TIPS WHEN SELECTING A PROVIDER

The relationship between Provider and Parent should be viewed as a business, with your most precious asset involved.

Ask to see the home and don't be afraid to ask questions that concern you.

Read the contract thoroughly. If there is something in the contract that you disagree with, discuss with the Provider. Make sure all changes are in writing. If they are not willing to make compromises, decide whether you can live with the decision and if you cannot, find another provider that better fits your needs.

If you see something in a home that makes you uncom fortable about leaving your child in that home, please call the FCC Coordinator. Our goal is to ensure that all homes provide quality care.

Visit the home during child care hours. Are the children playing happily? Are they clean? Are the children doing the activities that are posted on the schedule?

It is a requirement of the program that a signed contract between the provider and the parent is accomplished prior to care being provided. The contract will include hours of operation, fees, payment schedule, providers and child's vacation, sick leave and absences, responsi bility for alternate care, and termination policy.

PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES

Providers have strict guidelines to follow to become a licensed Air Force Family Child Care Provider. A part of this process is to ensure that they have all of the proper paperwork and documentation on each of the children, and that is where you, as the parent, come in. Prior to your child being admitted into a home, you must provide:

- Completed AF Form 1181, "Youth Flight Patron Reg istration" for each child.
- Completed AF Form 357 for dual/single military parent(s)
- Medical information for each child, including per mission to treat emergencies signed by the parent(s), child's allergies, chronic illness and other known health problems and immunizations (recorded on the AF Form 1181)
- Signed permission from the parents for the provider to transport children
- A daily sign-in/out record, complete with parents signature, dates and times, child(ren) were signed in/out of the program.

MOUNTAIN HOME AFB FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDER LISTING

March 2012

Family Child Care Office is located in the Gunfighter Service Center 480 5th Avenue Building 2610 Suite 136

Parental Assistance
Monday – Friday
10:00am-11:00am/1:30pm-2:30pm
Saturdays – Sundays Closed
(208)828-6715 Office

(208)371-0312 Cell dana.williams@mountainhome.af.mil Resource/Lending Library: Second Saturday 0900-1200 Fourth Wednesday 1800-2000

FCC SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Extended Duty Child Care — Program offers care in a licensed FCC homes beyond the standard 10-hour child care day or 5-day work week. It is designed to help families that need more care because they have to work extended hours, evenings, weekends, and/or are experiencing a temporary shift change. For more information call 828-6715.

Returning Home Care – Active Duty, Air National Guard, and Air Force Reserve members returning to their home station after deploying a minimum of 30 calendar days short-term basis (cumulative of 30 days in a six month period) in support of contingency operation, can receive 16 hours of FREE child care per child. For more information call 828-6715.

Free Child Care for PCS'ers- Active Duty Military of all rank who have PCS orders in or out of Mountain Home AFB, can receive up to 20 of FREE child care with FCC providers. Contact A&FR @ 828-2458 for more information.

Family Child Care is recruiting individuals who enjoy working with children requiring lower ratios. Mountain Home AFB currently has numerous families needing assistance with Infant Care, panama scheduled shifts and Extended Duty Care. If you are interested in lending support to these children and parents, Family Child Care is the place for you. We offer the following:

- Free personalized training from top-notch professionals, which can be transferred to child development and youth programs
- Self-employment with personal and monetary benefits
- Access to a free lending library with toys, materials and reference books to get you started
- CPR/First Aid certification
- Child Abuse awareness/prevention training
- Monthly visits from FCC Coordinator



Mountain Home AFB Family Child Care Provider List March 2012

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1	Lindsey Bacallo lindseybacallo@yahoo.com	832-9836	X	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No
2	Rebecca Williams austinbeccawilliams@yahoo.com	629-9121	X	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No
3	Shamika McCoy Shamikajvm 120@yahoo.com	696-0233	X	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
4	Samantha Tapley ** tapleysamantha@yahoo.com	696-0169	X	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
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Additional Child Care Information:

• Child Development Center -828-2443

- School Age Program –828-2501
- For National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies visit <u>www.naccrra.org</u>
- National Association for Family Child Care visit www.nafcc.org
- Minute Menu Kids visit
- www.minutemenukids.com

The FCC program is in accordance with Federal Law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability.

**Roster subject to change

- ** An (Asterisk *) Indicates Extended Child Care Provider which includes:
 - Returning Home Care— providers 16 hours of free childcare to eligible members returning from 30-days or more deployment.
 - Extended Duty Care—parents exceeding the standard 50 hour week
- OFF BASE Affiliate Providers, follow the same Air Force Regulation as On- Base Providers and are inspected monthly.

Individuals residing in base housing who are caring for other families' children for a total of ten hours or more per week on a regular basis MUST be a licensed child care provider. For more information contact the FCC Coordinator at 828-6715.

*This roster contains personal information which is subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 and is to be used for recruitment of family child care providers only.