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Dear Families,

I am sharing some information about your Kentucky Early Intervention System (KEIS) services. Our providers use coaching to work with you and your child in areas that matter most to your family. Research shows early intervention works best when caregivers — like you — are actively involved. Children learn best in meaningful, everyday activities with familiar people. By working together during your daily routines, you and your provider can create learning opportunities that happen all day, every day - not just during visits with your early intervention provider.

KEIS provides ongoing professional development to providers to support their coaching skills. As part of this professional development, your providers may ask to video record your home or tele-intervention visits. These recordings focus on the provider's interactions with your family — not on your child. Participation is optional, and your services won't be affected if you choose not to be recorded.

To learn more, visit Kentucky's Early Intervention Services webpage:
<https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dph/dmch/ecdb/Pages/fsenrollment.aspx>

Thank you for being so willing to support your provider's ongoing professional development. We're excited about how this coaching approach empowers you to support your child's learning and development. If you have questions, please get in touch with the team coordinating this training at coaches@louisville.edu or Scott Tomchek directly at (502) 852-9195.

Sincerely,

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