

QUESTIONS PARENTS SHOULD ASK CHILDCARE PROVIDERS

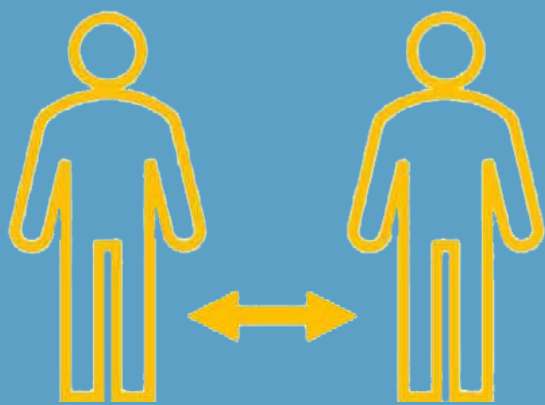
about COVID-19 precautions

WHAT ARE YOUR DROP OFF/PICK UP PROCEDURES?

Providers should limit people in the center. Drop off & pick up should be at the entryway or as part of a carline. Upon arrival, every child & all staff should be given a health screen with temperature check. You should always have access to your child but not necessarily the building.



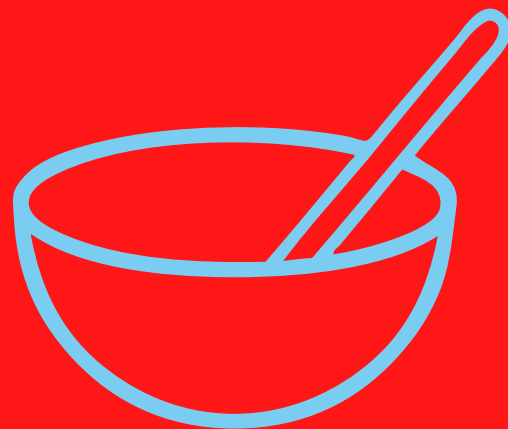
HOW ARE YOU SOCIAL DISTANCING?



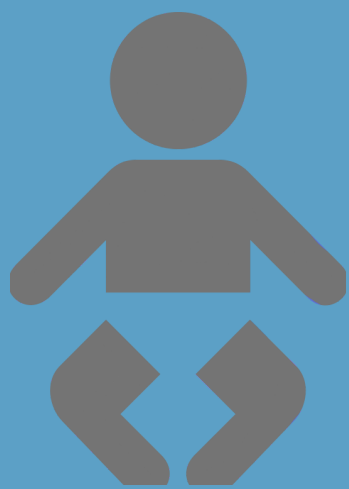
Children should stay in their classrooms and with the same teachers & group of children. Plans should be in place to minimize interaction, such as only one class at a time permitted in outdoor play areas and spacing cots out as much as possible during naptime.

HOW IS FOOD PREPARED AND SERVED?

To minimize interaction, meals should be served in the classroom and not in a communal area. Special procedures should be in place for handling and sanitizing infant bottles, pacifiers, and "loveys."



WHAT ABOUT DIAPERING?



Young children often need to be held and comforted. However, extra protections should be in place to safeguard staff and children during diapering, feeding, and holding. Providers should be able to explain these added precautions and extra cleaning and disinfecting procedures.



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