While You Wait

The meeting will start momentarily. A few reminders while you wait:

• Lines will be muted during the meeting.

• We encourage you to use the question feature in your control panel.

• Audio is best with headphones.
Emergency Child Care Systems
A Look from on the Ground
April 7, 2020
Lynette Fraga
Executive Director
Child Care Aware® of America
Emergency Child Care Solutions

• Ensuring Safety
• Ensuring Standards
• Ensuring Equity
• Ensuring our Future
Matthew Henry
Chief Information Officer
Child Care Aware® of America
How are your technology systems doing?

- For states offering emergency child care – what is the take up rate / demand vs. the capacity to serve?
- What are your biggest technology challenges?
- How can technology protect the safety, standards and equity of both our families and their children as well as our providers with the systems already in place?
The Supply and Demand equation

This is not a new Covid-19 problem.

• Can we use data?
• Can we create data trusts?
• Can we use interoperability
• Can we map and solve the supply/demand equation?
• What would a national dashboard look like?
Opportunities Exchange: Sharon Easterling

Support Launch + Growth of Shared Service Alliances (system-building at the provider level)

• Articulate and Support Effective ECE Business Practices
  • Focus on the Iron Triangle (full enrollment, full fee collection, cost per child)
  • Utilizing business automation tools to drive down administrative costs and make informed business decisions
• Promote Child Care Management Software (CCMS) in the sector by:
  • Researching/disseminating detailed information about CCMS options
  • Promoting API’s that allow providers to transfer data seamlessly into public reporting systems
Data Trusts

Key child care stakeholders can work collaboratively to develop a Data Trust Agreement (DTA) to guide the sharing and use of critical child care data for essential workers

- A stakeholder webinar can be given to detail the temporary data governance process, materials, and guidance. Stakeholders will use a DTA template to detail temporary data and technical needs, roles and responsibilities, and approved users and uses of the combined data.
- Stakeholders will have a “how to” guide to develop and execute their temporary DTA.
- BrightHive will work with stakeholders to capture critical information to bring DTA “up to code” once emergency phase subsides.
3x5 and Google Sheet Systems

- We’ve found localities that have limited systems
- We’ve been able to deliver a full system in 3 to 4 days
- The key is interoperability
Cheraya Pena
Best Place 4 Kids
The Best Place for Kids!™
Can I find open child care spots near my work and my home?

1. Find available child care near you.

2. Tell us about the children that need care.

3. We’ll find providers convenient to your location.

Where do you want to focus your search?

- Work
- Home
- Other

Show by best options by:

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Submit My Search
“This sophisticated platform provides innovative technology and analytic capacity that non-profits and local communities have never had access to. This solution has been especially crucial for informing our COVID-19 response because disaster relief is always local.”

Kara Waddell, CEO, Child Care Associates
Jamee Herbert
BridgeCare
Let’s start your search!

Answer the following questions to help us understand which providers would be the best fit for your family.

- In compliance with local, state and national ordinances and guidelines, the FIND! Child Care tool is available to workers operating at businesses in Tarrant County deemed “essential” during the COVID-19 emergency response.

Parents and/or guardians of children who access the FIND! Child Care tool to inform their child care decision assume all risk associated with caring for their children and are declaring that they meet the definition of “essential” in Tarrant County.

The Best Place for Kids!™ and all groups associated with the creation and management of the FIND! Child Care tool assume no risk or liability associated with parents choosing which child care center to place their children.

☐ I have read and agree to the above

Back

Ok, start search
Family Intake

Let's start with the family

Tell us about the children that need care

Child 1

First name

DATE OF BIRTH

Birth Month  
Birth Day  
Birth Year  

Back  
Next
Family Intake
Search Results

Rosie K Mauck Cdc
512 W 4th St, Fort Worth, 76102
- Infant, Toddler, Preschool, School age
- Monday - Friday: 6:50AM - 6:00PM
- Texas Rising Star: 4 out of 4

Mother Goose Day Care Center
2001 Prairie Ave, Fort Worth, 76104
- Toddler, Preschool, School age
- Monday - Friday: 6:30AM - 6:00PM
- Texas Rising Star: 4 out of 4

Joy Learning Palace Child Care
2512 Oakland Blvd Ste 5, Fort Worth, 76105
- Infant, Toddler, Preschool, School age
- Monday - Friday: 6:00AM - 6:00PM
- Texas Rising Star: 4 out of 4

One Safe Place @ Clayton Yes!
1900 Hempfling St, Fort Worth, 76104
- Infant, Toddler, Preschool, School age
- Monday - Friday: 6:50AM - 5:30PM
- Texas Rising Star: 3 out of 4
Results for Commute, Openings, and more
Other Examples: Texas Statewide
Other Examples: Navigator Portal

Cynthia Francks Childcare

12134 Frankstown Rd, Pittsburgh, PA 15235
(412) 798-2600 | No email
Infant (2-12 mos.), Young Toddler (13-24 mos.), Older Toddler (25-36 mos.), Preschool (37 mos.- Entering K)

Availability

2 Infant (2-12 mos.)
3 Young Toddler (13-24 mos.)
3 Older Toddler (25-36 mos.)
6 Preschool (37 mos.- Entering K)
Days and Hours of Operation

Provider Hours Per Day

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# Texas Child Care - COVID-19 Responses

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**Providers**

**Searches**
Interoperability (and a little AI)

Childcare center data collection
- Child Care Assn.
- Arlington II CC
- Joyous Monitory
- CCT
- Lighthouse
- Kidfit
- CCMS
- Etc.

Data translation

Customer interface
- County – Parents - Centers
- Education First Steps
- R&R
- Early Learning
- Tarrant County
Questions? How can we help you?

https://frontlinechildcare.texas.gov/
https://find.bestplace4kids.com/

Contact Matthew Henry at matthew.henry@usa.childcareaware.org.
Join us for our Virtual Symposium

May 4th, 2020