Welcome to the Gorton Children’s Drop-In Learning Center. We are licensed by the State of Illinois and meet or exceed their standards in addition to providing a warm, caring and educational atmosphere for your children while you are away. If you have not yet done so, enrollment payments can be made online at http://www.gortoncenter.org, just click on Drop-In Learning Center, and then click “enroll.” State law requires actual signatures and paper copies of these forms and birth certificate copies to remain on file at the Center.

Please complete items 1-4 below and bring these documents to the Drop-In Center.

1. **Registration Form:**
   - Please complete the entire Registration Form.
   - Sign and date the Verification of Receipt section.
   - Sign and date at the bottom.

2. **DHS Certificate of Child Health Examination** signed and dated by child’s physician in two places. THIS FORM MUST BE DATED NO EARLIER THAN SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE BEGINNING DATE OF THE PROGRAM.

   **Childhood Lead Risk Assessment Questionnaire** signed and dated by child’s physician. LEAD SCREENING IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CHILDREN SIX MONTHS AND OLDER WITH A PHYSICIAN’S SIGNATURE. A TB TEST IS ALSO REQUIRED FOR ALL CHILDREN ONE YEAR OLD AND OVER. IF YOUR CHILD’S PHYSICIAN ELECTS NOT TO ADMINISTER A LEAD TEST OR A TB TEST, WE MUST HAVE A NOTE ON FILE.

3. Photocopy of child’s birth certificate – as required by DCFS.

4. **Standard Registration fee** – Early enrollment is from May 1, 2019-July 8, 2019. Early enrollment is $175.00 for one child and $230.00 for two or more children. After July 8, 2019, it is $205 for a family enrolling one child and $260 for families enrolling two or more children. If you register online, you can pay with MasterCard, American Express, Discover or VISA online, or bring a check or cash with your registration forms in person. If you do not register online, you must bring a check or cash with your registration forms. Please make checks payable to: Gorton Children’s Drop-In Center. Registration fees are non-refundable. *Please note: we are not be able to pro-rate on a monthly basis.

5. **NEW: Hourly rate** – Children ages 6 weeks -24 months are now $14 per hour due to the smaller teacher-student ratio. 24-36 months are $11, 37 months-5 yrs are $10 per hour. When siblings attend, a 50% discount per hour will be applied to the lowest hourly tuition rate. i.e. if one sibling is 6 months old, and the other is 3 yrs, your total for one hour would be $19.

6. **Lunch** – lunch is $4 and is intended for children ages 15 months and up. You may only bring food in for lunch if your child has food allergies. We are a nut-free environment.

Thank you for your cooperation in completing the necessary information. **ONLY COMPLETE FILES CAN BE ACCEPTED.** Please see the Parent Handbook to familiarize you with our Center.
Registration for 2019-2020

Last Name______________________________Mother_____________________Father________________

Address: ___________________________________________________________ZIP________________

Home Phone: ________________ Mother Cell: ________________ Father Cell: ________________

Mother’s and/or Father’s Employer: ___________________________Work Phone: __________________________

Children: Name: ___________________________ DOB_______________________

   Gender:    Male   Female

Name: ___________________________ DOB_______________________

   Gender:    Male   Female

Name: ___________________________ DOB_______________________

   Gender:    Male   Female

EMERGENCY CONTACTS:

Name: ___________________________ Address: ____________________________

Phone #: ___________________________ Relationship: ____________________________

Name: ___________________________ Address: ____________________________

Phone #: ___________________________ Relationship: ____________________________

Name: ___________________________ Address: ____________________________

Phone #: ___________________________ Relationship: ____________________________
MEDICAL INFORMATION:

Physician: _______________________________ Address: _____________________________________

Phone#: _________________________________

Dentist: ________________________________ Address: _____________________________________

Phone#: _________________________________

Please provide any additional information that might help us better care for your child (ex; what provides comfort: fears or behaviors we should be aware of: circumstances such as adoption or child custody agreements.)

____________________________________________________________________________________

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EMERGENCY AND MEDICAL PROCEDURES:

I have been informed of and agree to the following emergency and medical procedures:

1. In cases of illness, I will be called and required to pick up my child as soon as possible. If I cannot be reached, the Center will contact the emergency contacts I provided. I agree to provide at least 2 contacts. (initial____)

2. In cases of simple injury (such as abrasion, skinned knee, splinters etc.), I understand the Center staff will perform routine hygienic procedures, such as washing wounds and applying bandages. I understand further, the Center staff will perform basic first aid procedures if the situation warrants such action. (initial____)

3. In cases requiring the attention of a physician (such as need for stitches or x-rays), I understand I will be called. If I or the emergency contacts cannot be reached, I request and give my permission for my child’s doctor to be called and for that doctor to render any necessary treatment. I agree to assume financial responsibility for the doctor’s care. (initial____)
4. In cases of medical emergency, I will be called immediately. If circumstances require, the
paramedics will be called. The Center’s staff will respond as necessary until the
paramedics arrive. If hospitalization is required, I give my consent for my child to be
taken to Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital. I give my consent for treatment by a
qualified physician at Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital. I agree to assume all financial
responsibility for such treatment. (initial____)

5. I agree to leave a telephone number where I or an emergency contact can be reached
upon each visit to the Center. (initial____)

6. To the best of my knowledge, my child has no condition, which restricts his/her full
participation in the Center program. If, in the future, such restrictions should become
necessary, I will inform the Center staff in writing of those restrictions. (initial____)

7. I understand that if the Center deems it appropriate for my child to have an aide, I the
parent will provide the aide. I agree to assume all financial responsibility for said aide.
(initial____)

8. All children enrolled at the Gorton Children’s Drop-In Center must be up to date on the
state recommended immunizations. See section 14 in the parent handbook for
schedule. (initial____)

PAYMENT: – Two Payment options only:
1. Families may keep a credit card on file that will run twice per month. You will be sent a statement
via email for charges accrued from the 1st-15th and then the 16th-31st for your review. The credit card
will run automatically three days after the statement is sent. If you wish to utilize this option, please
complete the credit card authorization form included in this packet. Credit card information will be
kept in a secure location.
2. Pre-pay for your reservation by dropping off payment via check or cash in the payment drop box
before your reservation start time or on the Gorton website.

*There is a $25.00 late fee charge for all unpaid balances after 72 business hours.

CANCELLATION AND SHORT NOTICE POLICY:
Any cancellation with less than 24 hours’ notice will result in a charge of $10.00 regardless of the
reason for cancellation. To avoid cancellation fees, you must call or email 24 hours prior to the start
time of your reservation time. For example: If your reservation is for Wednesday, 9 a.m. - 12, you must
call by 9 a.m. the previous day (Tuesday). If your reservation is for Monday 9 a.m.-12, you must call by
the previous Friday at 9 a.m.
If you cancel within 24 hours, you will be charged $10.00
PHOTO/VIDEO PERMISSION: (circle one)
__Yes__ I give my permission for my child(ren) to be photo/video graphed at the Center for display at the Center or on the Gorton Community Center website. I understand that I would be contacted for my permission before a photograph would be released for publicity outside the Center or Gorton Community Center website.

__No__ I do not give my permission for my child(ren) to be photo/video graphed at the Center.

EMAIL CONSENT:
I understand that by providing the email address below, I am giving consent to receive billing statements, notices, and important reminders and announcements sent by the Center Director.

Email address: ___________________________________________

Email address: ___________________________________________

Gorton Children's Drop-In Center
Drop-Off and Pick-Up Policy

I agree to drop-off and pick up my child at the time I designated on my child's reservation at the Gorton Children's Drop-In Learning Center (DILC).

If I drop my child before the reserved time, I agree to pay $4.00 for every 5 minutes I am early.

If I pick up my child late, I agree to pay $4.00 for every 5 minutes I am late.

If I have not contacted the Gorton Children's Drop-In Learning Center (DILC) to notify them I am late within 10 minutes of the time I have reserved, the DIC will call the emergency number I provided on the sign-in sheet. If I cannot be reached immediately, the DILC will call the Emergency Contacts listed in my child's file.

If my child's emergency contacts cannot be reached or are unavailable to pick up my child, the DIC is required by DCFS regulations to notify the local law enforcement officials and DCFS.

Signed ________________________________ Date: ______________

Gorton Children's Drop-In Center Hearing and Vision

I, ________________________________ Parent of ________________________________
understand that I am responsible for having my child's hearing and vision tested at age 3, as indicated by DCFS regulations.

Signed: ________________________________ Date: ______

VERIFICATION OF RECEIPT:
State of Illinois
Illinois Department of Children and Family Services

VERIFICATION OF RECEIPT

I/WE,______________________________________________________________

Please Print Name(s)

parent(s) of _______________________________________________________, hereby certify that

I/we have _____________________________________________________________

Name(s) of Child(ren)

received a copy of a summary of licensing standards printed by the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.

__________________________________________
Signature of Parent  Date

__________________________________________
Signature of Parent  Date

Note: the summary of licensing standards printed by the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services is attached at the end of this document.

I AGREE TO COOPERATE WITH THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE GORTON CHILDREN’S DROP-IN CENTER REGARDING FEES, CANCELLATION POLICY, ILLNESS, IMMUNIZATION UPDATES, CLOTHING AND OTHER ITEMS SPECIFIED IN THE PARENT HANDBOOK. I UNDERSTAND THAT I WILL BE CHARGED $25 PLUS BANK FEES FOR ANY CHECKS THAT ARE RETURNED.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: ________________________________DATE: ____________

Parent Handbook

I have read and received a copy of the Gorton Children’s Drop-In Center Parent Handbook:

Signed: ________________________________Date_________________________
ATTACH PHOTOCOPY(IES) OF
CHILD(REN)’S BIRTH CERTIFICATE(S) HERE
(AS REQUIRED BY DCFS)
Gorton Children’s Drop-In Center
Credit Card Authorization Form

CARDHOLDER INFORMATION

Name: ____________________________
Billing Street Address: ____________________________
Street Address (cont.): ____________________________
City: __________________ State: ________ Postal Code: __________
Country: ____________________________ Email (for receipts) __________________
Address: ____________________________
Direct Telephone: (____)____ - ________

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION

Credit Card Type: □ MasterCard □ Visa □ American Express □ Discover Card
Credit Card Number: ____________________________
Expiration Month: _______ Expiration Year: _______
Security Code: __________

I authorize Gorton Children’s Drop-In Learning Center to charge my credit card for amounts due

Signature of card holder ____________________________
Date ____________________________