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Re: First Steps COVID-19 policy extension

To: All First Steps stakeholders

From: Christina Commons, First Steps Director

Dear First Steps stakeholders,

Given the COVID-19 health emergency is ongoing and will likely continue to affect First Steps operations and daily life for all of us, **First Steps' COVID-19 policies are extended until further notice.** Current First Steps guidance and flexibilities related to COVID-19 will remain in place and all modes of service delivery will be permitted as allowed under Executive Order and Indiana Medicaid reimbursement policy. **This includes teleservices.** Providers may continue to provide services virtually in accordance with their professional judgment and the needs of families and children. The policy documents and other related resources are available on the First Steps website at www.firststeps.in.gov.