

**Handout:**

Describe why frequent and open communication with parents is important, even before concerns regarding the child’s development might arise?

Briefly summarize in your own words, some of the tips that were mentioned in the video.

If you made your own “Top 3” tips from the video, which would they be and why?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Which of these “tips” do you already do? What has gone well in the past when speaking with parents regarding your concerns, and what might you change?

Discuss your center’s policies regarding conversations with parents about developmental concerns. Are there already guidelines or protocols in place?

What is your center’s referral process for early intervention services/supports or for teaming with your local public school district to conduct a more comprehensive screening or testing for a disability?

 **Reflect and Discuss**

I learned...

I value...

I hope to...