

# INTERAGENCY COUNCIL RELEASE OF INFORMATION/ RELEASE OF RECORDS FOR TRANSITION PLANNING

Residence County \_\_\_\_\_ Referred By \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_ M/F \_\_\_\_\_ Race \_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic: Y/N

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Best # \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize the following Interagency Council(s) and other designated persons or agencies to engage in verbal, written, facsimile, or computerized communication for my child. All pertinent records and information can be released. I am aware that this information will be strictly confidential and will be used in my child's best interest in order to provide **the best medical, educational, and transition planning**. I am aware that my child's needs may be discussed at a Council meeting and that I may participate as an advocate for my child. I am also aware that my child's information will be entered into the Children's Registry and Information System maintained for the State of Florida by the Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System. The list of members for each of the Interagency Councils is provided on back of this form. I am aware that I may deny consent for disclosure to any of the agencies designated.

**INTERAGENCY COUNCIL(S)/AGENCIES AUTHORIZED TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION INCLUDE:**

**Alachua County, Citrus County, Marion County and Tri-County** (Dixie, Gilchrist & Levy Counties)

Hospitals \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Information will not be disclosed to any party except personnel with a specific and legitimate educational or medical service interest without prior written consent of parent or legal guardian.

**THE FOLLOWING RECORDS MAY BE EXCHANGED:**

Psychological Testing	OT/PT Reports
Social/Developmental History	Staffing Reports/Family Support Plans
Health/Medical Records	Hospital Records
Speech, Language and Hearing Reports	

**SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:** \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Educational Transition Planning**

As required by State and Federal law **UF Health**, other medical care providers, and therapeutic providers may not use or disclose medical information without your authorization. Your signature on this form indicates that you are giving permission for the uses and disclosures of the health information requested. I understand that I am under no obligation to sign this authorization. I hereby release **UF Health** and its employees from any and all liability that may arise from the release of information as I have directed. I am requesting that current medical information, records, and reports be released to the following:

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Attention: Prekindergarten Personnel  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact: \_\_\_\_\_



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The Interagency Councils assess the range of services available in the community for children with special needs and makes recommendations for the development or improvement of needed programs.

The Councils provide the avenue for service agencies to avoid duplication of services, to consolidate resources, to simplify application processes for families, and to plan for future programs.

The Councils work as an advocate group to seek better ways to meet the medical and educational needs of young children. The agencies of the Councils provide services to children ages birth to five years of age and their families.

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*The following list are some of the main participating agencies that are members of the Interagency Councils listed on the Release of Information form. There may be others that participate that are not specifically listed.*

#### ALACHUA COUNTY

Alachua County Health Department  
Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Children's Home Society  
Children's Medical Services  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Division of Blind Services  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
School Board of Alachua County

#### DIXIE COUNTY

Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Children's Home Society  
Children's Medical Services  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Division of Blind Services  
Dixie County Health Department  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
Head Start/Early Head Start  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
School Board of Dixie County

#### LEVY COUNTY

Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Children's Home Society  
Children's Medical Services  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Division of Blind Services  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
Head Start/Early Head Start  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Levy County Health Department  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
School Board of Levy County

#### CITRUS COUNTY

ARC/Key Training Center  
Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Childhood Development Services/  
Head Start/Early Head Start  
Citrus County Health Department  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
Family Resource Center  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
School Board of Citrus County

#### GILCHRIST COUNTY

Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Children's Medical Services  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Division of Blind Services  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
Gilchrist County Health Department  
Head Start/Early Head Start  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
School Board of Gilchrist County

#### MARION COUNTY

ARC/EIP  
Child Find/FDLRS/CHRIS  
Children's Home Society  
Children's Medical Services  
Dept. of Children & Families  
Dept. of Pediatrics/UF (All clinics)  
Division of Blind Services  
Early Learning Coalition  
Early Steps  
Episcopal Children's Services  
Family Network on Disabilities  
Heart of Florida Health Center  
J.H. Miller Health Center  
Mental Health Services  
Parent Representatives  
Private Providers  
Redlands Christian Migrant Assn.  
School Board of Marion County