERRAL





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REFERRAL SOURCE:					
Date:		Referred By:			
Phone:		E-Mail:			
FAMILY INFORMATION					
Parent/Guardian:			Date of Birth:		
Address:			Male ☐ Female ☐	l No Response □	
City:			Zip Code:		
Phone:			E-mail:		
Ethnicity: White/Caucasian	Black/African Americ	an□ Asian	☐ Hispanic☐ Native	American□ Pacific Islander□	
Mother Pregnant:	Due Date: First Time Parent: Yes □ No □				
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List children age youngest to	oldest:				
Child A:	Date of Birth:	Chi	ld D:	Date of Birth:	
Child B:	Date of Birth:	Chi	ld E:	Date of Birth:	
Child C:	Date of Birth:	Chi	ld F:	Date of Birth:	
FAMILY NEEDS/ADDITIONA	AL INFORMATION				
I am aware my personal information may be shared with Sacramento County Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health Program for referral purposes.					
Signature of Client:		☐ Client was verbally advised of referral			

REFERRAL CRITERIA EXAMPLES (not all-inclusive)





AGE ELIGIBILITY	REF	ERRAL CRITERIA
All Ages		Unstable Housing.
		Five or more emergency room visits in a six-month period that could have been avoided with
		appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence.
		Three or more hospital stays in a six-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate
		outpatient care or improved treatment adherence.
Pregnancy		First time mother.
		Mother or father with limited support and/or infant care knowledge or first time mom/parent.
		Current substance misuse during pregnancy, substance misuse during pregnancy but has since stopped use, and/or substance misuse during previous pregnancies or within the last year.
		History of maternal mental illness/developmental delays without treatment or services.
		Maternal depression or history of post-partum depression.
		Delivery with no or inadequate prenatal care.
		History of abuse and/or neglect of other children.
		Violence in home.
		Physical symptoms/conditions that may complicate pregnancy: toxemia, preterm labor, severe nausea/vomiting, multiple gestation, gestational diabetes, severe anemia, inadequate or
Children		excessive weight gain, untreated or uncontrolled chronic illness.
Children		Preterm infant born at or before 34 weeks.
0-18		Low birth weight (2,499 g/ 5 lbs. 8.1 ounces or less).
		Prenatal drug exposure and/or a positive toxicological screen. This also includes substance-exposed children.
		Infant appearing to have acute withdrawal symptoms.
		Failure to thrive/feeding issues.
		Maladaptive parent/infant interactions (refusing to feed, threatening infant/child, threatening to leave with infant AMA).
		Newborn/infant who has physical or medical problems that may impact vital life functions including sustained hypoxia (lack of oxygen), pre or post-natal anomalies, or a life-threatening illness/condition such as respiratory distress syndrome.
		Severe medical conditions not addressed by specialty care providers; needs linkages.
		Child/Adolescent with developmental delays not addressed by specialty care providers; needs linkages.
		Caretaker is medically non-compliant due to barriers in accessing care.
		Caretaker has significant learning/developmental delays not addressed by intervention services.
		Caretaker has a psychiatric disorder that puts the child at risk.
At Risk		Infant or child under 18 years with possible developmental delays and not receiving early
Families		intervention services.
		Parent/caregiver has unrealistic expectations or perceptions of infant/child's behavior or development; unresponsive to infant/child's needs and/ or needs specialized education regarding infant/child care, nutrition, and/or safety issues.
		Family has one or more barriers to accessing basic needs, including: community resources, insurance, health care providers.
		Family has challenges in following through with appointments and/or health provider recommendations.
		One or more household members engage in at-risk behaviors including: substance misuse, gang
		involvement, violent behaviors, and/or unprotected sex.
		Potential for or past history of domestic or intimate partner violence. Family has minimal coping or problem-solving skills.
		Family does not have an identifiable support network.
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For Internal Use- Notes: