

BABIES COUNT-- The National Registry for Children with Visual Impairments (Birth-3 years)
DATA COLLECTION FORM

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

School District: _____ TSVI: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature for Babies Count is on file at local school district: ____Yes ____No

Note: This survey collects information that will be entered anonymously into a data system which is accessed and managed solely by authorized account holders from each state or agency.

BASIC INSTRUCTIONS: Every question should be answered, even if unknown

- o The survey is to be completed by a **provider of specialized VI services** and **NOT** to be given to a parent/guardian to be completed.
- o If there is **ANY** information that parents/guardians do not feel comfortable sharing, or seems too personal to them, they are not required to answer.
- o Survey is to be completed at **entry** to the program providing specialized vision services **AND** at **exit** from the program.
 - o **At entry, complete Sections Pre A, A, B, and C.**
 - o **At exit, complete ALL sections (B, C, & D).**

Section Pre A: CHILD and FAMILY INFORMATION

1. Gender (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female

2. Date of Birth: Month_____ Day_____ Year_____

3. Birth weight (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Weight in _____ (grams)
- ☐ Weight in _____ (pounds)
- ☐ Unknown

Section A CHILD and FAMILY INFORMATION

Information about the child:

4. Ethnicity of child (check **all** that apply):

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian/White | <input type="checkbox"/> African American/Black | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Alaskan/American Indian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern/North African |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to Answer | | |

5. Gestational age at birth (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Age in Weeks _____
- ☐ Full Term - 38 weeks
- ☐ Unknown

6. Is this child part of multiple births? (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ No
- ☐ Twins
- ☐ Triplets
- ☐ Other _____

Information about parents/guardians

7. Biological mother's age at the birth of child (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Age _____
- ☐ Unknown
- ☐ Declined to answer

8. Biological father's age at the birth of child (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Age _____
- ☐ Unknown
- ☐ Declined to answer

9. Child currently resides primarily with (check **all** persons currently living with child):

- ☐ Declined to answer
- Mother ☐ Biological ☐ Foster ☐ Adoptive ☐ Step
- 2nd Mother ☐ Biological ☐ Foster ☐ Adoptive ☐ Step
- Father ☐ Biological ☐ Foster ☐ Adoptive ☐ Step
- 2nd Father ☐ Biological ☐ Foster ☐ Adoptive ☐ Step
- Grandmother ☐ Maternal ☐ Paternal
- Grandfather ☐ Maternal ☐ Paternal
- Other Adult ☐ Related ☐ Unrelated
- Siblings ☐ _____ (how many)

10. Is English the primary language spoken in home? (Choose **only** one)

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Declined to answer

11. Level of education completed by parent/guardian: (check **all** that apply):

Mother:

- ☐ Highest Grade Completed _____
- ☐ High School Diploma or GED
- ☐ Some College
- ☐ Associate Degree
- ☐ Bachelor's Degree
- ☐ Some Graduate Courses

Father:

- ☐ Highest Grade Completed _____
- ☐ High School Diploma or GED
- ☐ Some College
- ☐ Associate Degree
- ☐ Bachelor's Degree
- ☐ Some Graduate Courses

- ☐ Graduate Degree
☐ Unknown
☐ Declined to answer

- ☐ Graduate Degree
☐ Unknown
☐ Declined to answer

Section B: MEDICAL and VISUAL INFORMATION

Complete this section at both **entry** and **exit**.

12. The visual diagnosis information was obtained by (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Medical records
☐ Parent report

13. Date of visual diagnosis **OR** age (in nearest whole month) at the time of diagnosis (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Month_____ Day_____ Year_____
☐ _____ Age (in months)
☐ Diagnosis is suspected and not yet officially diagnosed by a doctor.

14 – 17. Visual diagnosis:

| | Right Eye | | Left Eye | |
|--|--|---|--|---|
| | 14. Primary Check only one | 15. Additional Check all that apply | 16. Primary Check only one | 17. Additional Check all that apply |
| Albinism | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Amblyopia | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Aniridia | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Anophthalmia | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Aphakia | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cataracts (corrected and uncorrected) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Chorioretinitis | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Coloboma | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Corneal Defects/Peter's Anomaly | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Cortical Visual Impairment (CVI) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Delayed Visual Maturation | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Enucleation | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Familial Exudative Vitreoretinopathy (FEVR) | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Glaucoma | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hemianopsia/Hemianopia | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Leber's Congenital Amaurosis | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Microphthalmia | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Nystagmus, Congenital Motor | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Oculomotor Apraxia & Eye Movement Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Optic Atrophy | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Optic Glioma | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Optic Nerve Hypoplasia (ONH) | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Persistent Hyperplasia of the Primary Vitreus (PHPV) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ptosis | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Refractive Errors | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Retinal Disorder-non specific | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Retinitis Pigmentosa (RP) | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |

| | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Retinoblastoma | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Rod/Cone Dystrophies | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * |
| Strabismus | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Unknown and examined/tested by a doctor | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Unknown, NOT examined or tested by doctor | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| no additional diagnosis | * | <input type="checkbox"/> | * | <input type="checkbox"/> |

18. Occurrence of etiology of documented or suspected visual impairment (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Prenatal- Before birth
- ☐ Perinatal- During birth or immediately after birth
- ☐ Postnatal- After birth or after the child leaves the hospital
- ☐ Unknown

19. Is the visual impairment due to a **non-accidental trauma (NAT)**, also including Shaken Baby Syndrome? (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Unknown

20. The child currently has one or more of the following: (check **all** that apply):

- ☐ Glasses
- ☐ Prosthesis (one eye or both)
- ☐ Contact Lenses
- ☐ None of the above

21. Additional medical and health conditions (check **all** that apply):

- ☐ Allergies
- ☐ Autism Spectrum Disorder
- ☐ Cancer
- ☐ Cerebral Palsy
- ☐ Endocrine Disorder
- ☐ Deaf or Hard of Hearing
- ☐ Feeding Problems
- ☐ Orthopedic Impairment
- ☐ Heart Disorder
- ☐ Seizure Disorder/Infantile Spasms
- ☐ Respiratory Problems
- ☐ Technology Dependent
- ☐ Other Medical or Health Conditions: _____
- ☐ None

22. Presence of additional developmental delays (check **all** that apply):

- ☐ Cognitive Delays
- ☐ Language Delays
- ☐ Fine Motor Delays
- ☐ Gross Motor Delays
- ☐ Social Skills Delays
- ☐ Adaptive Skills Delays
- ☐ None or not yet determined

Summary of child:

23. This child's functional vision can best be described as: (choose **only** one)

- ☐ Normal or near normal visual functioning
- ☐ Low Vision
- ☐ Meets the definition of blindness
- ☐ Functions at the definition of blindness

24. This child's overall developmental needs can best be described as: (choose **only** one)

- ☐ Typical development
- ☐ Mild to moderate support needs
- ☐ Intensive support needs

25. This child's primary learning channel can best be described as: (choose **only** one)

- ☐ Visual
- ☐ Tactual
- ☐ Auditory
- ☐ Unknown

Section C: EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICE INFORMATION

Complete this section at both entry and exit.

26. Postal zip code of primary residence: _____

27. Date of **referral** to program for specialized vision services: M _____ D _____ Y _____

28. Date of **enrollment** to program for specialized vision services: M _____ D _____ Y _____

29. Family referred for specialized vision services by (choose **only** one):

- ☐ Medical Provider (indicate specialty) _____
- ☐ Child Find / Public Agency
- ☐ Early Intervention Program
- ☐ Family/Friend
- ☐ Other (specify) _____
- ☐ Unknown

30. **Who** is/was providing specialized vision services to the child and family? (Check **all** that apply):

- ☐ State licensed teacher of students with visual impairments
- ☐ Other licensed professional employed and trained by specialized program for VI
- ☐ Certified Orientation & Mobility Specialist
- ☐ Deaf/Blind Specialist
- ☐ Other (specify) _____
- ☐ No ongoing specialized VI services provided to child and family

31. **What** frequency of ongoing specialized vision services will be/were provided to the child and family? (Choose **ONLY** one):

- ☐ Weekly specialized VI services to family and team
- ☐ Bi-weekly specialized VI services to family and team
- ☐ Monthly specialized VI services to family and team
- ☐ Quarterly specialized VI services to family and team
- ☐ Annual specialized VI services to family and team
- ☐ Consultation specialized VI services only as needed when requested
- ☐ One time evaluation only
- ☐ Other (Specify): _____

32. **Where** are/were specialized vision services provided? (Check **all** that apply):

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home environments) | <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Home Day Care (or other community environments) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Specialized VI/EI Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Intervention Center | <input type="checkbox"/> Residential Care Facility |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Day Care Center | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical visit with family |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> No ongoing specialized VI services provided to child and family | |

33. Which additional early Intervention service(s) does/did the child and family receive? (Check **all** that apply):

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental Special Instruction | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Therapy | <input type="checkbox"/> D/HH Services/Audiology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Therapy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Speech/Language Pathology Services | <input type="checkbox"/> No other services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Work Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

Section D: PROGRAM EXIT INFORMATION

Complete this section at **EXIT only**.

Transitional Information:

34. Date of **exit** from the program for specialized VI services: M _____ D _____ Y _____

35. Reason child exited specialized VI services (Choose **only** one):

- ☐ Turned three years of age
- ☐ Moved
- ☐ No longer in need of specialized VI services
- ☐ Parent declined services
- ☐ Unable to contact family
- ☐ Deceased
- ☐ Other (specify) _____

36. If the child exited from the program at age 3, indicate the type of program the child transitioned to: (Check **all** that apply.) (Only if question 35 has turned 3 checked)

- ☐ Community Preschool Classroom, including Head Start
- ☐ Day Care Setting
- ☐ Public School Special Education Preschool Classroom
- ☐ Public School Special Education Preschool Classroom for Students with VI
- ☐ Day-School/Preschool for Students with VI in a Specialized VI Program
- ☐ Home-Based Special Education Services
- ☐ Home School
- ☐ Pediatric Health Care Facility
- ☐ Unknown
- ☐ None

☐ Other (specify) _____

37. Will specialized VI services be provided to this child in a new setting? (Choose **only** one):

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Unknown