

# IQ4K Program Assessment – Homes

Program Name:

Current IQ4K Level:	□ 1	2	3	4	5
IQ4K Goal Level:	<u> </u>	2	3	4	5

**Directions/Definitions**: Each category of IQ4K must be addressed. Please refer to the IQ4K application and/or supporting documents for details on requirements. For Category C CDH, \* indicates both providers must complete the listed criteria. If there are questions when completing this self-assessment, contact your Child Care Resource and Referral Consultant.

#### Level 1 – All Categories

IQ4K Area Nutrition and Physical Activity	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 1:		
<ul> <li>The provider completes approved food safety training*</li> <li>The program completes a self-assessment and an action plan in the area of nutrition</li> <li>The program completes a self-assessment and an action plan in the area of physical activity</li> </ul>		

IQK Area Professional Development	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 1: The provider completes a professional development plan annually*		
IQ4K Area Family and Community Partnerships	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 1:		
<ul> <li>The program provides an orientation for new families</li> <li>The program completes 1 activity annually that promotes partnerships</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Environment	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 1:</li> <li>□ The program develops and implements policies regarding:         <ul> <li>a) Supervision</li> <li>b) Safe Sleep (when applicable)</li> <li>c) Missing child</li> <li>d) Strangulation Prevention</li> <li>e) Sign-in/sign-out tracking system for children and visitors</li> </ul> </li> <li>□ The provider completes the IQ4K Interaction and Relationship Self-Assessment annually*</li> <li>□ The program completes the IQ4K Program Assessment annually</li> </ul>		

IQ4K Area Provider Qualifications	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 1:		
The provider has at least 1 year of child care experience*		
IQ4K Area Teaching and Learning	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 1:		
<ul> <li>The provider completes IELS training*</li> <li>The program develops and implements a comprehensive discipline/behavior policy that promotes positive relationships</li> </ul>		

# Level 2– All Categories

IQ4K Area Nutrition and Physical Activity	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 2: The program participates in CACFP OR The provider completes the identified (approved) nutrition training* The program identifies and implements 1 physical activity goal		

IQ4K Area Professional Development	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 2:</li> <li>The provider completes ChildNet Training*</li> <li>The provider completes 15 hours of training annually*</li> <li>The provider completes an approved Medication Administration Skills Training (and hold a valid certificate of completion) AND completes an approved Skills Evaluation Assessment (and hold a valid</li> </ul>		
certificate of completion) IQ4K Area Family and Community Partnerships	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 2:</li> <li>The program offers annual conferences to each family</li> <li>The program completes 1 additional activity (annually) that promotes partnerships</li> </ul>		

IQ4K Area Environment	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 2:</li> <li>The program provides an environment supportive to and encouraging of culture, age, race, ability, special needs and gender diversity</li> <li>The program develops and implements a policy regarding Playground Equipment Stability and Fall Surfacing &amp; Inspection</li> <li>The program develops and implements a tobacco/nicotine policy</li> <li>The program completes and annually updates the IQ4K Quality Improvement Action Plan</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Provider Qualifications	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 2:		
<ul> <li>The provider has at least 2 yrs. of child care experience*</li> <li>OR</li> <li>has at least 6 college credit hours in education specific to the age group for whom care is provided*</li> </ul>		

IQ4K Area Teaching and Learning	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 2:		
<ul> <li>The program develops and implements a daily schedule with predictable routines that is developmentally appropriate for all ages served</li> <li>The program develops and implements a policy that eliminates or severely limits expulsion, suspension, punitive or other exclusionary discipline</li> <li>The program develops and implements policies regarding the use of an approved developmental screening tool.</li> </ul>		

Level 3 – All Categories

IQ4K Area Nutrition and physical Activity	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 3: The program participates in CACFP The program identifies and implements 1 additional physical activity goal		
IQ4K Area Professional Development	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level

<ul> <li>Level 3:</li> <li>The provider completes ChildNet Certification*</li> <li>The provider chooses one (as applicable per ages served)*</li> <li>a) Complete 1 module of PITC</li> <li>b) Complete Module 1 EC-PBIS FCC and complete the following Implementation Guide Checklists and review with coach: -Relationships -Environments -Expectations, Activities and Feedback</li> <li>c) School Age Matters</li> <li>d) 18 hours of approved training per year (once all of the applicable trainings listed above are completed)</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Family and Community Partnerships	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to Reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 3:</li> <li>The program promotes culturally sensitive practices and procedures</li> <li>The program competes 1 additional activity annually that promotes partnerships</li> </ul>		

IQ4K Area Environment	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 3:</li> <li>The provider completes FCCERS Training (and hold a valid certificate of completion)</li> <li>The program participates in the completion of the Health and Safety Checklist.</li> <li>The program develops and implements a policy regarding oral health</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Provider Qualifications	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 3: The provider has at least 3 years of child care experience* OR has at least 9 college credit hours in education specific to the age group for whom care is provided*		
IQ4K Area Teaching and Learning	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 3:</li> <li>The program utilizes an appropriate assessment tool to gather information on each child's strengths, progress and needs</li> <li>The program shares community resources with families as needed, based on gathered information</li> <li>The program develops and implements policies and procedures for inclusive practices for children with diverse needs.</li> </ul>		

# Level 4 – All Categories

IQ4K Area Nutrition and physical Activity	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 4: The program participates in CACFP AND identifies and implements 1 nutrition goal The program identifies and implements 1 additional physical activity goal		
IQ4K Area Professional Development	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 4:</li> <li>The provider chooses one (as applicable per ages served)*</li> <li>a) Complete 2 additional PITC modules</li> <li>b) Complete Module 2 EC-PBIS FCC and the following Implementation Guide Checklists and review with coach:         <ul> <li>Emotions and Emotional Regulation</li> <li>Friendship and Problem-Solving</li> <li>C) 20 hours of approved training per year (once all of the applicable trainings listed above are completed)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		

IQ4K Area Family and Community Partnerships	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 4:		
The program completes 1 additional activity (annually) that promotes partnerships		
IQ4K Area Environment	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 4: The program completes the FCCERS Scoresheet and Improvement Plan The program scores an average of 2.5 on the Health and Safety Checklist		
IQ4K Area Provider Qualifications	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 4: ☐ The provider meets Tier 2 (or higher) on Career Pathway ☐ The provider has at least 3 years full- time child care experience		
IQ4K Area Teaching and Learning	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 4:		
<ul> <li>The program uses assessment data and information gathered about children and families to make changes in their learning environment and activities</li> <li>The program participates in planning with families and/or outside experts (as needed) for children with diverse needs.</li> </ul>		

# Level 5 – All Categories

IQ4K Area Nutrition and physical Activity	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
Level 5:		
<ul> <li>The program participates in CACFP</li> <li>AND identifies and implements 1</li> <li>additional nutrition goal</li> <li>The program identifies and implements</li> <li>1 additional physical activity goal</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Professional Development	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to reach the next level
<ul> <li>Level 5:</li> <li>The provider chooses one (as applicable per ages served):</li> <li>a) Complete 2 additional modules of PITC</li> <li>b) Complete EC-PBIS FCC Benchmarks of Quality and action plan for continued implementation and growth with coach</li> <li>c) 22 hours of approved training per year (once all of the applicable trainings listed above are completed)</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Family and Community Partnerships	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to Reach the next level
Level 5:		
The program completes 1 additional activity (annually) that promotes partnerships		

IQ4K Area Environment	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to Reach the next level
Level 5:		
<ul> <li>The program receives an overall score of 5.0 on the ERS Assessment</li> <li>The program scores 2.75 on the Health and Safety Checklist</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Provider Qualifications	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to Reach the next level
Level 5:		
<ul> <li>The provider meets Tier 2 (or higher) on the Career Pathway</li> <li>The provider has at least 4 years full- time child care experience</li> </ul>		
IQ4K Area Teaching and Learning	Current Level/ Meet all requirements	Requirements to Reach the next level
Level 5:		
The program works with families and other experts to implement instructional and/or environmental adaptations that support learning for each child.		

Form Completed by (Signature):

Printed Name of Person Completing Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_