|  |
| --- |
| TRANSITION PREPARATION |
| *Early Intervention services may occur for less than the specified period based on the child’s age at the time of the eligibility evaluation. All EI services end one day prior to the child’s third birthday. In preparation for transition, the IFSP Team will engage in a discussion about the upcoming changes including the specific programs, resources and supports that are available in the community. Individualized strategies for both the child and family are documented to ensure a smooth transition. If a child is potentially eligible for LEA/school or related services, additional steps are taken to complete a timely referral.* |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **WHAT CHANGES ARE COMING UP FOR OUR FAMILY IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS? WHAT WILL STAY THE SAME?** | |
| **WHAT WILL HELP US PREPARE?**  *Are there new activities or routines that the child will need to participate in? How can we support this participation? (e.g. Visiting programs, meeting other parents)* | **ARE THERE SUPPORTS AND RESOURCES THAT WOULD BE HELPFUL?**  *What supports and resources are in place and will there be any gaps when our child leaves EI? (e.g. Transition to LEA/school information, community groups for support, information about transportation)* |
|  |  |
| **WHAT COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES (IF ANY) DO WE WANT TO CONSIDER FOR OUR CHILD?**  *List activities or services that may need to be explored. (e.g. Play groups, Preschool, on-going services)* | **WHAT SERVICE CHANGES (IF ANY) DO WE NEED TO SUPPORT A SMOOTH TRANSITION?**  *Are there changes in EI services that would help to prepare our child and family for the transition?* |
|  |  |