

Flushing YMCA Child Watch Rules & Expectations

For the safety and security of all children within the Child Watch Program, please adhere to the rules and expectations outlined below:

1. Eligibility:

- o Child Watch is a benefit exclusively for Adult and Family Members of the Flushing YMCA.
- o The service is available for children ages 6 months through 7 years.

2. Time Limits:

o The maximum stay in Child Watch is two hours per day, with a total of up to 6 hours per week.

3. Registration:

 A Child Watch information form must be completed and submitted to the Child Watch staff prior to your child's first visit.

4. Program Requirements:

- Capacity of program is 7 children
- o Program is at a first come first serve basis and spots are not guarantee
- Parents/guardians signing a child into Child Watch must remain in the facility for the duration of the child's visit. Failure to do so will result in losing program privileges.
- Parents/guardians must sign in upon entering the Child Watch room for each visit.

5. Pick-Up Policy:

- o Children will only be released to adults (18 years or older) listed on the sign-out form.
- o The parent/guardian who signs the child in is expected to be the same person to pick up the child.

6. Late Policy

 If you expect to be more than 15 minutes late, please notify the program. Failure to do so will result in losing program privileges.

7. Snacks and Drinks:

- o Parents/guardians are encouraged to provide snacks and/or drinks for their child.
- o All bottles and snacks must be labeled, and Child Watch is a nut-free zone.

8. Personal Belongings:

- o Personal items such as toys and games should be left at home.
- Winter wear and other personal belongings must be stored in the parent/guardian's locker during the visit.

9. Diapering and Toileting:

- o Child Watch staff cannot change diapers or assist with clothing removal for any reason.
- o If assistance is required, the staff will locate the parent/guardian to assist the child.
- o Diaper changes and the use of portable training toilets are prohibited in the Child Watch room.

10. Health and Wellness:

- o Children who are visibly ill (e.g., runny nose, fever, excessive coughing, rash) will not be admitted.
- o A child must be fever-free for at least 24 hours before returning to Child Watch.

By signing below, you acknowledge and accept the above rules for participation in the Child Watch program.

Parent/Guardian Signature:			
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Member ID #		Enrollment Date	