

## *Fenton Early Learning Center*

### *Health Policy:*

*Fenton Early Learning Center is equipped to care for well children only. If your child develops symptoms of illness during the day we will call you to pick your child up. Please have a back up plan in place if you are unable to pick your child up within an hour. A child may not attend or return until they are symptom free for 24 hours or the child's physician indicates they are not contagious and are able to return.*

*Children may not attend with any of the following symptoms:*

- Fever (101 degrees or above)*
- Diarrhea*
- Vomiting*
- Mouth sores*
- Eye drainage*
- Nasal discharge that is not clear*
- Yellow skin or eyes*
- Infected or draining skin lesions*
- Unusual behavior, less active, lethargic, unusually cranky*
- Unusual rashes or spots*

*Please DO NOT medicate your child for a fever and then bring them to the center! Parents who are using over the counter medication must complete a medication permission form to allow the staff to continue the medication. If over-the-counter medication is necessary for more than 2 days, we require that the child be diagnosed by a doctor.*

*If a child is on antibiotics, they may not return for a full 24 hours from the time of the first dose. For the staff to administer prescribed medications they must be in the original container, bearing the pharmacy label showing the child's name, date, dose, and directions for administration & storage. Parents must also sign a medication permission form.*