

# COVID-19 Emergency Child Care Support in California

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## Essential workers in need of child care:

- [Find your local child care resource and referral \(R&R\) agency](#). R&Rs have an updated database of operating child care programs who are caring for children of essential workers. A child care specialist there can help you find the care you need.
- Or, call our consumer education hotline for general child care questions or to be connected to your local R&R agency (available in English and Spanish) 1-800-KIDS-793 (1-800-543-7793).
- Immediate online search for child care: go to [mychildcare.ca.gov](https://mychildcare.ca.gov) and enter your location for licensed facilities near you.

## Essential workers can receive help paying for child care:

- [Contact your local R&R agency](#), and speak to a specialist who can help you apply.

## Organizations interested in providing emergency temporary child care for children of essential workers:

- Fill [out this survey](#) to notify the California Department of Social Services of your interest.

## Individuals interested in working at a child care site:

- Fill [out this survey](#) to notify the California Department of Social Services of your interest.

## Open child care facilities in need of sanitation supplies:

- [Contact your local R&R](#) to obtain supplies or services to help limit the spread of COVID-19.