# South Carolina Early Childhood Registration Form 2019–20 School Year

School and District In	formation				
School:		Schoo	l District:		
Child Information					
Last Name:	First 1	Name:	Midd	le Name:	
Check if Applicable Nickname:	Generation: ☐ II ☐	III 🗆 IV 🗆 V	☐ Jr. ☐ Si	r.	
What is the student's ra	eral Race/Ethnicity: Is ace? Check all appro or African American	s the student Hispanio priate.	e or Latino?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐	
Child lives with: $\square$ bo	th parents $\square$ mother	r $\square$ father $\square$ gran	dparent $\Box$	other (specify):	
Home Address:					
City:					
County:	South	h Carolina Zij	code:	Home Phone:	
Mailing Address (if dif	ferent from Home Ad	dress):			
City:	County:	So	uth Carolina	Zip Code:	
Mother's/Guardian's L	ast name:	First Name:		Middle Initial:	
If different from child	's information:				
Street Address:					
City:	County:	South Car	olina	Zip Code:	
Home Phone:	(	Cell Phone:			
Place of Employment:		Daytime 1	Phone:		
Mother's Education (ha ☐ Bachelor's Degree [	·	-	GED □ H.S.	Diploma □ Associate Degree	
Mother's/Guardian's en	mail:				
Father's/Guardian's La	st Name:	First Name:		Middle Initial:	
If different from child	's information:				
Street Address:					
City:	County:	South C	Carolina	Zip Code:	

Home Phone:	Cell Phon	ne:
Place of Employment:	Daytime 1	Phone:
Father's/Guardian's email:		
<b>Emergency Contact Information</b>	ı (other than parent/guardian ir	nformation already provided)
Primary Contact Name:	Cell Phone:	
Relationship to Child:		
Daytime Street Address:	Γ	Daytime Phone:
City:	South Carolina	Zip Code:
Second Contact Name:	Cell Phone:	
Relationship to Child:		
Daytime Street Address:	Γ	Daytime Phone:
City:	South Carolina	Zip Code:
Child's Prior Care/Education Pr	rovider (5K students only) *Def	initions of providers attached
Last year my child's care was prov  Unknown  Head Start  Child Development Education  Prekindergarten  My child attended the program (child Name of provider:	Program (CERDEP)	
Last year my child's care was provon Military Child Care Center Registered Faith-Based Center Registered Family Home Center Group Home Exempt Provider First Steps (CERDEP) Other Provider My child attended the program (child Name of provider:	er	
☐Last year my child's care was p family member)	rovided by an informal child care	provider (at home, other family member, or non-
Child's healthcare information		
Did your child weigh less than 5.	.5 pounds at birth? ☐ Yes ☐ 1	No

My child receives regular  ☐Emergency Room ☐		`	Department)	
Name:		Phone:		
List any long-term health	concerns, illnesses, and	or allergies:		
List any medication(s) pro	escribed for continuous	long-term use:		
List any special accommon at the school:	odation(s) that may be re	equired to meet my child	d's needs most effective	ely while he or she is
Family Income Range				
Number of persons in fan	nily or household:			
Income Range of Family:	□ \$0-\$10,000 □ \$40,001-\$50,000	□ \$10,001-\$20,000 □ \$50,001-\$60,000	☐ \$20,001-\$30,000 ☐ \$60,000 and above	□ \$30,001-\$40,000
Language Background				
What is the child's primary	language?			
What language is primarily	spoken in the home?			
<b>Family Literacy Services</b>				
Who in your family has pareducation (GED, High Scholiteracy?	ool Diploma), parent ed	ucation, child developm	nent, or parent and adul	• '
☐ Both Parents ☐ Moth		1	□ No One	
Did your child ever particip If, "yes," please check how		mily Literacy Services:  2 Years   3 Year		ars
Child's Special Needs				
Does your child have a curr	rent Individual Educatio	on Program (IEP) or Sec	tion 504 plan?   Yes	□ No
Student's Disability Status:	□ None □Emotiona	ıl □Learning □Spe	eech □Physical □0	Other
Child's Transportation				
How do you anticipate you ☐ Child Care or Day Care	_	l? □ School Bus □ Cot applicable	ar	
How do you anticipate you  ☐ School Bus to different			to home address  ☐ Walk ☐ Bicyc	ele

☐ Not applicable	☐ After School Program at School

Below is for District Use Only
ALL CHILDREN PARTICIPATING IN A CERDEP CLASSROOM MUST BE CODED WITH A CERDEP
PROGRAM SERVICE CODE.
Early Childhood Placement: □ 3 year old class □ 4 year old class □ 5 year old class □ multi-age class
Classroom Type: ☐ FDS Full-Day ☐ PDS Partial-Day
Funding Source: ☐ State funded ☐ District funded ☐ Parent Pay
Student Identification Number:
Program Entry Date: Program Exit Date: Reason for exit:
Income Verification Method ( $\square$ Medicaid, $\square$ Free or Reduced Lunch, $\square$ W2 forms, $\square$ Pay Stubs,
Other Income Verification Documented):
Meals: Free or Reduced Lunch □ Yes □ No □ N/A if District enrolled in Community Lunch Program
Was child served by Head Start any time from birth to age 4? ☐ Yes ☐ No
DIAL 3 or 4: (Indicate which) Screening Date:
Scores: Motor: Concepts: Language: Self-Help: Social:
Classroom Curriculum: ☐ Big Day in PreK ☐ Creative Curriculum ☐ High Scope ☐ InvestiGator
☐ Montessori ☐ World of Wonders
Readiness Assessment:   myIGDIs   PALS- Pre-K   Teaching Strategies GOLD   Other
Medicaid: ☐ Yes ☐ No Medicaid Number Medicaid Active ☐ Yes ☐ No
* Copy of Medicaid Card attached □
Migrant/Immigrant: ☐ Yes ☐ No Birth Country: State Id #:
Did the child participate in Countdown to Kindergarten (5K only)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Reason the child was not served in 4K: ☐ lack of classroom space ☐ DIAL score ☐ lack of full day services
☐ Personnel ☐ Transportation ☐ Other

#### **Definitions of Child Care Providers (Public)**

**South Carolina Child Early Reading Development and Education Program (CERDEP)** – A public, state-funded, income based developmentally appropriate education program adhering to best practice, using research-based curriculum and assessment that must adhere to South Carolina Department of Social Services (DSS) regulations and South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) Guidelines.

**Prekindergarten (Half-day 4K) program in a public school** – A district or federally funded developmentally appropriate half/partial day program for 4-year-olds adhering to best practice, using research-based curriculum and assessment that must adhere to district and/or federal guidelines.

**Prekindergarten (Full-day 4K) program in a public school** – A district or federally funded developmentally appropriate full-day program for 4-year-olds adhering to best practice, using research-based curriculum and assessment that must adhere to district and/or federal guideline.

**Head Start** – A program of the US Department of Health and Human Services that provides comprehensive early childhood education, health, nutrition, and parent involvement services to low income children and their families. Locate your local Head Start: <a href="https://www.benefits.gov/benefits/benefit-details/1938">https://www.benefits.gov/benefits/benefit-details/1938</a>.

**Unknown** – Self-explanatory

#### **Definitions of Child Care Providers (Private)**

**Military Child Care Centers** – On-post child care centers that offer full-day, partial day, or hourly child care services to military families that must be registered with DSS. Locate your local military child care centers: <a href="http://www.militaryonesource.mil/-/military-child-care-programs">http://www.militaryonesource.mil/-/military-child-care-programs</a>.

**Registered Faith Based** – Faith based care for 13 or more children that are sponsored by a religious organization that must be registered with DSS. Locate your local registered faith based providers: <a href="http://www.scchildcare.org/">http://www.scchildcare.org/</a>.

**Registered Family Home** – A family home that provides care for up to 6 children at any given time within the home of the child care provider that maintains a registration or license if a person provides care to more than one unrelated family of children on a regular basis (more than four hours a day or more than two days a week). Locate your local registered family home providers: <a href="http://www.scchildcare.org/">http://www.scchildcare.org/</a>.

**Registered Group Home Provider** – Group Homes provide care for 7–12 children in the home of the child care provider. They may care for up to 8 children without an additional caregiver. For details on registered group homes:

 $\underline{http://www.scchildcare.org/providers/become-licensed/licensing-requirements/licensed-group-child-care-home.aspx.}$ 

**Exempt Provider** – A child care provider that operate less than four hours a day or less than two days a week or care for children from only one unrelated family. It is not inspected by DSS Child Care Licensing and monitored only because they volunteer for ABC Quality. For details on exempt providers: <a href="http://scchildcare.org/providers/become-licensed/licensing-exemptions.aspx">http://scchildcare.org/providers/become-licensed/licensing-exemptions.aspx</a>.

**First Steps (CERDEP/CDEP)** – A private state-funded, income based, developmentally appropriate education program adhering to best practice, using research-based curriculum and assessment that must adhere to DSS regulations and SCDE Guidelines. It is housed in a private, registered child care facility. Contact your local First Steps: <a href="http://scfirststeps.com/county-contact-page/">http://scfirststeps.com/county-contact-page/</a>.

**Informal Child Care** – Unregulated or licensed care provided by family or other caregiver that not subject to regulations or formal guidelines.

### South Carolina Child Early Reading and Development Education Program Parent/Guardian Consent Form

I verify that the information I have provided on this registration form is true and accurate. I hereby grant permission for this information to be distributed to the Child Early Reading and Development Education Program (CERDEP) and other state agencies, which include, but are not limited to, the South Carolina Education Oversight Committee (EOC).

I understand that my completion of this form does not guarantee the placement of my child in a South Carolina CERDEP. If my child is placed in CERDEP, I agree that he or she will attend the class for 6.5 hours each day, five days a week, for the 180-day school year. I understand that my child's failure to meet this attendance requirement could result in his or her being dropped from the program. I further understand that I cannot register my child in the program without the appropriate documentation of his or her age and eligibility, and I have, therefore, attached to this registration form a copy of the necessary documentation.

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I understand that information about my child,	, and about the
school will be used in a comprehensive, multiyear longitudinal research an	d evaluation project to
determine the relationship between the student and school data and student	success in school.
The evaluation may include individual child assessment during a child's 4-	year-old pre-
kindergarten and 5-year-old kindergarten and other basic non-identifying e	ducational
information. All data collected are subject to the provisions of the Family I	Educational Rights and
Privacy Act (FERPA) as well as South Carolina statutes and regulations pr	otecting individual
privacy and confidentially. Analyses of the data collected will be conducte	d only by individuals
approved by the EOC. Individual student names will not be used.	
Signature of parent/guardian:	
Date:	

### South Carolina Child Early Reading and Development Education Program Additional 4K Options

South Carolina has a statewide partnership between public and private 4K providers. The private domain of this partnership is the Office of First Steps to School Readiness. First Steps serves four-year-old children in 46 counties in South Carolina.

The South Carolina Department of Education's Office of Early Learning and Literacy believes that children deserve an opportunity to participate in four-year-old kindergarten. In an effort to ensure that as many students are served in 4K as possible in South Carolina, please be advised that your contact information may be shared with other local 4K providers in a non-public setting. If your child is not placed in the Child Early Reading and Development Education Program (CERDEP) 4K in your local public school district, please understand that your contact information will be shared with the Office of First Steps to School Readiness and you may be contacted for opportunities for your child to attend the 4K program in a non-public school setting.

Howev	ver, if you do not want your contact shared information with the Office of First Steps,
check t	the box below.
	I do not want my contact information shared with the Office of First Steps.

# Family Income Eligibility Table 2019–20

Students eligible for the South Carolina Child Early Reading and Development Education Program (CERDEP) must provide evidence of either Medicaid eligibility or a documented family income at or below 185 percent of the Federal Poverty definition promulgated annually by the US Department of Health and Human Services.

Number of Persons in Family or Household	100% of Federal Poverty	185% of Federal Poverty
2	\$16,910	\$31,284
3	\$21,330	\$39,461
4	\$25,750	\$47,638
5	\$30,170	\$55,815
6	\$34,590	\$63,992
7	\$39,010	\$72,169
8	\$43,430	\$80,346

#### **Check list of 2019-2020 Required CERDEP Documentation**

Check box if	Required student documentation includes:
yes	
	Proof of eligibility for residency
	Proof of eligibility for age
	Proof of income for family or Medicaid
	CERDEP registration form
	DHEC Immunization form
	DSS Form #2900 General Record and Statement of Child's Health for
	Admission
	DSS Form # 2930 Authorization for Intervention, Intervention, and
	Extracurricular Activities
	DIAL3 or DIAL-4 Parent Questionnaire
	DIAL3 or DIAL-4 scores
	CDEP Parent/Family Orientation Checklist, with signatures
	Quarterly Parent Reporting Documentation Form
	Assessment information from district selected assessment and date completed
	Discipline Policy, signed/dated
	Parent/teacher Agreement (last page of CERDEP Parent/Guardian Handbook)

DSS forms available here.

Click here for additional information about licensing.

Check box if	Required teacher and staff DSS documentation includes:
yes	
	Background check: DSS form #2924 – Central Registry Check, returned
	"clear"
	Background check: SLED and FBI "clear" review (after submitting fingerprint
	card, and DSS form #2647)
	Background check: Statement of Compliance, DSS form #2925, notarized.
	Basic information: Name, position, date of birth, hours/days employed
	Basic information: Signed discipline policy
	Experience and training information: Education and experience documentation-
	refer to DSS regulations for information
	Experience and training information: Required annual training documentation
	– print out <u>www.sc-cccd.net</u> transcript
	Experience and training information: Current CPR/First Aid certification, as
	necessary.
	Medical information: Medical statement DSS form #2901, expires every 4
	years.
	Medical information: TB test results, stating free of TB

Check box if	Required teacher and staff DSS documentation includes:
yes	
	Medical information: Health assessment DSS form #2926, expires every 4
	years

# CERDEP Quarterly Parent/Family Documentation Form

Schools are to report at least quarterly to the parent(s)/guardian(s) on his/her child's progress.

It is highly recommended that an orientation to CERDEP (ex: Back to School Night, home visits, etc.) be conducted as the first of these quarterly contacts to complete the Parent Orientation Checklist.

1.	First Parent/Family contact:
	Type of contact:
	Date of conference:
	Comments/Notes:
schoo instru	of the quarterly contacts must include <u>documented parent-teacher conferences</u> during the ol year that provide information including student progress as recorded on the assessment ament. Conferences may occur in school or as a home visit. Please sign below to document ach Parent-Teacher Conference was held.
2.	Parent Signature:
	Teacher Signature:
	Date of Conference:
	Comments:
3.	Parent Signature:
	Teacher Signature:
	Date of Conference:
	Comments:
4.	The final child assessment report must be provided at the end of the school year. This report may be sent home, reviewed at a conference or home visit.
	Date of Final Assessment or Summary Report:

#### 2019–20 CERDEP Parent/Family Orientation Checklist

Check box if	Presentation Item from the Parent/Guardian Handbook
yes	
	CERDEP eligibility and enrollment requirements
	Attendance policy
	Classroom hours of operation and schedule
	Extended care or wrap around care options
	Transportation
	Behavior Management System
	Curriculum and assessment
	Health policies and records
	Family engagement and workshops, teacher conferences, communication, Parent/Guardian-Teacher Agreement
	Tour of school/classroom
Parent/Guardian Signature:	
Date:	