# Travis AFB Community Childcare Program

Thank you for your interest in the Travis AFB Child and Youth program! We invite you to visit us at the FCC office located at 510 Airlift Dr, Rm 122 in Bldg. 380B or call 424-4596 or 424-8104.

#### **How To Find A Provider....**

The FCC Providers are located on the official waiting list resource, militarychildcare.com. Once you review and add your name to the waiting list of a selected provider, you are welcome to call our office for any additional child care support needed. FCC providers are entrepreneurs and their operation is a personal business. As such, each provider determines their own contract policies, and the installation may not regulate the fees they charge for their services. Each home listed is closely monitored to ensure compliance with all licensing standards.

#### **Functions of the FCC Office**

The Family Child Care office oversees the licensed homes on Travis AFB. They inspect the homes at least monthly to ensure health, safety, food program, and developmental needs comply with Air Force guidelines. They mentor the providers in their training and developmental needs of the children and home. The staff is available to assist parents in finding childcare.

### **Child Dev. Center & Youth Center**

If you want to place your child on the CDC or YC waiting list, please log on to militarychildcare.com, create a household profile and request care for each center.

The FCC program sponsors a variety of childcare options. If you have a childcare need, please review the list and call us to see how we can help: 707-424-8104/4596

#### **Subsidy Care:**

The AF FCC Subsidy program is meant to help with the cost of childcare within FCC homes. For participating providers, their weekly payments are paid thru a combination of parent fees and a reimbursement from AF. Parent's fees are calculated using their Total Family Income and then set to one of 14 payment categories.

# **Extended Duty Care (EDC):**

The EDC program assists parents who work extra duty outside of their normal 50 hour per week childcare arrangement. Once reservation and supervisor verification forms are received, a provider is located and childcare is provided free of charge to the parent.

#### **Home Community Care (HCC):**

The HCC program assists ANG/AFR during their Primary UTA weekends. Once a reservation form is received, a provider is located and childcare is provided free of charge to the parent. Care dependent on provider availability.

#### **Deployment/Remote Care:**

The Deployment Care programs offer 16 hours of free childcare per child prior to, monthly and upon returning from deployments in support of contingency operations or a remote assignment.

#### **Military Spouse Appt Care**

The MSAC program assists military spouses who have approved appointments to attend when their spouse must work. The program allows for 16 hrs per child per month. Once a reservation form and appointment verification is received, a provider is located and child care is provided free of charge. Care is dependent on provider availability.

#### 24/7 Supplemental Care:

The SCC program assists parents who regularly work extended shifts (12hrs +) and parents who regularly work outside the normal operating hours of the CDC and SA programs.

# **Emergency Medical Care (EMC):**

The EMC program assists families who are experiencing an emergency medical issue with an immediate family member and have no one at home to provide care for their child.

# **Wounded Warrior Care (WWC):**

The WWC program assists families of wounded warriors who have short-term childcare needs for medical & military appointments.

# Child Care Support for Fallen Warrior (CCSFW):

The CCSFW program assists families of fallen military members who need childcare for military appointments.

#### **PCS Care**

Families PCSing in or out of Travis, are eligible to receive 20 free hours of childcare per child in our FCC homes. Simply bring a copy of your PCS orders to the Military and Family Readiness Center to get your certificate. Contact the FCC office directly for other branches of military service.

#### **Additional Options**

For the Military Child Care in Your Neighborhood or Operation Military Child Care, please contact Child Care Aware at

1 800-424-2246 or visit <u>childcareaware.org</u> or contact Solano Family & Children's Services at 707-864-4607.

# **Help Wanted**

Work from home! Consider serving your community as a licensed FCC Provider on the installation where you set your own hours/pay. Live Off Base? Become an affiliated provider and receive the same privileges of onbase providers such as being listed on provider referral listing, use of the extensive Resource Center, trainings, USDA reimbursements, etc. There is always a need for providers who are willing to provide care for infants, toddlers, children with special needs, and shift/weekend working families!