

WHAT IS FAMILY CHILD CARE?

MISSION:

To provide the highest quality of care for children ages (2 weeks - 12 years) for military and civilian families in a safe and secure environment. Enabling them to support their military mission. Family Child Care provides non-traditional care for families including full-time, part-time, hourly, evening, weekend, special needs, infant, school age, extended duty, swing and mid shift care.

VISION:

Family child care is committed to:

- Assisting military and civilian personnel with a variety of child care needs to include, volunteer and permanent change station (PCS) care, placing children in FCC, CDC, YP, off-base programs, and affiliated homes.
- Offering care programs that enhance quality, availability, and affordability.
- Providing outreach opportunities for families to engage with one another and educational experiences to grow families.

GOALS:

Grow awareness for programs available to families and recruit new providers!

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE



FAMILY CHILD CARE

WE ARE RECRUITING NEW PROVIDERS

Are you looking for a flexible career working with children and youth while supporting the military mission? Consider working with Sheppard AFB Child and Youth Programs.

Requirements to become a provider:

1. At least 18 years of age.
2. The ability to read, speak, and write English.
3. Physically and mentally capable of providing care.
4. Willing and able to complete the training required of family child care providers.
5. Agree in writing to meet and maintain the requirements for family care providers.



Department of War (DoW) website providing a single gateway for you to find comprehensive information on military-operated or military-approved child care programs worldwide.

1. Create an account
2. Search for and Request Care
3. Manage your requests
4. Update your profile

By streamlining the child care search and request process, MilitaryChildCare.com makes it easier for you to understand and assess your child care options and make more informed decisions about your child's care.

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Sheppard AFB Child and Youth Programs participates in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP), a Federal program that provides healthy meals and snacks to children receiving day care.

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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Chief of Child and Youth Programs..... (940) 676-0538

Child Development Center..... (940) 676-2038

Family Child Care Office..... (940) 676-4537

Family Advocacy (940) 676-2271

EFMP Coordinator..... (940) 676-5512

Military & Family Readiness Center (940) 676-4358

Youth Programs (940) 676-5437

DoD Child Abuse & Safety

Violation Hotline.....1-800-336-4592



Families who do not have access to installation
CDC, SAC or FCC visit:

[https://www.childcareaware.org/fee-assistance/
remote/military-families/air-force/fee-assistance/
or call
1-800-424-2246](https://www.childcareaware.org/fee-assistance/remote/military-families/air-force/fee-assistance/)

FCC PROGRAM ADVANTAGES

We offer tailored types of care to meet the needs of virtually every schedule, deployment, and special need.

Expanded Child Care Programs Include:

Subsidy

Is designed to financially assist families using FCC by charging a fulltime weekly fee at the same rate for in home care as CDC or SAC Programs.

Extended Duty, Supplemental, and RPA Care

Assists when duty hours extend past normal operating hours.

Military Spouse Appointment Care (MSAC)/RPA2

Is designed to provide child care for spouses to attend approved appointments (such as medical appointments, classes offered by installation agencies, and employment opportunities). Approved appointments may be for a spouse or child.

Deployment/Remote Assignment Child Care

Allows 16 hours of pre and post-deployment care. CDC offers 16 hours of care for each child in the family monthly while the sponsor is away. Post-deployment care must be used within 60 days of the member returning.

Home Community Care

Provides Guard and Reserves (CAT A and B) care during drill periods.

EFMP Respite Care

Assists families with short term, specialized care. Sibling care is available up to age 13.

Air Force Air Society Child Care for PCS

Provides 20 hours of care per child 60 days prior to departing and 60 days upon arriving to Sheppard AFB.



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