

Urban Sprouts Child Development Center, with two locations in Olivette, MO and University City, MO, was recognized in April 2014 for meeting the standards set by the **intermediate level** of the Missouri Eat Smart Guidelines. On April 9, 2014, during the “Week of the Young Child,” Sarah Gaines, Nutrition Consultant, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Bureau of Community Food and Nutrition Assistance (MDHSS-BCFNA) spoke with parents on the importance of the Missouri Eat Smart Child Care program as they picked their children up at the end of the day. Andrea Barragan, director, was recognized for her accomplishment in achieving the guidelines. The Urban Sprouts Child Development Centers account for the 86<sup>th</sup> and 87<sup>th</sup> child care centers in Missouri to be recognized as Missouri Eat Smart.