



NAFCC
National Association for Family Child Care

Home- Business Family Child Care Name & Contact Information

My Name

My Family Child Care Name

Contact Number

Email Address

Business Address

Mission

Our mission is to provide quality, respectful programs that help children and families be their best. We follow the philosophies of Magda Gerber and Reggio Emilia, fostering respect for and trust in the child as an initiator, explorer, and self-learner. We serve as facilitators, providing the optimal environment for children to learn and grow.

We strive to:

- Nurture each child's unique qualities and potential.
- Support families through strong partnerships.
- Create a work environment that encourages professionalism, growth, and diversity.

Our aspiration is to make a significant difference in the lives of children, families, and the surrounding community.

Years in Operation

9 Years

Hours of Operation

7:30 am - 6:00 pm

Number of Children being cared for in Home-Based Child Care Programs Nationwide

Over 7 million children in the United States are cared for in home-based child care settings.

The Ask & How You Can Help

Support \$16B in federal funding to address critical needs:

- **Affordable Care for Families:** Ensure child care is available across income levels and communities.
- **Stabilize Providers and Programs:** Keep small businesses open, ensuring families and local workforces are supported.
- **Economic Development:** Fully enroll child care programs to make them financially sustainable and help parents find child care openings.
- **Compensation for Providers:** Improve compensation for those providing critical early education and care.

The ARPA Funding Cliff

If the ARPA funding shortfall isn't addressed:

- Small child care businesses may close.
- Parents might leave the workforce or take drastic measures, like asking teenage children to skip school to provide care.
- This leads to cascading negative effects on families, education, and the broader workforce.

Child Care Development Block Grant (CCDBG)

The 2024 CCDBG funding increase to \$8.7 billion (a 9% increase) is a positive step, but more funding is required, especially since ARPA funds expired in September 2023.

Call to Action

- Share this information with your local community and legislators.
- Help us ensure every child has access to quality home-based family child care. Together, we can support our children, families, and community.
- Ensuring sustainable FCC businesses.
- Strengthen the child care and adult care food program (CACFP), including meeting the needs of home-based educators by increasing reimbursements and eliminating tiering.

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