



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

Wisconsin: Young Star

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>Families encouraged to observe the program.</li> <li>Frequent, regular, on-going communication with parents through a variety of communication strategies including parent teacher conferences.</li> <li>If there are children in the program who attend school, communication between staff and school staff helps ensure smooth transitions from school to program</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Families encouraged to observe the program</li> <li>Frequent, regular, on-going communication with parents through a variety of communication strategies</li> <li>If there are children in the program who attend school, communication between staff and school staff helps ensure smooth transitions from school to program and program to school.</li> </ul>

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