Early Childhood Environment

Complete this section at every IEP meeting for all 3-5 year old students, not yet in kindergarten, including those transitioning to preschool from EI prior to their 3rd birthday.

If special education services on the IEP cover two school years in preschool, complete two EC Environment forms, one for each school year.

The environment should reflect both parent and LEA placements.

Start at category A and report child in the first applicable environment. ONLY CHECK ONE BOX, 1-19.

CATEGORY A - THE CHILD ATTENDS BOTH A GENERAL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM and AN INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Name of General Early Childhood Program: ____________________________________________

☐ 1) A total of at least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the general early childhood program

☐ 2) A total of at least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the integrated preschool Sp Ed program

☐ 3) A total of at least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location

☐ 4) A total of less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the general early childhood program

☐ 5) A total of less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the integrated preschool Sp Ed program

☐ 6) A total of less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location

CATEGORY B - THE CHILD ATTENDS a GENERAL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM BUT DOES NOT ATTEND AN INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Name of General Early Childhood Program: ____________________________________________

☐ 7) At least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the general early childhood program

☐ 8) At least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location

☐ 9) Less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the general early childhood program

☐ 10) Less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location

CATEGORY C - THE CHILD ATTENDS AN INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM BUT DOES NOT ATTEND A GENERAL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Name of Integrated Preschool Special Education Program: ______________________________

☐ 11) At least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the integrated preschool Sp Ed program

☐ 12) At least 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location

☐ 13) Less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the integrated preschool Sp Ed program

☐ 14) Less than 10 hours per week and receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in some other location
CATEGORY D - THE CHILD DOES NOT ATTEND A GENERAL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM OR AN INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM BUT DOES ATTEND A SEPARATE SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

☐ 15) The child receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in a separate class

☐ 16) The child receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in a separate school

☐ 17) The child receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in a residential facility

CATEGORY E - THE CHILD DOES NOT ATTEND A GENERAL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM OR AN INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM, NOR A SEPARATE SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

☐ 18) The child receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in the home or the caregiver's home

☐ 19) The child receives the majority of Sp Ed and related services in service provider location or other location not in any other category

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