



Early Learning Coalition of the Nature Coast

Serving Citrus – Dixie – Gilchrist – Levy – Sumter Counties

Provider Alert #101

Date: June 10, 2011
Subject: School Readiness Provider Holiday Amendment/Agreement

The ELCNC Contracts Office recently mailed a FY2011-2012 Holiday request amendment form to all ELCNC School Readiness providers. A letter was sent with the form requesting School Readiness providers to select the holiday schedule they wish to observe for FY2011-12. *The letter also stated that the amendment is due back into the Contracts Office no later than **June 15, 2011**.* If you have not processed your request as yet, please do so as soon as possible. The first holiday of the new fiscal year will be Independence Day and requests to be closed must be received and processed prior to the holiday. Please contact the Contracts Office for assistance with any questions or concerns you may have regarding the amendment.

The Office of Early Learning has standardized the School Readiness Provider Agreement and all Florida coalitions will be required to use the new standardized provider agreement. The OEL has given all coalitions the option to continue with their current provider agreement for another year, or use the new standardized agreement beginning with FY2011-12. **Due to budget constraints and the timeline involved, ELCNC has elected to continue with the current School Readiness Agreement for the next fiscal year.** What this means is that ELCNC School Readiness providers will not be asked to sign a new SR Provider Agreement for FY2011-12.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this Provider Alert, please contact the Contracts Office at (352) 563-9939: Lynne x230 or Kathi x223.

Thank you,

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