Early Intervention Transition Rule 5123-10-02 (L)

2019







Department of Developmental Disabilities

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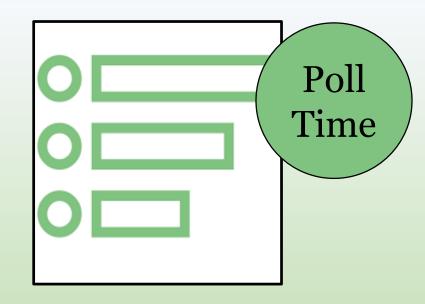
When does Transition start?



Disclosure of Personally Identifiable Information (PII) 5123-10-02 (L)(1)(a)

EI-07 Consents for Transition

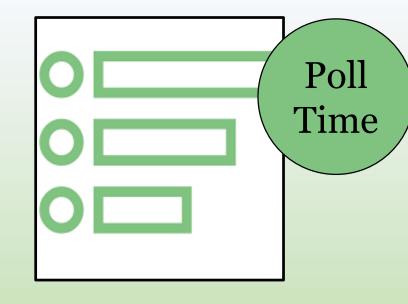
EI-08 Consent to Refer Child to the Local Education Agency and Ohio Department of Education (referral received 45 or fewer days from child's third birthday)



When does the official conversation about transition start?

A. at the first visit with the family

- B. after the initial IFSP is signed
- C. at the IFSP meeting closest to the child's second birthday



True or False: The consent for Transition is a form separate from the IFSP.

True

False

Notification to Local Education Agency 5123-01-02 (L) (1)(b)



Child referred more than 45 days/fewer than 90 days before third birthday 5123-10-02(L)(1)(c)

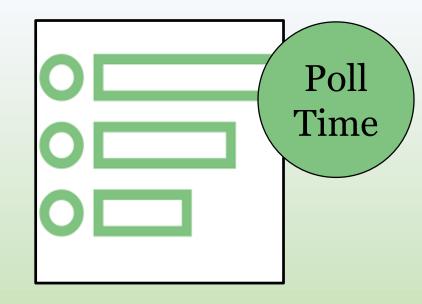


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Child referred 45 or fewer calendar days before third birthday 5123-10-02 (L)(1)(d)

EI-08

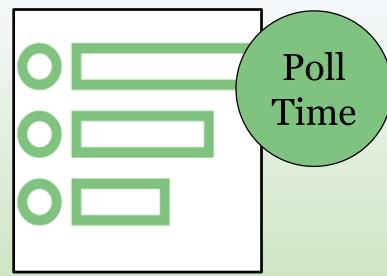




True or False: For children who may be eligible for Part B services, the EISC must obtain parent consent to notify the LEA.

True

False



What are the requirements for transition when the child is suspected of being eligible for Part B services (select all that apply)?

A. Obtain consent to share information with the LEA

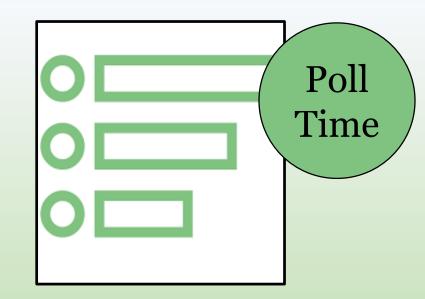
- B. Obtain consent to invite the LEA to the TPC
- C. Develop an IFSP outcome with steps/activities needed to meet the outcome
- D. Conduct a TPC between 9 months and 90 calendar days of the child's 3rd birthday if the parent has consented to a TPC

IFSP Transition Planning 5123-10-02 (L)(2)

(a) Not fewer than ninety calendar days, but not more than nine months before a child's third birthday, the individualized family service plan shall include at least one transition outcome to create a plan to support a smooth transition of the child from early intervention services under Part C to preschool services under Part B or to other appropriate services.

Transition Planning Conference 5123-10-02(L)(2)

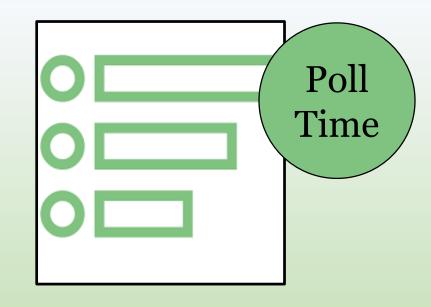




True or False: All children must have a TPC.

True

False



True or False: All children must have a transition outcome.

True

False

Your Questions

What if the TPC occurs without another agency? We have always been advised a TPC must occur, even if the family chooses not to meet with the LEA or another agency? For example, if a family believes their child will be ineligible or does not want to meet with the LEA, and wants their child to simply be at home with them or will pay for therapy with insurance, I have always held a TPC to discuss ongoing options and how to contact the LEA or other agencies for help in the future. Is this no longer called a TPC? I assume the conversation should still happen...

5123-10-02 (J)(4)-(9) and (K)

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Scenario	Requirements
Child is suspected of being eligible for Part B. Parent consents to TPC. Parent consents to invite the LEA to the TPC.	TPC occurs during IFSP meeting. LEA is invited.
Child is <i>not</i> suspected of being eligible for Part B. Parent consents to TPC.	TPC occurs during the IFSP meeting. Other community providers are invited.
Parent does not consent to the TPC.	Team will develop a transition outcome but not hold the TPC.

Your Questions

I know the transition outcome is completed during a regularly scheduled IFSP review which makes sense, but can you please clarify whether an IFSP review will now be required at the TPC? For most families, this meeting is heavily focused on meeting with the school district and answering questions about transition. Adding a requirement to review the IFSP takes away from the SC just being present to support the family and answer questions and will lead to poor quality IFSP reviews rushed at the end of the meeting.

If the goal of adding an IFSP review to the TPC is that the meeting is completed at a regularly scheduled review, please note that most school districts are not willing to meet much earlier than the 33 month due date as the TPC starts their timelines for completing evaluations, etc. Is this something that has been considered?

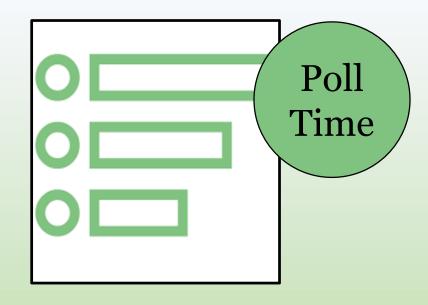
Please clarify the new transition steps and activities tab in EIDS. What type of things should be entered here? Is this completed at the transition outcome or the TPC?

TPCs were previously a requirement for all families. It looks like it is now an option under new rule. Is this correct?

Your Questions

EI-07: Both this form and EIDS now use the language asking if the parent gives consent to a TPC. Our understanding is that EVERY child has a transition planning conference. Aren't SCs required to do transition planning for all children even if the family does not want to invite the LEA? When is an example of when a parent can opt out of transition planning?

EI-07: It appears this consent gives permission for the child's information to go on the LEA report. Is there a timeframe in which this consent can/must be completed?



How must the team proceed if the LEA cannot attend the TPC?

- A. Hold the TPC without the LEA.
- B. Wait until the LEA is available to meet.
- C. Do not hold a TPC, but identify a transition outcome and steps/activities to meet the outcome.

Next up: EI Forms June 4, 2019 8:30-10:30 a.m.



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