

Attention Center & Home-Based Child Care Providers

Get FREE Help Accessing Two Federal Stimulus Programs

The Texas Workforce Commission is offering FREE support to access two little known federal business stimulus programs that can provide hundreds of millions of dollars for child care businesses:

Employee Retention Tax Credit

The Employee Retention Tax Credit is a federal funding program for businesses with W-2 employees. Child care businesses with reduced revenue, capacity, or closures in 2020 and/or 2021 can receive up to \$5,000 per employee in 2020 and up to \$28,000 an employee in 2021 with minimal paperwork and effort.

Families First Coronavirus Relief Act (FFCRA) Leave

Families First Coronavirus Relief Act Leave is for child care providers who are sole proprietors as well as those with up to 500 employees who had to take time off in 2020 and/or 2021 for COVID, quarantine, caring for family with COVID, or taking care of a child because of a child care closure or remote school.

The TWC Child Care Coaching Team is providing free assistance to any child care provider in the state to determine if they are eligible and help them secure these funds. Child care providers can register for FREE assistance on the Texas Child Care Coaching website.

For more information, visit the Texas Child Care website at childcare.texas.gov.

