Attention Center & Home-Based Child Care Providers!

The Texas Workforce Commission wants to help your child care business thrive as we continue to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic.

More relief funds will be available in 2022 — over four times more than what was available in 2021 — to help child care programs get through the pandemic.

TWC will invite child care programs to apply in early 2022. This funding will reimburse allowable, documented operational costs including personnel (payroll, wage stipends, retention bonuses, etc.) incurred between September 1, 2021 and May 31, 2023.

To be eligible for 2022 Child Care Relief Funds, your child care business must be:

1. Open to provide child care services at the time of application OR be temporarily closed due to public health, financial hardship, or other COVID-19–related reasons at the time of application (with plans to reopen within 30 days);
2. Actively licensed or registered in the State of Texas with Child Care Regulation (CCR) by February 28, 2022;
3. In good standing with CCR; and
4. Committed to remaining open through at least May 2023.

Start preparing now!

It is very important that you review your information in the Child Care Regulation portal to make sure it’s up to date.

- Is your email correct?
- Is your mailing address right?
- Is the person authorized to apply listed as a Controlling Person?

Please see the How to Prepare to Apply Guide for more information.

What else can you do to be ready?

- Keep receipts for eligible costs beginning September 1, 2021.
- Plan for how you will use the funds — you will be required to report this later.
- Watch for emails from TWC with more information!

Visit our website for more information!

https://www.twc.texas.gov/programs/child-care-relief-funding

For more resources, visit www.childcare.texas.gov/ccrf2022update. Please email CCReliefFunds@trelliscompany.org or call 833-613-3192 to receive assistance and for answers to your questions.