Subject : Fire & Non- Fire Evacuation Procedure

Source: This policy complies with Head Start Performance Standard 45 CFR 1304.22(a)(3).

Policy

Posted emergency evacuation routes and other safety procedures for emergencies, which are practiced regularly.

Fire Procedure:

- 1. Evacuate the area of the fire. .
- 2. Activate the fire alarm.
- 3. Call 911 indicating the need for assistance from the Fire Department.
- 4. Teachers will take the gold cards, first aid kits, flash light and attendance sheet to evacuation area.
- 5. Teachers lead children to designated area per evacuation plan.
- 6. Attendance is taken.
- 7. Once the Fire Department makes their determination on the safety, the Executive Director will be notified and develop a contingency plan.
- 8. If the children cannot return to the classroom a call will be made to the Executive Director for additional instructions.
- 9. If children are returned to their classrooms, attendance will be taken. If children are routed to an alternate evacuation site, attendance will be taken upon arrival.

Non Fire Procedure:

- 1. Evacuate the area.
- 2. Teacher takes gold cards, first aid kits, flash light and attendance sheet to evacuation area.
- 3. Teacher leads children to designated area per evacuation plan.
- 4. Attendance is taken.

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- 5. Once a determination is made on the safety of the building, the Executive Director will be notified and develop a contingency plan.
- 6. If children cannot return to the classroom a call will be made to the Executive Director for additional instructions.
- 7. If children are returned to their classrooms, attendance will be taken. If children are routed to an alternate evacuation site, attendance will be taken upon arrival.