*Forty Carrots Family Center- Parenting Center Parenting Education Groups COVID-19 Attestation

As of August 2021

To do our part in preventing the spread of COVID-19 in our community and workplace, Forty Carrots Family Center is restricting access to the Parenting Center for anyone who may have recently been exposed to the virus. Please read and attest to the following before registering for groups and entering our facility.

Please read and attest to the following before registering for any group and entering the Forty Carrots Family Center building.

- 1. I attest to taking all active participants, in my household, temperatures on the day of the group and it is below 100.4
- 2. I will allow a Forty Carrots employee to take my temperature and my children's before entering the Forty Carrots Facility to ensure it is below 100.4
- 3. No one in our household has been diagnosed with COVID-19.
- 4. Our household has not been in contact with an individual with COVID-19.
- 5. In the last 24 hours we have not experienced, or are currently not experiencing any of these symptoms associated with COVID-19:
 - a. Sore throat
 - b. Cough
 - c. Fever
 - d. Chills
 - e. Shortness of breath
 - f. Loss of smell and/or taste
 - g. Fatigue
 - h. Persistent headaches
- 6. Our household has not been in contact with anyone who has symptoms of COVID-19.

If you cannot attest to any of the above you may **NOT** enter the building.

^{**} Fees for Parenting Center groups are non-refundable. However, if 2 weeks' notice is given, Forty Carrots will make every effort to fill the vacant space and issue a credit to be applied to a future parenting education series.

Forty Carrots Family Center COVID-19 Protocols

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Staff Screening: Parenting Educators will be screened for temperatures and symptoms upon arrival. They will be required to wear a mask during all groups.

Group size: Each group will be limited to 10 families with children ages birth to 5 years old only.

Arrival: Participants are asked to arrive no more than 5 minutes prior to the start of group to allow ample time for cleaning/disinfecting. Families will enter through the side Parenting Center door entrance. The main entrance and family room are currently closed.

Hand Sanitizer & Hand Washing: All participants may use hand sanitizer and/or wash their hands before entering the space. Hand sanitizer and wipes will also be available throughout the space for use during group time.

Masks: All parents/caregivers will be required to wear a face mask entering the building and during group.

Cleaning Procedures: The Parenting Center will follow a schedule to clean multiple times daily with EPA-registered disinfectants that are approved by our agency. Cleaning and disinfecting will include tables, counters, doorknobs, toys and classroom supplies. All toys and equipment used during group time will be cleaned prior to the next group. Bins will be placed around the room for toys specifically known to have been mouthed by a child, so they are not used for the remainder of group time.

Safety Procedure:

- When registering for a group family member or caretaker is complying with the attestation/protocols set forth by Forty Carrots.
- We are limiting access to the main building to employees, students and essential personnel.
- Registered parent, family member or caretaker will park and wait inside their cars until a Parenting Educator signals that they are ready to welcome new families.
- Children are not allowed to bring any soft toys, stuffed animals/toys into the building. Please make sure that all toys stay in the car.
- Restrooms will only be utilized in the Parenting Center. The main entrance and family room are currently closed.
- All water fountains are closed.
- No food or drink is allowed in the Parenting Center.