Health Status Determination Procedure:

To ensure the 90-day compliance with the above regulation, MARC and all direct service providers will date stamp the initial health provider Well Child Exams and / or Oral Health Exams with the date that it was received from the provider or parent. This will serve as proof as to whether a child is up-to-date. This is a one-time event and will not be updated during the program year. MARC and direct service providers will:

- **For Early Head Start and Head Start Well Child / Baby Exams:**
  - Enter this date in ChildPlus® per the MAHS ChildPlus® data entry manual as:
    - Status Determination-WBC EHS
    - Status Determination-Physical HS

- **For Early Head Start Oral Health Assessment and Head Start Dental Exams:**
  - Early Head Start: Use the date of the initial Well Baby Check as the date the child was examined and determined to be up-to-date with oral health by their medical provider.
  - Head Start: Use the date of the initial Dental Exam as the date the child was examined and determined to be up-to-date with oral health by their oral health / dental provider.
  - Enter this date in ChildPlus® per the MARC ChildPlus® data entry manual as:
    - Status Determination-Oral Health EHS
    - Status Determination-Dental Exam HS

- Once the Status Determination has been entered in to ChildPlus, a separate health event must be entered for the initial (and all subsequent) Well Baby Checks, Physical Exams, Oral Health Assessments and Dental Exams.

**Note:** For Tier 1 and Tier 2 direct service providers all health data received from the parent at the Head Start site will be emailed to the MARC Head Start Data team hsdatateam@marc.org. The health status determination and associated health event will be entered and uploaded into ChildPlus by the Data team.