**HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Your child’s health is a matter of major importance to us all. Upon enrollment, you must read and complete your child’s Emergency Release Statement and submit a Health Assessment Form signed by his/her physician. The State of Connecticut requires that every child have a certain standard immunization and a tuberculin clearance. In addition, The State requires an annual physical examination and a flu shot for all children under the age of 5 years old that attend a license program. If you need help in completing the Husky insurance form, finding a medical home, dental service, and / or nutritional screenings, please contact the director. Oral Health, and Hearing and Vision screenings take place here at the center once per year.

Children that are ill cannot be cared for at the center. For the parents who wish to discuss their child’s condition with his/her teacher, a staff member is available by telephone in the early morning hours to help parents make decisions regarding the appropriateness of attendance for him/her that day. In addition, staff may be consulted regarding any health concern during the day.

In case of an illness or accidental injury we will make an immediate attempt to contact you. If you cannot be reached, we will call your emergency contact. The In-Charge Administrator will make all decisions about the care of the child. The office will maintain a signed consent form agreeing to this provision. 911 will be called if a child needs to be transported to the hospital.