

## **Dental Screening Certification Form**

State law now requires a child who is 7 years of age or younger to have a dental screening before entering school for the first time. (HB 2972 (2015))

## IF YOUR CHILD HAS ALREADY RECEIVED A DENTAL SCREENING

## Parent/Guardian:

- If you know your child has already had a dental screening, please check the box below, fill out this section, and sign it.
- If you do not know if your child has had a dental screening, please have a dental provider fill out this section and sign it.
- Please return this form to the school office. has received a dental screening. My child (First name) (Middle initial) (Last name) Parent/Guardian or Dental Provider Print Name: 🗷 Signature ≰ \_\_\_\_\_ Date ≰ \_\_\_\_\_ TO OPT-OUT OF THE DENTAL SCREENING REQUIREMENT Parent/Guardian: You may choose to have your child opt-out of a dental screening due to a reason listed below. Please fill out this section and sign it. Then return this form to the school office. My child was not screened due to the following: (please check all that apply): We already submitted a certification form at a previous school. The dental screening is contrary to student or families religious beliefs. The dental screening is a burden. The dental screening is a burden for the student or the parent or guardian of the student when: (A) The cost of obtaining the dental screening is too high;

- (B) The student does not have access to a screener or;
- (C) The student was unable to obtain an appointment with an screener

Parent/Guardian Print Name ∠:

Signature ≰ \_\_\_\_\_ Date ≰ \_\_\_\_\_