



# PR-04 REFERRAL FOR EVALUATION

## CHILD'S INFORMATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ID NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: OH ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

BUILDING OF CURRENT ATTENDANCE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER(S): \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S NATIVE LANGUAGE (if not English): \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENTS' / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: OH ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S NATIVE LANGUAGE (if not English): \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Referral:

## EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Provide data about the child's progress in the general curriculum or, for the preschool-age child, data pertaining to the child's growth and development:

Provide data from previous interventions, including Interventions required by rule 3301-35-06 or; for the preschool child, data from early intervention, community or preschool providers:

Provide any relevant trend data beyond the past twelve months, including the review of current and previous IEPs:

Number of school districts attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Years at present school building: \_\_\_\_\_

List schools/early childhood programs and dates:

## ATTENDANCE:

Regular  Irregular

Is this student age-appropriate for grade level?  Yes  No

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION

### A. Health Data

Do you suspect problems with  Vision  Hearing  
Does the student  Wear Glasses  Use hearing aid(s)

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Does the student take medication  Yes  No

Does the student have any health/developmental/physical problems of which you are aware?  Yes  No

## B. Environmental Factors

Describe any specific home factors that might affect the student's performance in school

**For Preschool Children Only** (please check the area(s) of concern):

- |  |  |                                    |                                      |
|--|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eating                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Dressing                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Toileting | <input type="checkbox"/> Attention   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Receptive Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Expressive Communication  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing   | <input type="checkbox"/> Gross Motor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cognitive               | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Motor                | <input type="checkbox"/> Play      |                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vision                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Emotional Behavior |                                    |                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other                   |  |                                    |                                      |

Describe any other pertinent information not previously described:

## SIGNATURES

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Person Initiating the Referral

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Person Receiving the Referral

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position or Relationship to Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Received

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date District Suspects a Disability

**Permission to Consult**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby give my permission for the  
Parent/Legal Guardian/Surrogate  
\_\_\_\_\_ to respond to a request for assistance  
School District  
for \_\_\_\_\_.  
Name of Child

I am giving my permission for the following assessments (***please check all that apply***):

- Review of relevant records (releases of information will be included)
- Interviews with caregiver, myself, teacher
- Observation(s) of my child
- Assessment (e.g., curriculum-based, screening, and other appropriate measures to determine interventions)
- Augmentative/Communication Evaluation (team decision making process for communication technology which includes meetings every 4 – 6 weeks and may include trials of assistive technology and/or picture communication systems.)
- Permission to evaluate child for physical therapy services.
- Permission to release physical therapy evaluation to child’s physician.
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

I further understand and agree that the information collected by the school district will then be reviewed and the team will develop an intervention plan and designate the resources needed to implement these interventions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Child’s Physician**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Name of Parent/Legal Guardian/Surrogate**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Address, City, State, Zip code**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Phone #**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

Region 14 - Hopewell Motor Evaluation  
***Pre-school or School Age***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check service area(s) for which you are requesting an evaluation. A physical therapy evaluation will require a doctor's prescription or permission from parent to forward P.T. evaluation to Doctor (on permission to consult page).

\_\_\_\_\_ Occupational Therapy

- \_\_\_ Fine Motor skills
- \_\_\_ Sensory/Attention Issues
- \_\_\_ Handwriting
- \_\_\_ Self Care in school setting
- \_\_\_ Feeding/Oral Motor
- \_\_\_ Adaptive Equipment

\_\_\_\_\_ Physical Therapy

- \_\_\_ Gross Motor Skills
- \_\_\_ Walking/Balance
- \_\_\_ Stair Climbing
- \_\_\_ Positioning in school
- \_\_\_ Wheelchair mobility
- \_\_\_ Wheelchair needs
- \_\_\_ Adaptive Equipment

\_\_\_\_\_ Adaptive Physical Education

- \_\_\_ Gross Motor Skills of P.E.
- \_\_\_ Modification/Adaptations for P.E.
- \_\_\_ Adaptive Equipment Recommendations

What is your main concern for this student:

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Does the student have a current IEP? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Is there any other information you would like us to know about the student?

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parents and Physicians:

Physical therapy in public schools is different than physical therapy in a hospital, clinic or home health setting. Whereas the hospital therapist directs her/his attention primarily toward rehabilitating the physical impairments of the child, my focus will be toward removing any barriers that may limit the child's ability to execute functional tasks required in the school environment more proficiently, and teaching appropriate personnel to understand different considerations that must be given to a child with a disability.

I work with the teachers and staff in helping each student acquire the functional abilities needed to access his/her educational environment during the school day. I may work with the student and adapt his equipment so that he/she can function better while at school, whether in the classroom, the lunchroom, or the playground. During the Physical Therapy assessment, I will be evaluating many areas including your child's gross motor skills, balance, and his ability to access his/her environment either by walking and/or wheelchair.

Special education students are in a demanding environment when at school. The methods used in presenting educational materials to them and their mobility in a school environment must be modified to meet the demands of their disability. The child's disorder may complicate the ability to communicate, to view educational materials, to move about the school environment. I will work closely with his/her teachers to promote the highest level of function for the student while he/she pursues his/her educational goals. Any information you can share to assist us in this endeavor is greatly appreciated.

Doctor, Please sign and return the enclosed **PT script** if you wish \_\_\_\_\_  
D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_ to receive school based services for the 2009 - 2010 school year.  
**Please include a diagnosis and corresponding ICD-9 code to assist us in best meeting the child's medical needs.**

Sincerely,

Ellen Ryan, P.T.  
Physical Therapist

Tracy Ames, P.T.  
Physical Therapist

**Medical Authorization for Physical Therapy  
Evaluation/Services to meet Educational Need**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To Whom It May Concern:

\_\_\_\_\_ is in need of  
(Child's Name)

Check all that apply:

- \_\_\_\_\_ A physical therapy evaluation as a part of the multi-factored evaluation
  - \_\_\_\_\_ School based Physical Therapy to meet educational needs
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Adaptive Equipment (positioning devices, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

**Diagnosis & ICD-9:**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name of Physician)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of Physician)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Address)

\_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State) \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip Code)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Phone Number)

**Precautions/Suggestions:**

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parents/Guardians:

We would like to notify you that Region 14 – Hopewell Center has become eligible to receive Medicaid reimbursement for Augmentative Communication, Audiological, Speech Therapy Service, Occupational Therapy Services, Physical Therapy Services and Psychological Assessments. Unless we receive a note of denial or a phone call from you, we will be billing Medicaid for your child.

If you have any questions, please call Diane Mason at Region 14 – Hopewell Center, 937-393-1904 ext. 115.

Thank you.