

CHILD CARE APPLICATION

Parent/Guardian Name:

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Child Care Policy can be found at :http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx/?item=9877

To apply please read the following pages carefully and then submit your completed application to your local Child Care Resource and Referral(CCR&R). If you have any questions about your eligibility or if you need help completing this form,call your local CCR&R. To find your local CCR&R go to - http://www.ilqualitycounts.org/component/sdasearch/?Itemid=142 or call 1-877-202-4453 (toll-free).

Please be sure that all the information is complete before sending in your application and return all pages:

- * If a question does not apply, please write "n/a" in the box.
- * Complete this form based on your current information. Inform the CCR&R or Site provider if any information changes within 10 days of the change. A job loss or break in activity must be reported within 30 days in order to maintain a child care arrangement under the provisions for grace periods.
- * All persons other than the applicant and the second parent living in the household are listed in section 3 (page 6).
- * If working, at least one of the following is attached to verify your employment and the employment of everyone listed in your family size that is 21 years of age or older:
 - ** Copies of your last (2) paycheck stubs, or if you have not been working long enough to get two paychecks:
 - * A letter from your employer or an employment verification form listing the following:
 - * The date you started working.
 - * The amount of money you are paid.
 - * Your typical work schedule, including the total number of hours you work per week.
 - * Your employer's address and phone number.
 - * Your employer's signature, or
 - ** Verification of your self-employment. This can include:
 - * A copy of your most recent Federal income tax return (IRS 1040) and all schedules and attachments.
 - * A copy of your quarterly estimated taxes.
 - * A listing of all business income and expenses for the last 30 days. This can be reported on your own form or on a self-Employment form which can be downloaded at http://www.dhs.state.il.us/onenetlibrary/12/documents/Forms/IL444-2790-IES.pdf or requested from your local CCR&R. When reporting income and expenses, receipts, invoices, or other documentation must be attached to verify all information.
- * If in school, ALL of the following are attached:
 - * Copies of your official school schedule.
 - * Copies of your most recent report card showing your grade point average (GPA).
- * Make a copy of your Application for your records. You understand if you send original check stubs or other documents that they will not be returned.
- * All jobs, income and education information for BOTH parents (if living in the home) have been reported on pages 3 through 6 and documentation is attached.
- * You understand that if any questions are left blank or if any attachments are missing, your application form will be returned to you as incomplete. This may cause a delay in approval for Child Care Assistance Program payments.
- * You also understand that all of the information you submit will be verified using State and/or local databases and the internet. If any inconsistencies are discovered, your application may be delayed or your participation in the Child Care Assistance Program may be denied.
- * Fields marked with an asterisk(*) are required.
- * Families with assets of \$1 million or more are not eligible. Assets include cash, retirement, investments and real property.



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Important Notice: The sooner your application is submitted, the sooner benefits can be determined.

Return your completed application to:

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY IN BLUE OR BLACK INK. Please read the attached checklist before completing this form. (Este formulario está disponible en español. For the Spanish version go to http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=68333)

	SECTION 1 - PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION							
* Parent/Guardian First Name:		M.I.	* Last Name:					
Social Security Number (Optional	al) TANF, Food	Stamps (SNAP),	or Medical Assistance case number, if a	oplicable	* County			
* Address		Apt#	* City	* State	* Zip Code			
Mailing address, if different than	above.	Apt#	City	State	Zip Code			
Is your family currently experience fixed, regular, and adequate nigh			Yes No Start Date		End Date			
Are you a current or past victim o	f domestic viole	ence?	Yes No Start Date		End Date			
Are you Active Duty Military?	Yes No	Member of	National Guard Unit or Military Rese	rve Unit				
Active Duty Begin Date:		Nationa	al Guard/Military Reserve Begin Date	e :				
Active Duty End Date:		Nationa	al Guard/Military Reserve End Date:					
Home Telephone Number	Mobile Telepho	ne Number	Best time to call (Hours) (Min.)	(AM/PM)				
Another number where you can be	oe reached	E-mail Address						
* Parent/Guardian Date of Birth (Include Month/[Day/Year)	* Check one: MALE OR	FEMA	LE			
Primary language Spoken in the	home:							
Do you have more than one child care provider for this application? Yes No			Do any of your other children attend Head Start, Pre-K or Child Care at a provider not on this application? Yes No					
	ete a separate	child care arra	ngement Section 4 (page 8) for ea	ch provide	r.			



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Travel time from	the child care p	rovider to work:	(Hrs)	(1	Min.) Do	you use public	transpor	tation?	Yes No
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	SCHO	OL/TRAINING	S/TANF-RE	QUIRE	D ACTIV	ITY INFORM	ATION	1		
TYPE OF EDUCATION/TRAINING CURRENTLY ATTENDING: (Check one) High School or GED Below Post - Secondary (e.g., ABE or ESL) Occupational/Vocational 2-Year College Degree Internship 4-Year College Degree Work Experience (TANF only) none What is the highest level of education you have completed (GED/High school diploma, trade school certificate, BA degree)? Do you already have a professional license, degree, or certificate? Yes No lf yes, what type:										
School Name/T	raining Program	Currently Attend	ing Tele	phone N	4	Term Start I	Date	Те	rm End Date	
Address				City		1	:	State	Zip Code	
Travel time from	the child care p	rovider to school	: (Hrs)	(Min.)	Do	you use public t	ranspor	tation?	Yes No	
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	SECTION	2 - OTHER P.	ARENT/GUA	RDIAN/STEP	PARENT INF	ORMATION				
Is the other par	rent or stepparen	t of any of your	children, step ch	ildren or wards li	iving in your hor	ne?				
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Please no	ote: Information f Question	from various age #6 on page 15).	ncies' database If the information	es and internet we n does not match	eb sites will be to the it may delay yo	aken into consid our eligibility.	leration (See			
If the other parent or stepparent could be listed on your case for other benefits (TANF, SNAP/Food Stamps, Medical, Child Support Enforcement, Unemployment) but is no longer living with you, you may need to supply additional information to prove he/she is living somewhere else. If you cannot provide this documentation, please contact your local CCR&R or Site Administered child care provider.										
	OTH	IER PARENT	GUARDIAN	/STEPPAREN	IT INFORMA	TION				
Other Parent/G	Guardian/Steppar	ent First Name	M.I.	Last Name						
Social Security	Number (Option	al)	Date of Birth (i	nclude month/da	y/year)	Telephone Nu	mber			
Is the other par	Is the other parent or stepparent working? Yes No									
Is the other par	ent or stepparent	attending school	ol or a training p	rogram?	Yes No)				
If the other parer	nt or stepparent is r	not working or in a	school/training pr	rogram, please exp	plain why he/she	cannot care for the	children.			
Active Duty Mili	tary? 🗌 Yes	☐ No ☐ Mer	nber of Nationa	l Guard Unit or M	lilitary Reserve	Unit				
Active Duty Be	gin Date:		Nation	al Guard/Military	Reserve Begin	Date:				
Active Duty En	d Date:		Nation	al Guard/Military	Reserve End D	ate:				
WORK INFORMATION - If you are working more than one job, you MUST tell us about all your jobs even if don't need child care for that job. Photocopy this page and complete a separate work information and work schedule section for each job you have.										
First Employer/	Company Name				Job Title					
Address				City		State	Zip Code -			
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Occupationa	al/Vocational	2-Year Colle	ege Degree	Interns	hip BA degree	*)			
4-Year Colle	ege Degree	─ Work Experi	ence (TANF or	lly) none					
	level of education yo		GED/High school	Do you already have	a professional license	, degree, or	certificate?	Yes No	
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	SECTION 3 -	FAMILY INFORM	ATION		
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I need child care assistance	for the following children:				
First Name	Last Name	Date of Birth	M/F	Ethnic Origin *	Social Security #
U.S. Citizen** Yes N Special Needs: Yes N		s No Relationsh	ip to Par	ent:	
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U.S. Citizen** Yes No Special Needs: Yes No * For each child's Ethnic Origi African American 3 - Hispan "3-2", "3-5") 4 - Asian 5 - Am ** If any of the children are n	n, list all numbers below that c or Latino (Persons declari erican Indian or Alaskan Na ot citizens, provide alien reg	apply: (Required for Fing Hispanic ethnicity slitive 6 - Native Hawaiia	ederal R hould als n or Pac n if you h	Reporting) 1 - White so list their race, for ific Islander nave it.	example, "3-1",
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FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	RELATIO TO PA		OCIAL SECURITY UMBER (Optional)



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Provider First Na	me		Pro	ovider Last Na	ame					
If you are a Day (Care C	enter, (Corporate Na	me						
Provider Numbe	r (Prov	/iders v	without a num	ber should co	ontact the CC	R&R)				
If your children	List only the children who will be cared for by THIS child care provider. If your children go to school, kindergarten, pre-k, or head start at another facility during the day, list only the hours that they are in child care with THIS provider. For school age and kindergarten children, list only the hours they are in child care.									
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Child's relationship to provider:	Child's relations	hip to p	provide	er:							

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SECTION 5 - MONTHLY INCOME INFORMATION

Enter the gross MONTHLY income in each box for yourself and each member you have counted in your family size. Information from various agencies' databases and web sites will be taken into consideration when determining eligibility. If the Type of Monthly Income does not apply, write N/A.

	Type of Monthly Income	Applicant (YOU)	Other Family Members
1.	Employment Income for both parents and all family members age 21 and older (including tips from pay stubs before deductions). Attach copies of 2 most recent and consecutive pay stubs for each person. If you (or a family member) are self employed, complete #2.	\$	\$
2.	Self Employment Income for you and family member age 21 and older. Attach verification such as, most recent Federal tax return (IRS 1040 and all attachments), or a copy of quarterly estimated taxes, or a listing of all business income expenses for the last 30 days. This can be reported on your own form or a Self Employment form which can be downloaded at: http://www.dhs.state.il.us/onenetlibrary/12/documents/Forms/IL444-2790-IES.pdf or requested from your local CCR&R. Receipts, invoices or other documentation must be attached.		\$
3.	Child Support Received for all family members	\$	\$
4.	TANF Cash Assistance for all family members	\$	\$
5.	Other Federal Cash Income: for example, Social Security payments for ALL family members and railroad benefits.	\$	\$
6.	Other Monthly Income for all family members; including, but not limited to: unemployment compensation, ongoing monthly adoption assistance payments from DCFS, permanent disability payments (SSI), alimony, interest income, royalties, pension, annuities, veteran's pension, survivor's benefits, and living expenses portion of educational grants.	\$	\$
	SUBTOTAL (add lines 1 - 6)	\$	\$
	SUBTRACT Child Support Paid by you or another family member	- \$	- \$
	TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME	\$	\$
	If you receive any Housing Cash Assistance, including vouchers with a splease report the amount here. This is required for Federal reporting only COUNT IN TOTAL FAMILY INCOME.		\$
Do	es your family currently have \$1 million or more in assets?	lo	

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To be completed by the Provider (Please print clearly in blue or black ink). Parents or stepparents cannot be paid to provide child care for any children in the home. Providers must be at least 18 years of age and clear required background checks. You must enter your IDHS business name and provider number in this section. To avoid enrollment or payment delays, copy and enter the IDHS provider name and number exactly as it appears on the web page. First Name of Child Care Provider Last Name If you are a Day Care Center, Corporate Name Address APT# City State Zip Code APT# City State Zip Code County Address, if different than above: Phone Number Fax Number E-mail Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) (Required for all Licensed and License-Exempt Home based Providers) Provider Must Complete One: Note: Read the instructions included with the W-9 form for information on these options. If you have already registered as a provider for this program, list only your registration number. Enter date the child care provider recently began or will begin caring for these children: (MM/DD/YYYY) What was the date of your last inspection: (DCFS or License Exempt) (MM/DD/YYYY) Have you been approved for the Illinois Quality Counts Training Tiers of ExceleRate Illinois?	SEC	SECTION 6 - CHILD CARE PROVIDER INFORMATION Add Remove							
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Parent/Guardian Name:

SECTION 7 - CHILD CARE PROVIDER CERTIFICATION

After reading each of the following statements regarding child care standards, I certify that:

- * Parents will have unrestricted access to their children at all times.
- * I and members of my staff/household are in compliance will all State and Local Health Departments, and Fire Marshall Health, safety and fire codes and standards including firearms and ammunition.
- * There will be no corporal punishment.
- * The children will be provided developmentally appropriate play and physical activities daily.
- * The children will be supervised (indoors and outdoors) at all times.
- * The children will be provided nutritional meals/snacks daily based on the number of hours in care.
- * I have not been responsible, and if I am a home provider, no one living in my household age 13 and older has been responsible, for the abuse or neglect of children or any acts of sexual molestation or sexual exploitation of children.
- * I and members of my household must complete an Authorization for Background Check form and comply with all background checks that are required.
- * If I am a home child care provider, I will report any new person(s) living in my household within 10 days.
- * The Information provided will be checked using State databases.
- * I understand the information provided will be disclosed only for administrative purposes of the Child Care Assistance Program and for investigation of improper payments and that I may be required to verify the information, but is also subject to release under FOIA.
- * I cannot be paid until I complete a W-9 form and I am certified by the Office of the Comptroller.
- * I am responsible for collecting a co-payment from each family and that the co-payment will be deducted from the payment I receive from IDHS.
- * The State is required to make payment deductions for home child care providers who are members of Service Employees international Union(SEIU).
- * The State is not liable for payment of child care services provided prior to the date of an approval notice issued by the State,
- * If I am a child care center provider, licensed home, or group home, I will maintain, for a minimum of five (5) years from the date of payment, daily attendance records to fully document the extent of services provided and agree to make all records and supporting documentation relevant to the services billed herein available to any and all authorized Department representatives and Federal authorities.
- * Failure to maintain adequate records shall establish a presumption in favor of the State for any funds paid by the State for which adequate documentation is not available to support disbursement.
- * For the Child Care Assistance Program, a license exempt day care home provider may care for 3 children or may care for all of the children from a single household.
- * If not licensed by DCFS, copies of my Social Security Card and current valid driver's license, State ID card, or military ID are included. In order to be current, the driver's license or ID must list my current address.
- * A child care center not licensed by the State of Illinois has the burden of demonstrating that it meets the criteria for the exemption it claims (89 ILL.Adm.Code 377) and must certify its facility or program is exempt from licensure including submission of a completed License Exempt Day Care Center Self-Certification form.
- * I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read all statements on this form and the information I give is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that giving false information or failing to provide correct information can also result in an overpayment which I will have to pay back and could result in my prosecution for fraud.
- * That the rates charged to the State of Illinois do not exceed the maximum allowed by the State and do not exceed those charged to the general public for similar services. This includes discounts such as multiple child discounts, staff discounts, full-week discounts, per-pay discounts, and sliding fee scales.
- * I certify that the hours of child care do not include hours the child is in school including home schooling.
- * That deliberately providing an incorrect/fictitious Social Security number in order to defraud the State of Illinois will cause me to be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
- * My signature is my consent and authorization for information to be released by or to the Illinois Department of Human Services or its agents that may establish my eligibility or my continued eligibility for the Child Care Assistance Program or for the investigation of improper payments or other suspected improper use of the program.

By signing and dating this document I certify that I have read and statements as they are listed are true and that the information pro-	
Child Care Provider Signature:	Date:



CHILD CARE APPLICATION

Parent/Guardian Name:

SECTION 8 - PARENT/GUARDIAN CERTIFICATION

After reading each of the following statements, I certify that:

- * I understand that I am responsible for paying a share of my child care costs(parent co-payment) to my child care provider and that failure to do so may result in the loss of my child care provider.
- * I understand that my eligibility will be redetermined every six(6) months or as needed.
- * The child(ren) is/are current on all immunizations and verification is on file with the child care provider.
- * A review of each facility/home has been completed and I agree that it is a safe environment.
- * I have given written notification to each child care provider if I want anyone other than myself to pick up the child(ren).
- * I am responsible for the selection of the child care provider(s) for my child(ren).
- * I will report any change in child care arrangements, employment or family size, within 10 days, or within 30 days for job loss or break in activity under the provision for grace periods. Failure to report changes in a timely manner may result in an overpayment which I will have to pay back and/or loss of child care benefits.
- * I understand that I must be working or attending an IDHS approved education, training, or other work related activity in order to be eligible to receive child care benefits.
- * I understand the information provided will be checked using State and other databases, and if inconsistencies are discovered, the processing of my application may be delayed or denied.
- * I understand that deliberately providing an incorrect/fictitious Social Security number or withholding the Social Security number information in order to defraud the State of Illinois will cause me to be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
- * The information provided will be disclosed only for administrative purposes and that I may be required to verify the information that I have provided.
- * I understand that I have the right to appeal and to have a fair hearing or grievance.
- * I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read all statements on this form and the information I give is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that giving false information or failing to provide correct information can also result in an overpayment which I will have to pay back and could result in my prosecution for fraud.

My signature is my consent and authorization for information to be released by or to the Illinois Department of Human Services or its agents that may establish my eligibility, or my continued eligibility for the Child Care Assistance Program.

Parent/Guardian's Signature:	Date:
Other Parent/Guardian's Signature:	Date:



CHILD CARE APPLICATION

Parent/Guardian Name:

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

1) Who is eligible for child care assistance from the state?

Effective Nov. 9, 2015, applicants included in the priority service groups are:

- A) Recipients of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families;
- B) Teen Parents enrolled full-time in elementary, high school or GED classes to obtain in high school degree or its equivalent;
- C) Families with a Special Needs Child;
- D)Working families whose monthly incomes do not exceed 162% of the most current Federal Poverty Level for their family size.

2) Is there a waiting list for child care assistance?

To the extent resources permit, it is the intent of the Department to provide child care services to all applicants that meet the eligibility requirement set forth in policy. If its is necessary to limit participation to stay within the amounts appropriated or resources available to the Department for child care services, participation will be limited to the priority service groups specified in FAQ1,A,B,C and D. If these restrictions are in effect and you do not meet the guidelines, you will receive a denial notice at the time of application and notice to re-apply once guidelines are restored to standard policy.

3) How long can I continue to receive child care assistance?

There is no time limit. As long as you are income eligible, need child care to work or participate in an approved activity, your child(ren) continue to attend the approved provider and the age of the child(ren) is consistent with program guidelines, you remain eligible. Your Approval Letter will list the first and last months that you are eligible for assistance. Before your approval period ends, you will have to renew your child care by filling out a "redetermination" form. This form will be automatically mailed to you. If you don't return your redetermination form and all required documents - OR- if you no longer meet the eligibility guidelines of the program, your case will be canceled.

4) If I receive child care assistance from the State will I still have to pay something?

The State requires all parents to pay a monthly "co-payment" directly to their provider. Monthly co-payments are based on gross monthly income and family size. The State will deduct the parent co-payment from the total charges up to the maximum child care rate. If the co-payment is more than the total charges, the parent pays the lesser amount to the provider and no payment is made by the State.

5) How can I find a child care provider?

You may call a parent counselor at your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (CCR&R) at 1-877-202-4453 (toll-free) to get help finding child care for your child. You must have a child care provider before you submit your application.

6) Will my information be verified?

Yes. Information submitted by the parent/guardian on the application and supporting documentation is verified through various agencies' databases and internet websites. Information from these databases and web sites will be taken into consideration when determining eligibility.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

7) What does "income eligible" mean?

A family is considered income eligible when the combined gross monthly income of all family members is at or below the maximum income level for the corresponding family size. In two-parent families, both incomes must be combined to determine eligibility. Two-parent families include those with 2 or more adults living in the home, such as the applicant and his or her spouse or parents of a common child in the home. If due to lack of resources, restricted intake criteria is put into place, there may be different income level for approval based on whether this is a new application(intake) or a redetermination of, or change of Information on a existing case.

8) Must I be the child's parent to qualify for the program?

No. A child's legal guardian or other relatives caring for the child are also eligible and should fill out an application form. Foster parents can receive child care assistance from the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services.

9) How old can the child be?

All children under age 13 are eligible. Children age 13 to 19 are eligible if they are under court supervision or have written documentation from a medical provider stating that they are physically or mentally incapable of caring for themselves.

10) Can I receive child care assistance for the time I travel to or from work or school/training?

Yes. You can receive child care assistance for reasonable time you spend traveling to and from your child care provider to your job or school / training.

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11) What if my work schedule varies?

You may submit additional paycheck stubs and attach additional information to establish an average work schedule.

12) What if my child's other parent or stepparent lives in my home?

If the child's other parent or stepparent lives in your home, he or she also needs to be working or in school, training, or a TANF-required activity in order for you to receive a child care subsidy. The other parent or stepparent also needs to complete pages 4 - 6 of the application and submit the same kinds of documents as you do, which are listed in the application instructions.

13) When should I send my child to their child care provider and when should the child care provider start care?

Children should not attend child care prior to the approval notice unless the parent and the provider have a payment agreement plan in place until the approval/denial notice is received by both the parent and the provider. IDHS will not pay for any care provided before the case is approved.

CHOOSING A CHILD CARE PROVIDER

14) Does my child care provider have to be licensed?

No. Certain home child care providers are not required to have a license. A provider without a license must be at least 18 years old and may care for three (3) children including the provider's own children or may care for all of the children from a single household.

15) Will the State pay relatives to take care of my child?

Yes. Relatives can be paid to provide child care even if they live in the home with the child. Parents and step-parents cannot be paid as child care providers. TANF clients can be paid child care providers; however, earnings must be reported to their IDHS caseworkers. Exception: the State will not pay any relatives included in the child's TANF grant to care for the child.

16) Does the State do any kind of background check on child care providers?

In Illinois, all child care providers must undergo a background check. The background check consists of three parts: a CANTS check (Child Abuse & Neglect Tracking System/SACWIS), and other state child protection systems, or the National Registry, as appropriate a SOR check (Sex Offender Registry and the National Sex Offenders Registry as appropriate), and a criminal history record check which is done through fingerprinting submitted to the Illinois State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation(FBI). Your provider will be required to have some or all of these checks. If care is done in your provider's home, anyone who lives in the home who is age 13 or older will also be required to be checked. There is no charge to the parent or the provider for the background check. Your CCR&R will tell your provider and their household members which checks they are required to complete.

PAYMENTS

17) Can my child care provider charge me more than my co-payment amount?

Yes, If your provider charges private paying parents a higher rate than the IDHS program pays, your provider can ask you to pay the difference by requiring a fee in addition to your co-payment. Be sure that you and your provider discuss what you are expected to pay before care for your child starts. If your provider's costs are too high for you, your CCR&R may be able to help you find a child care provider who is more affordable. Call them for help finding a new child care provider.

18) When will my child care provider get paid?

It can take 4 to 8 weeks for your provider to receive the first payment. After your provider receives the first payment, regular payments should arrive on a monthly basis. The reason the first payment takes longer is your provider's name and social security number must be recorded with the Office of the Comptroller before any payments can be made. To do this, the CCR&R will mail your provider a W9 tax form. The sooner he or she neatly completes and returns the W9 form to the CCR&R, the sooner he or she gets paid. After the Office of the Comptroller has your provider's information on file, we can send him or her the first "billing certificate." This is the form that you and your provider complete each month tell IDHS how much to pay your provider.

19) How can my child care provider expect to be paid?

Providers may choose to be paid by paper check("warrant") issued through the mail, Direct Deposit or through the Illinois Debit Card For more information regarding the Illinois Debit Card, go to the following web site:

http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=45466 or contact your CCR&R.

To sign up for Direct Deposit, call the Comptroller's Electronic Commerce Division at (217)557-0930 to receive an authorization form.

If you do not set up payments to go to a Debit Card or Direct Deposit, you will receive paper checks in the mail. Regardless of the method you chose, at least one paper check will be issued to you. Pursuant to Section 9.03 of the State Comptroller Act, vendors may be assessed a \$2.50 processing fee per paper check once they have issued more than 30 paper checks in the same fiscal year from the same state agency.





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20) Can taxes be taken out of my child care provider's payment?

Child care providers are considered to be self-employed and taxes cannot be deducted from IDHS payments. This income is taxable and must be reported when filing federal and state income tax returns. The Office of the Comptroller sends out a 1099 tax information form after each calendar year to all individual providers that earn \$600 or more a calendar year.

21) How can I or my child care provider check status of payments?

Clients and providers can call the IDHS toll free phone number to find out payment information. If you have a touch-tone phone, you can call 1-800-804-3833 to find out if your payments have been entered by the CCR&R and mailed by the State Comptroller. This toll free number is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. You can also get payment information by visiting the State Comptroller's web site at: http://illinoiscomptroller.gov/ and select "vendor payments."

OTHER

22) What should I do if my circumstances change?

The parent or provider should inform the CCR&R or site provider when any of the following changes occur:

* Change Providers

* Change address

** Stop working

* Stop receiving TANF

** Stop attending school or training

* Have medical/maternity leave

* Change family size

* Change Jobs

* Have any other changes that may affect your eligibility

* Change income

Failure to report any changes within 10 days may result in an overpayment which you will have to pay back and/or loss of child care benefits. If you stop working, you may be able to continue to receive a child care subsidy up to 30 days after the loss of your job while you look for work, if reported within **30 days.

23) Is it required that I provide my social security number?

Social Security Numbers are not required at this time for child care eligibility and eligibility will not be denied due to your failure to provide this information. Social Security Numbers are used to assemble research data sets that do not identify individuals and to verify income. Social Security Numbers will be disclosed for administrative purposes only and are confidential.

24) If I am a client or child care provider and I move, will my mail and checks be forwarded?

No, all clients and providers must fill out and submit a client/provider address form within 10 days of relocating.

25) How can I verify employment if I am self employed or cash paid?

A copy of the most recent, signed federal income tax return and all applicable schedules and attachments. After April 15th of each year, only the tax return for the previous year is acceptable. If the tax return was submitted electronically, you must provide a copy of the receipt in the absence of a signature. If a tax return is not available, a monthly statement of earnings and expenses must be submitted until an income tax return is submitted.

If you are paid in cash, a payment verification letter is required from each individual who pays you in cash for performing a service. You cannot write the letter yourself. It MUST be from the person who pays you.

All verifications must include the following information:

- 1. The name, address, and phone number, of the individual completing the letter;
- 2. The type of work performed;
- 3. Who performed the work;
- 4. The date(s) the work was completed or if the activity is on-going,
- 5. The rate of pay; and
- 6. The employee's schedule. If the expenses exceed the gross receipts, the self-employment income will be zero (-0-). Those additional expenses which exceed the gross receipts will not be subtracted from other earned or unearned income in the household. If the number of hours worked cannot be verified, the amount of child care services allowed shall not exceed the documented income divided by the current State minimum hourly wage.

Example: A parent reports that she cleans 5 homes per week and only earns \$100 per week. To calculate the number of hours/days to approve, divide \$100 by \$8.25 (State minimum wage effective 7/1/10) = 12.12 hours. Depending on the parent's actual work/transportation schedule, the parent could be approved for either: 1 full and 1 part time day, 2 full and 1 part day, or 3 part days of care.

LICENSE EXEMPT PROVIDER REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

All providers who are not licensed by the State of Illinois must register with the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) to receive payment. To register you will need to send us a legible copy of your social security card and a copy of the front and back of your current, valid Illinois issued photo ID, driver's license, or military ID. The following checklist is provided to help you to remember what you need to give us so you can be paid.

> Mail or fax information to: Child Care Resource and Referral 801 N Larkin Ave, Suite 202 Joliet, IL 60435 Fax 815-741-1170

PICTURE IDENTIFICATION

- Copy of front and back
- > Address must match the address of the provider on the Child Care Application
- > Current State ID, Current IL Driver's License, or Current Military ID

SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

> If the provider's social security card has been lost or stolen, the provider must obtain a duplicate card from the Social Security Administration. This service is free. The provider must complete an Application for a Social Security Card. Form SS-5 is available for download at: http://www.socialsecurity.gov/online/ss-5.html. Form SS-5 may also be obtained by calling 1-800-772-1213 or by visiting any local Social Security office.

W-9 FORM

- > Complete legibly and be sure information matches your legal name on your Social Security Card.
- ➤ Sign the W-9

*****Important Information for providers who are NOT licensed by DCFS*****

A provider who is not licensed cannot care for and be paid by the Child Care Assistance program for more than 3 children. The count of children includes the providers own children under the age of 12.

For example:

- If a provider has 3 children of their own under age 12, they CANNOT care for any other children without a DCFS License.
- If a provider has 2 of their own children under age 12, they can care for only 1 other child.
- If a provider has 1 child under age 12, they can care for 2 other children.
- If the provider has no children they may care for 1 other family regardless of the number of children.

Form W-9

(Rev. January 2011)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

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	If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose er to enter.	
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Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- 1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- 2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- 3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property cause at tion of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not sequend to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here

Signature of U.S. person >

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- 1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
 - 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

Note. If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9:

Definition of a U.S. person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or, organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- · An estate (other than a foreign estate), or

Date

A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

Special rules for partnerships. Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.



(Rev. December 2014)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

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Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments, Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- · Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- · Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- 1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- 4. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See What is FATCA reporting? on page 2 for further information.



801 N. Larkin Ave. Suite 202 Joliet, IL 60435 1-(815) 741-1163 www.childcarehelp.com

Dear License-Exempt Provider,

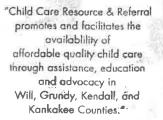
Welcome to the Child Care Assistance Program! Your hard work and dedication make it possible for all children to receive quality child care. We appreciate you!

All License-Exempt providers are expected to complete the Health, Safety, and Child Development training requirements.

If you have any questions regarding training requirements, locations, or accessing training information please feel free to contact one of our friendly License-Exempt Staff at 815-741.1163 ext. 254 or 228. You may also email LEHS@childcarehelp.com.

Sincerely,

CCR&R Staff



CCAP Providers *Must* Complete Child Development, Health, and Safety Trainings

The Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) partners with child care providers to serve income eligible families through the Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP). To ensure the health and safety of children, the Federal government is now requiring that providers who receive CCAP payments complete specific child development, health, and safety trainings and have current CPR/First Aid certifications to receive CCAP payments.

Child care providers receiving CCAP payments **MUST** be members of the Gateways Registry and track their training, Credentials and certifications in the Registry. Registry membership is free and must be renewed every year.

To become a Registry member visit: https://registry.ilgateways.com

Who must complete the training?



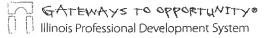
- » Director(s) individual(s) who has primary responsibility for the daily operations management of the center
- » Teacher(s) includes lead teachers, teacher assistants or teacher aides who are employed by a child care center for compensation on a regular basis
- » Support Staff individual(s) who has responsibility in a classroom, working directly with children, on a regular basis
- » Student workers, part time employees, substitutes and migrant/seasonal/summer camp providers
- ► Licensed Family Child Care Homes, Group Homes and License-Exempt Family Child Care Homes (License-Exempt Family Child Care Homes includes family, friend and neighbor care)
 - » The primary caregiver is required to complete all trainings. The primary caregiver is the person who signs the CCAP application asking to be an approved provider. This applies to both relative and non-relative providers. License-Exempt relative providers caring for school-age only children are exempt from the requirements.

What training is required?

► Required trainings:

- » Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training
- » Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- » CPR/First Aid Certifications
- » What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined above)

Have you already taken training? Don't start over, check the next page to see other trainings, like the ECE Credential Level 1 Training, that meet the requirements.







There are many ways you can meet the CCAP child development, health, and safety training requirements. Find the one option that works best for you.

Option 1

Training Route

- Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training
- Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- ► CPR/First Aid Certifications
- ► What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

Option 2

ECE Level 1 Training Route

- ► ECE Credential Level 1 Training Tier 1 (Modules 1-2c)
- Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- CPR/First Aid Certifications
- ► What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

This option provides a CCAP add-on rate for License-Exempt Family Child Care Home Providers.

Option 3 School-Age Route

Providers who only care for school-aged children (ages 5-13), can choose to take the School-Age and Youth Development Credential Level 1 Training. They would complete the following:

- SAYD Credential Level 1 Training (Modules 4a & 4b)
- Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- ► CPR/First Aid Certifications
- ► What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

For the purpose of CCAP, a school-age child is a child ages 5-13 (or through the age of 18 if approved for CCAP due to a special need or court order) who is enrolled in school. A five year old child is considered school-age only when enrolled in a school based kindergarten. This enrollment does not include a before/after school program. License-Exempt, Relative, Family Child Care Homes caring for school-age only children are exempt from the requirements.

Option 4

Gateways Credential Route

Any one of the following Gateways Credentials meets the Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training requirement.

- ► ECE Credential Levels 1-6
- ► Infant Toddler Credential (ITC) Levels 2-5
- ► Illinois Director Credential (IDC) Credential Levels I-III
- Family Child Care Credential (FCC) Levels 2-5 Also complete the following:
- Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- CPR/First Aid Certifications
- What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

Option 5

CDA Route

Any one of the following Child Development Associates (CDA) meets the Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training requirement and must be self-reported into the Registry.

- ► Preschool CDA
- ► Infant Toddler CDA
- Family Child Care CDA

If you have a Preschool CDA also complete the following:

- Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (available only online through i-learning)
- ► A Preventable Tragedy: Shaken Baby Syndrome (available only online through i-learning)
- Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- ► CPR/First Aid Certifications
- ► What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

If you have an Infant Toddler CDA or Family Child Care CDA also complete the following:

- A Preventable Tragedy: Shaken Baby Syndrome (available only online through i-learning)
- ► Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training
- ► CPR/First Aid Certifications
- What is CCAP? (for directors and primary caregivers defined on previous page)

Find and Track CCAP Health, Safety and Child Development Trainings

ere do I find training?

To login to the My Registry portal, visit

Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training

- » Online training Available in English and Spanish at courses.inccrra.org
- » Local training Search the Gateways training calendar at www.ilgateways.com or contact your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (1-877-202-4453)

Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter Training

- » Offered online at https://mr.dcfstraining.org/
- » Local training Search the Gateways training calendar at www.ilgateways.com or contact your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (1-877-202-4453)

► CPR/First Aid Certifications

» Contact your local CCR&R (1-877-202-4453) for training or a list of organizations that offer approved training. Only in person training accepted.

► What is CCAP? Training

- » Online training courses.inccrra.org
- » Local training Search the Gateways training calendar at www.ilgateways.com or contact your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (1-877-202-4453)

► ECE Credential Level 1 Training

- » Online training courses.inccrra.org
- » Local training Search the Gateways training calendar at www.ilgateways.com or contact your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (1-877-202-4453)

► SAYD Credential Level 1 Training

- » Online training courses.inccrra.org
- » Local training Search the Gateways training calendar at www.ilgateways.com or contact your local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency (1-877-202-4453)

How is training tracked in the Registry?

- ► Child Development, Health, and Safety Basics Training Tracked automatically in the Registry.
- ► Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter This training must be self-reported to the Registry.
 - » Go to MY REGISTRY > LEARN.
 - » Click the "Add New" button at the bottom of the listing
 - » Enter *Mandated Reporter* as the training name, *DCFS* as the trainer name, 2 for the contact hours, and the Issued Date on your certificate of completion.
 - » Click the "Save" button. For more details about how to self-report Mandated Reporter visit http://urls.inccrra.org/mandated-reporter.
 - » Keep your Child Abuse and Neglect/Mandated Reporter training certificate in a file. You must be able to produce a copy when requested by IDHS.
- ► CPR/First Aid Certifications These certifications must be entered as a certification to the Registry.
 - » Go to MY REGISTRY > UPDATE and click the "Credentials" tab.
 - » Select "CPR" from the drop-down, click "Add", and enter the required information.
 - » Then, select "First Aid" from the drop-down, click "Add", and enter the required information.
 - » Click the "Save" button at the bottom of the screen. For more detail about how to enter CPR/First Aid visit http://urls.inccrra.org/report-cpr.
 - » Keep your CPR/First Aid Certifications in a file. You must be able to produce a copy when requested by IDHS.
- ▶ What is CCAP? Tracked automatically in the Registry.

tracked in the Registry? (continued)

- ► ECE Credential Level 1 Training Tracked automatically in the Registry.
- ► Current Gateways Credentials (referenced in Option 2 & 4) Credentials are automatically tracked in the Registry.
- ► SAYD (School-Age & Youth Development) Credential Level 1 Training Tracked automatically in the Registry.
- ► CDA The Child Development Associates Credential must be entered as a certification to the Registry.
 - » Go to MY REGISTRY > UPDATE and click the "Credentials" tab.
 - » Select "Child Development Associate (CDA)" from the drop-down, click "Add", and enter the required information.
 - » Click the "Save" button
 - » It is especially important that you indicate whether your CDA is the Infant/Toddler, Preschool, or Family Child Care. In the "Level" drop-down, be sure to select the correct option.
 - » Keep your CDA Certification in a file. You must be able to produce a copy when requested by IDHS.





Once you have completed CPR, First Aid and Mandated Reporter, they must be correctly reported into your Gateways Registry. The following is a set of instructions for correctly reporting those items into your Registry. Remember, completion isn't recorded unless you report it.

For Mandated Reporter:

- Log into your Gateways at https://registry.ilgateways.com (YOU WILL NEED YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD)
- 2. Click on "My Registry"
- 3. Click on "Learn"
- 4. Click on "Self-Reported Trainings" tab, then click "Add New"
- 5. Enter in all required information. (The training name is Mandated Reporter. If you took Mandated Reporter online, your trainer should be listed as DCFS ONLINE)
- 6. Click "Save"

For CPR, and First Aid:

- Log into the Gateways Registry at https://registry.ilgateways.com (YOU WILL NEED YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD)
- 2. Click on MY REGISTRY
- 3. Click on UPDATE
- 4. In the orange bar click on the CREDENTIAL tab
- 5. Select CPR from the Drop-down, click "Add"
- 6. Enter the required information.
- 7. Select Frist Aid from the drop-down, click "Add
- 8. Enter the required information
- 9. Scroll to bottom and click SAVE.

Once you have self-reported these training please send me a copy of your PDR (professional development report) via email or mail.

To access the PDR (professional development report):

Log into the Gateways Registry at https://registry.ilgateways.com (YOU WILL NEED YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD)

For Information on upcoming CPR/First Aid Classes please call 815-741-1163 ext 349 or 228.

For information on upcoming "What is CCAP" trainings please call 815-741-1163 ext 236.

For information on any additional trainings please call 815-741-1163 ext 355.