

Coronavirus Child Care Resources

Follow these links for recommendations from the Center for Disease Control (CDC) regarding school closures and a checklist for teachers and parents

CDC—Checklist for Teachers and Parents

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/checklist.html>

CDC—Guidance for Childcare

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html>

CDC—Child Care Decision Tool

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/child-care-decision-tool.html>

Child Welfare Information Gateway—State Specific Mandates Regarding COVID-19 and Child Care

https://www.childwelfare.gov/organizations/?CWIGFunctionsaction=rols:main.dspList&rolType=Custom&RS_ID=177&rList=ROL

Child Welfare Information Gateway—Resource Library

https://library.childwelfare.gov/cwig/ws/library/docs/gateway/ResultSet?r=1&rpp=-10&parenttreeid=a9fb419dc1d2446fb1b3dc52ef56f0c0&upp=0&w=+NATIVE%28%27KEYWORD%3D*%22covid-19%22*%27%29&order=+NATIVE%28%27YEAR+descend%27%29

Tips for Working from Home with Children

<https://www.cnbc.com/2020/03/16/how-to-work-from-home-with-your-kids-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak.html>

<https://www.cnbc.com/2020/03/17/working-at-home-with-kids-during-covid-19-crisis-with-kids-underfoot.html>

Considerations for Deciding to Send Your Child Back to Day Care

Child care centers that are opening or have remained open during the pandemic are largely operating under new restrictions that parents may need to adjust to. First, to comply with stricter sanitation guidelines, many centers must modify their operating hours to thoroughly clean the facilities after children have gone home. Second, the CDC is encouraging all child care providers to implement strict health screening measures for everyone entering the buildings, as well as enforce sick policies more strictly. Also, it is likely that provider ratios will be smaller to keep groups within gathering size guidelines. So, if you know that you will need care, you may have to start paying for a spot ahead of time.

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