# Incorporating ASQ-3 Developmental Screening in County Health Department Clinics

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# What Do You Need to Implement ASQ-3 in Your Clinic?

- ASQ-3 Starter Kits
- ASQ-3 Materials Kit
- Forms Questionnaires and Activity Sheets
- Clinic Protocol for Developmental Screening
- Child Health Assessment Record, CHR-12

### **ASQ-3 Components**

- Each county health department received:
  - -One Starter Kit in English
    - Activity sheets (on ASQ-3 CD-ROM)
  - -One Starter Kit in Spanish
    - Activity sheets (on ASQ-3 CD-ROM)

# **ASQ-3 Components**

- -One User's Guide
- -Two Quick Start Guides
  - Handy reference
- Each county must maintain AN ORIGINAL SET OF QUESTIONNAIRES and Activity Sheets for copyright privileges

#### **ASQ-3 Forms**

- All forms (Questionnaires and Activity Sheets) are available from the warehouse
  - You have a copy of the numbers that have been assigned for ordering
- All forms are available in English and Spanish

#### **ASQ-3 Forms**

- There are 21 age-specific questionnaires for use with ages one to six years
- Activity Sheets are also available that correspond to ages in the ASQ-3 intervals
  - Activity Sheets provide parents with a short description of typical development and promote parent – child interaction

#### The ASQ-3 Materials Kit

- Many times children have not had the opportunity to try and master the various developmental skills
- We recommend assembling a kit and having it available so you can observe the child's skills or for parents to use as they complete the questionnaires

#### The ASQ-3 Materials Kit

 There is a list in your User's Guide on page 200, but we have compiled an abbreviated list of materials that we found is adequate for screening purposes

#### The ASQ-3 Materials Kit

- Some of the materials on the list are in your old Denver kits
  - Most of the items can be found at a discount store
  - -Three kits can be made for less than \$50

# Clinic Protocol for Developmental Screening

- The new protocol applies to children from one month to six years
- Please continue to use the current protocol using the Developmental Chart for the seven to 21 year age groups

## Clinic Protocol for Developmental Screening

- A Developmental Testing Age Calculation Cheat Sheet has been created to assist staff
  - Age calculation is the same as previously done
  - Adjust for prematurity if the child is under two years of age and born three weeks before due date

#### Child Health Assessment Record CHR-12

- The changes to this form include:
  - -Who brought the child in today?
  - -Was the child premature?
    - Number of weeks?
  - In the Developmental Tool Section,
     "Abbreviated Denver" was
     removed and "ASQ-3" was added

#### **PHALCON**

- Document Diagnosis Code 41
  - "Unspecified delay in development" if you bring a child back for an Interperiodic Visit related to a developmental problem

#### **Care Coordination Assistance**

- Care Coordination and ASQ-3
- Patient 1st Care Coordination
   Protocol
- Reasons for Referral ASQ-3 and Child Health Needs Assessment
- Assist parent with ASQ-3 Tool

#### **Care Coordination Assistance**

- Complete Child Health Screening Worksheet
- Psychosocial Assessment/Case plan
- Referrals
- Documentation
- SSR Coding

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