

Caries Risk Assessment Form

Name:	Date:	
Biological/Environmental Risk Factors	NO	YES
Saliva		
Does your child take medications daily (If so, how many?)		#
My child seems to have a dry mouth at some point during the day or night		
Diet		
Frequent snacking on sugary or sticky snacks (between meals?)		
Continual bottle or sippy cup use with drinks other than water (juice, soda, chocolate milk, etc.)		
Biofilm		
I notice plaque build-up on my child's teeth		
Socioeconomic		
Eligible for Government Programs (WIC, HeadStart, Medicaid, CHIP)		
Preventive Factors	NO	YES
Drinks fluoridated water		
Uses fluoride toothpaste at least two times a day		









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Disea	ase In	dicators	NO		YES			
Mother or Primary caregiver had active decay in the last 6 months				decay in				
White spots or decalcifications								
Restorations present (fillings, silver teeth)				th)				
Obvi	ious de	ecay						
Risk Identification Healthy Risk Factors Present Disease Indicators Present								
		Low Risk		Moderate Risk		High Risk		

Action Plan

	Low Risk	Moderate Risk	High Risk
Apply fluoride varnish	Every 6 Months	Every 4 Months	Every 3 Months
Refer to a dental home	Yes	Yes	Yes
Recommend limiting sugary snacks and drinks	Yes	Yes	Yes
Stress daily brushing and flossing with fluoride toothpaste	Yes	Yes	Yes





