

Your Local Child Care Resource & Referral Agency

Serving ••• Adams, Clark, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Marquette, Portage, Taylor, Waushara, and Wood Counties

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Start Your Career in Child Care

Childcaring Offers FREE Virtual Information Sessions on Child Care Start Up August 26 or October 20

Do you have a passion for helping children and families? Join us to learn how you can turn caring for children into a business. Childcaring, your local child care resource and referral, is offering FREE virtual information sessions on Child Care Start Up Thursday, August 26 (12:30-2:30pm) or Wednesday, October 20 (6:00-8:00pm).

Do you have questions like:

- What are the benefits to becoming regulated?
- What classes or training do I need to get started?
- What would I charge the families?

We can help you get answers to your questions. Register for one of the upcoming virtual information sessions by calling Childcaring at 1-800-628-8534 or scan the QR Code. Registration for the August 26 session ends August 19.

Start-Up Grants are Available!

Since 2017, over \$20,000 in Start-Up Grants has been allocated to child care providers in our service delivery area. Eligible providers have used the funding to purchase equipment, materials, and classes required to obtain regulation (ie: fencing, safety gates, developmentally appropriate materials for a variety of age groups, smoke detectors, etc.). Contact Childcaring to learn more about start-up grant eligibility. If you became regulated within the past three months you may be eligible to apply.

For more information contact Childcaring at 1.800.628.8534 or email: info@childcaring.org.

Virtual sessions will be through Zoom, powered by RingCentral. To access, participants will need to download an app to a device such as a computer, tablet, or smart phone. Participation by phone is also available, however Zoom is encouraged as information will be shared visually. Registered participants will receive a link or phone number to access the session prior to the start date.

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About Childcaring

Childcaring's mission is to enhance and support a quality early childhood education system by providing resource and referral services to families, child care programs, and communities in Adams, Clark, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Marquette, Portage, Taylor, Waushara, and Wood counties. To learn more about Childcaring visit: www.childcaring.org and like us on Facebook @Childcaringlnc



