



SECTION IX: VISION

IX1. The local health department shall make available vision screening for preschool children between the ages of three and five years.

1.1 There is a system in place to schedule children between the ages of 3 and 5 years for vision screening upon request.

Fully Met Not Met

1.2 Documentation of vision screening is on file for children between the ages of 3 and 5 years.

Fully Met Not Met

IX2. The local health department shall assure that school-age children receive vision screening in grades 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9, or in grades 1, 3, 5, 7, and in conjunction with driver training classes.

2.1 Program activity reports and statistics document the provision of vision screening in all private and public schools for all estimated children in need (e.g., total number of children in grades targeted for screening).

Fully Met Not Met

2.2 A functioning stereoscopic instrument is available for vision screening of school-age children.

Fully Met Not Met



- 2.3** Based on the observation of at least 5 school-aged children receiving vision screening, all appropriate tests and procedures are administered correctly. (Reviewer conducts school-age Vision Technician Program (TAP), using department approved process and Observation Form).

Fully Met Not Met

IX3. The local health department shall screen preschool children in accordance with Section II of the Michigan Department of Community Health Vision Technician's Manual.

- 3.1** A preschool screening instrument, tape measure, training cards, a black wooden block "E", or comparable orientation "E", penlight, near and far targets for the cover tests, and a flash card acuity test are available for the vision screening of children between the ages of 3 and 5 years.

Fully Met Not Met

- 3.2** Based on the observation of at least 5 children between the ages of 3 and 5 years receiving vision screening, all appropriate tests and procedures are administered correctly.

Fully Met Not Met

IX4. Where follow-up treatment is required, the local health department shall assure that a written statement indicating the necessary course of action is provided to the parent or guardian of the child.

- 4.1** Documentation exists that written statements indicating the necessary course of action have been provided to parents or guardians of children whenever follow-up examination or treatment is necessary as a result of vision screening.



Fully Met Not Met

4.2 Documentation demonstrates that a child referred for examination or treatment has received the recommended services.

Fully Met Not Met

IX5. The local health department shall assure that individuals administering the screening and testing are trained in accordance with curriculum approved by the Michigan Department of Community Health.

5.1 All vision technicians have been trained in accordance with curriculum approved by the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH), and that all vision technicians have attended an MDCH approved vision technician workshop once in the last two years.

Fully Met Not Met

IX6. A local health department shall conduct periodic free vision programs for the testing and screening of children residing in its jurisdiction. The time and place of the programs shall be publicized.

6.1 All vision screening services are provided to children without charge to parents or guardians.

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