**RE – OPENING PLAN (PANDEMIC PLAN)**

**OF NEW CHILDREN WORLD LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT**

**CENTER**

**Preparedness Plan:**

* New Children World Learning and Development Center among all other daycares have been advised to create a Re Opening Action Plan to identify, reduce and eliminate possible spread of infection in the daycare. This plan includes additional procedures staff will take to monitor their own as well as children’s wellness, personal hygiene and washing proximity, classroom sanitation, classroom materials sanitation and immediate reporting of signs of illness.

**Enhanced Sanitation Strategies:**

* Full classroom, restrooms and hallway sanitation of all materials, technology devices, surfaces and structures.
* Careful used of pre-mixed cleaning and disinfecting solutions (EPA approved)
* Playgrounds will be sanitized with EPA approved disinfectant.

**Prevention Strategies:**

* Disinfecting wipes provided for use at door entry and clock in stations.
* Assigned teacher will screen and take child’s temperature using a thermal scanner along with the parents upon entering the daycare and note it on their prepared log book.
* Parents will only be allowed to drop and pick – up their kids in the front door entry. As much as possible suggest families have the same adult to drop and pick up the child/children each day.
* Personal pens will be used and provided to parents upon signing in and out.
* Teachers will conduct morning and afternoon “temperature and wellness” checks on each children and each other and report any signs of illness to the director and parents/guardians.
* Staffs must use protecting gears in taking care of the children: gloves, mask, and face shields.
* Parents must update the immunization shots of their children.

**Precaution Strategies:**

* To all children, parents and staffs, hand washing must be done using school-provided antibacterial soap. If the child has an allergy or sensitivity on the soap, teacher and director must be informed to provide an appropriate resolution.
* Observe constant hand washing on children and staffs and be sure they follow the 20 second hand washing time.
* Family Style Dining in the class will be limited and a 6 ft social distancing will be applied.
* Field trips will be temporarily suspended. Outdoor learning and exploration will be planned strategically by the staffs and director.
* Physical distancing will be applied by reducing the group size of the children following the CDC Guidelines. A 6 ft. distance on children’s activities such as circle time, eating time, nap time even outdoor play will be strictly observed.
* For staffs assigned to infant and toddlers following the CDC Re-opening Guidelines is a detailed practice to observe in handling children that needs to be held.

**Things we must OBSERVE and FOLLOW during this time of Pandemic in our center:**

From what we know about the virus today, it is spread mainly from person – to – person through respiratory droplets and inhaled into the lungs. There are everyday actions we can take to stay healthy and help keep all our children, families and staffs healthy, including:

* Do not bring your child to school if he/she has respiratory distress symptoms and/or fever higher than 100.4 degree Fahrenheit.
* Seek immediate medical care and testing if flu like symptoms are present in your child or other family members.
* Use our provided sanitizing solution and wipes after using the front door and daycare’s restroom.
* Wear mask at all times upon dropping and picking up the children in the daycare.
* Older children must be advised to wear mask too.
* Sharing of items will be limited. If it cannot be avoided be sure to rigorously monitor the children and remind them not to touch their faces and make them wash their hands after using the item.
* Use of individual bags or containers on activity materials or supplies will limit item sharing.
* If diagnosed with coronavirus (covid19), notify the daycare immediately, as we are required to notify the public health authorities, and keep all children at home until cleared by a doctor to return to the center. The daycare will then undergo extensive sanitation to avoid the spread of virus.
* Have a plan on staff absenteeism as it cannot be avoided at this time and place for additional staff as needed.