

PHYSICIAN REFERRAL FORM – “FOR HEALTH” STUDY

FOR HEALTH: A Family-ORiented Healthy Eating, Activity and Lifestyle Training with Hands-on experience. A new, community-based Obesity Intervention Study for preschool children & their families.

Inclusion criteria: 1.) Children aged 2 years 9 month - 6 (on study entry) with primary overweight or obesity (BMI \geq 85th percentile for age & sex on WHO Growth Charts for Canada, 2010); 2.) Family meets “Confidence to implement changes” requirement (minimum score 12, max. 1 item with a score of 1 (“not confident”)); 3.) At least one caregiver committed to attend all the program sessions with the child; 4.) Caregiver is agreeing to complete the study questionnaires (3-day food record, physical activity, & quality of life questionnaire) at the required time points; 5.) Caregivers agree to provide a deposit of \$50.00.

Exclusion criteria: 1.) Chronic medical conditions (e.g. type 1 diabetes mellitus, heart-, gastrointestinal-, or kidney diseases, uncontrolled asthma, other physical, developmental or psychological disabilities that could limit extent of study participation incl. ADHD); 2.) Regular use of medications that could limit extent of study participation; 3.) Other concurrent or recently (last 12 months) received structured obesity treatment program; 4.) Inability to read, speak, and/or understand English.

Referring Physician

Name (print): _____ Phone number: _____ Referral date/time: _____

Office location: _____ Dietitian involved (name/phone)? _____

Patient demographic and social information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Age (years): _____ Gender: Male Female Phone number: _____

Street Address: _____ Postal code: _____ City: _____

Name mother: _____ Name father: _____

Primary caregiver / custody: Both parents (joint) Mother Father

Financial Concerns: Yes No

Primary referral diagnosis: Primary overweight or obesity (BMI \geq 85th percentile) Yes No

Please list any other diagnoses (e.g. ADHD) or obesity-related comorbidities:

Current height (cm): _____, weight (kg): _____, BMI (kg/m²): _____ Date: _____

Last 2 blood pressures: ___ / ___, Date: _____; ___ / ___, Date: _____ Acanthosis? Yes No

Please list any current or recent (last 6 months) medications: _____

Food or Drug allergies: No Yes (specify): _____

Vaccinated as per schedule? Yes No (specify what’s missing): _____

Any previous obesity treatment / intervention: No Yes (date & details): _____

Relevant recent physical exam findings? No Yes (date & details): _____

Parental confidence “Confidence to implement changes” score: _____ (Please fax with referral form)

Other requests / comments of referring physician _____

Referring Physician Signature _____

Supporting documents: Growth Chart Confidence Assessment Fax to: (519) 685-8499