

# Questions to Ask Your



## *Pediatrician*



### **General Health & Development**

- Is my child growing and developing appropriately for their age?
- What milestones should occur next?
- Are there any concerns?
- How can I encourage healthy eating habits and address picky eating?

### **Symptoms & Concerns**

- Are these symptoms normal or should I be concerned?
- What could be the cause of these symptoms?
- When should I contact the office vs. monitor symptoms at home?
- How long should these symptoms last?

### **Treatment & Medications**

- What are side effects of this medication?
- How long does my child need to take this medication?
- What should I do if I miss a dose or give too much?
- Are there alternative treatments available?

### **Preventive Care & Immunizations**

- Is it safe to get more than one vaccine at a time?
- How effective is this vaccine in preventing the disease?
- What should I do if my child has a reaction?
- What is the best way to administer this medication?
- What are the potential side effects of this medicine?



  
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