



## Quality Rating and Improvement Systems (QRIS): Family Engagement Features Report

### Pennsylvania: Keystone STARS

Feature Category	Child Care Centers	Family Child Care
<b>Communication</b> <i>e.g., Bulletin board, parent handbook, written communication, initial intake or orientation meeting</i>	✓	✓
<b>Family Needs &amp; Feedback Inform Program</b> <i>e.g., Strengthening Families checklist, parent advisory board, parent survey, child assessment results are shared with families</i>	✓	✓
<b>Collaborative Activities with Families</b> <i>e.g., Parent teacher conferences, activities with families, parent education</i>	✓	✓
<b>Community Resources &amp; Family Support</b> <i>e.g., community resource list</i>	✓	✓
<b>Comments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Newsletter</li> <li>Parent Participation in Program</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parent Participation in Program</li> <li>Written letters introducing substitutes and assistants (STAR 2)</li> <li>Families are provided with information/application for publicly funded child care/health insurance programs, and tax credit information (STAR 2)</li> </ul>

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