

Important Medical Benchmarks for Resource Parents to Remember

- Your (newly placed) foster child must have a physical exam (completed on the Child's Physical Record Form) within one (1) week of placement in your home (unless the child is being transferred to your home from another foster home placement. In that case, check with your caseworker for the child's next due date for a physical exam).
- After the initial physical exam, your foster child needs to have a physical exam (completed on the Child's Physical Record Form) and completed as follows:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Frequency</u>
Birth through 6 months	Once every 6 weeks
7 months through 23 months	Once every 3 months
23 months and older	<u>Once a year</u>

- Your (newly placed) foster child – ages 2 and older – must have a dental exam (completed on the Dental Exam Form within 60 days of placement in your home (unless the child has had a dental exam within the previous 6 months and a copy of the exam is available). After the initial dental exam, exams are to be given to foster children 2 years of age or older every 6 months.
- Please send all completed Child's Physical Record and all completed Dental Exam Forms to:

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