

Dear EarlyON and Child Care Families,

With COVID-19 cases and key trends remaining low in our community, Hamilton Public Health Services is cautiously lifting the requirement to confirm the completion of daily screening in all Child Care and EarlyON Family & Child Centres.

While self-screening prior to attending our Child Care and EarlyON Family & Child Centres continues to be required, we are no longer required to verify screening for participants. This means we do not need to see the green check mark in order for your child(ren) to attend. Please follow the guidance if you fail the screening and do not attend Child Care or in-person EarlyON programming if your child is sick. Other public health measures continue to be important in preventing the spread of COVID-19 in our programs.

Visitors will continue to be required to confirm their screening during the sign-in process.

Hamilton Public Health Services will continue monitoring local case activity and may introduce additional measures or remove them as appropriate. We anticipate that upon return from the December holiday period, we may be asked again to temporarily verify daily screening. Details will be shared closer to that date.

If you have any questions please contact me by email, joanne.mullen@bgchh.com or by phone, 905-549-2814 ext. 302.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joanne Mullen".

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