Ohio Early Intervention Compliance Indicator Verification Standards

This guidance document is intended to serve as an additional checklist for compliance documentation. It is not an exhaustive list of requirements and does not address related requirements. If you have questions about documentation and/or compliance, please contact your EI program consultant.

45-Day Verification

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Component		Verification	Source of information	Requirement
		document		
Eligibility	Eval (including ICO)	IFSP	Section 3A	First box checked with date
			Section 3B	I - IV complete, as applicable
			Section 3E	Team member information
				Evaluator(s) represent two disciplines/licenses
	Diagnosed	IFSP	Section 3A	Second box checked
	condition on the list			Diagnosis listed
	(any)			Date EISC received documentation confirming diagnosis
		Documentation	Document from health	5
		confirming the	professional confirming	Child's name
		qualifying diagnosed	diagnosis	Child's diagnosis
		condition		Professional's signature or authorization (a
				professional licensed to diagnose and treat mental or physical conditions)
				Examples include a signed note from the physician, a
				hospital discharge document with the diagnosis
				and physician's name, an email with an electronic signature from the health professional, a
				diagnostic report that includes the diagnosing
				physician's name, etc. Documentation can be
				obtained via hard copy, photocopy, or digital
				image.

Component		Verification document	Source of information	Requirement
	If the diagnosis is elevated blood lead levels (EBLLs) or neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS),	IFSP	Section 3A	Second box checked Diagnosis listed as elevated blood lead levels or NAS Date EISC received documentation confirming diagnosis reflects date EI referral received
	and the referral was made by ODH, alternative documentation may be submitted	Contact page of the child record in EIDS	Diagnosed Physical or Mental Conditions box OR Consolidated Referral Information box OR Referral Notes	Print a copy of the applicable contact page which indicates a referral from ODH for elevated blood lead levels or NAS
	Diagnosis on the form	IFSP Form EI-12	Section 3A Entire form	Second box checked Diagnosis listed Date EISC received completed EI-12 confirming diagnosis Child's name and DOB Specific diagnosis At least one box checked for potential area of delay Health professional information, including signature Date form received by EISC
	Children who move to Ohio from out of state	See appropriate category above		Within 180 days prior to El program referral
Child Assessm	ient	IFSP	Section 3E	Strengths and needs complete Completion date documented next to team information or in case note Team member information Assessor(s) represent two disciplines/ licenses

Component	Verification document	Source of information	Requirement
Family Assessment Date	Form EI-03	Entire form	Child's name, DOB
			Consent choice checked
			Parent signature and date
			Date FDA offered
	In addition, if		
	consent given:		
	IFSP	Section 3C	FDA summary completed
			Date
			Approved tool
IFSP - consent for services	IFSP	Header	IFSP type and date
		Section 5	Parent signature and date
			EISC signature and date
			Eval and Assessment team
NCR	Case note	Case note with date/s	Must support reason and reflect date within 45-day
		(Case notes may be	window*
		documented on paper or	Date of case note
		electronically)	Signature or initials
	Other sources, such	Dated document with details	Documentation with details of event
	as a newspaper	of event (weather	
	article, email, etc.	emergency, closure, etc.)	

*Note that the federal regulations require that any late activities be completed as soon as possible after the documented exceptional family circumstances no longer exist.

TRS Verification

Component	Verification document	Source of information	Requirement
IFSP date	IFSP	Header	IFSP type and date
		Section 5	Parent signature and date El Service Coordinator signature and date
New service added	IFSP	Section 4	Outcome identified All new El services listed on the grid (El Services) Service type, Method, Location, How often, Session length, Provider agency, Funding source, and Projected end date complete Projected end date not past third birthday
Service start date	Service provider note	Any written service provider note	Documentation of the early intervention services provided, including: date, length, duration, frequency, intensity, method of delivery, location, and all activities related to Individualized Family Service Plan outcomes Provider name and discipline Provider within his/her licensure (provider and service type must match) Information was provided to, or intervention occurred with, the family Provider signature
	Service provider form	Any written service provider form	
NCR	Case note	Case note with date/s (Case notes may be documented on paper or electronically)	Must support reason and reflect date within 30-day window* Date of case note Signature or initials of service provider
	Other sources, such as a newspaper article, email, etc.	Dated document with details of event (weather emergency, closure, etc.)	Documentation with details of event

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Transition Verification

Component	Verification document	Source of information	Requirement
Steps and Services	IFSP	Section 4	"Outcome addresses transition" checked Transition outcome written Strategies section completed
		Section 5	Parent signature and date El Service Coordinator signature and date Date is within required timeline
Transition Planning Conference (TPC)	Form EI-07 In addition, if consent given:	TPC section	Consent choice checked Parent signature and date
	IFSP	Header	IFSP type and date "TPC" written next to IFSP date or a case note documenting TPC date
		Section 1	Date of birth
		Section 5	Parent signature and date El Service Coordinator signature and date
NCR	Case note	Case note with date/s (Case notes may be documented on paper or electronically)	Must support reason and reflect date prior to due date* Date of case note Signature or initials
	Other sources such as a newspaper article, email, etc.	Dated document with details of event (weather emergency, closure, etc.)	Documentation with details of event

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