

COVID-19 FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR EMERGENCY CHILDCARE

Attn: County Employees Deemed Essential:
Emergency Childcare May Be Available to you for FREE

Can you answer yes to the following?

- I am currently an essential worker as defined in [Executive Order 121](#)
- I have no other safe child care options and my child(ren) would not have a caregiver while I work
- I have a Household income below 300 percent of the poverty line:

Persons in Household	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Income Limit	\$51,720	\$65,160	\$78,600	\$92,040	\$105,480	\$118,920	\$132,360

*For Household size greater than 8 people add \$4,480 for each additional person starting with the 9th person.

If you answered yes to **all** three questions you may be eligible to receive free emergency child care for April and May 2020. (Pending availability of funding)

If you receive assistance through the Department of Social Services Subsidy Program you are **not** eligible to receive Emergency Assistance for Childcare.

To apply please complete the [COVID-19 Parent Application for Financial Assistance for Emergency Child Care](#) at this link and submit to your child care provider or you can fill out the application directly at your child care facility.

For information about local options for childcare for children from infants to 12 you can call the hotline number: [1-888-600-1685](tel:1-888-600-1685). You will be connected with child care programs that agree to meet updated operational guidelines due to COVID-19.

Important: Please note that the COVID-19 Emergency Childcare program is **not** funded through the Department of Social Services. You can only apply using the steps mentioned above. Your local Department of Social Services will not be handling Emergency Childcare Applications.