

#### June – August 2020

#### Vol. 32, Issue 2.5



Published by Child Care Choices, a Program of the Mental Health Association of Frederick County and a Member of the Maryland Child Care Resource Network



### Inside This Issue

## What Training Looks Like!

Technical Assistance Hours

Operational Information

Resource Numbers

Trainings

Online Support Groups

and more...



Remember to share this newsletter and training calendar with other early education professionals! Our world of training at Child Care Choices has changed greatly since April of this year when we began holding our training classes on a Zoom platform. As trainers we have missed seeing you, our child care providers, face to face at our trainings. While Zoom does allow us to see you and to interact with you it is not really the same as in person!

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many providers who have taken Zoom trainings with us and given us grace and patience as we have worked through quickly learning a new way to train. At this time we will be continuing to provide you with our trainings by way of Zoom for the foreseeable future.

For information on how to use Zoom, please visit their support page. <u>Here</u> you will be able to find videos on how to join a meeting, the controls for the meeting, closed captioning and how to add the training to your Outlook or Google calendar.

This Primer contains the remaining classes being offered by Child Care Choices in June, and all trainings that will be offered in July, and August. We would love to have you join us in a few Zoom classes this summer!

You can register for our classes by calling 301-662-4549 or 410-751-2917, as well as going online to <u>www.childcarechoices.info</u>.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Do you have questions regarding training requirements and options? Support is still available for your professional development.

Contact Child Care Choices at 301-662-4549 or 410-751-2917 if you have questions or concerns.

### **Table of Contents**

What Training Looks Like!1	
Operational Changes 2	
CCC Technical Assistance Hours 2	
LOCATE Updates	
Child Care Choices Contacts	
Resource Numbers3	
Workshop Registration Policies 4	

Training Calendar4-8
Child Development5
Community6
Curriculum6-7
Health, Safety and Nutrition7
Professionalism8
Special Needs8

Supporting Breastfeeding	7
Find us on Facebook	8
Support Groups via Zoom	8
Index 1	2
Registration Form1	L3

### Operational Changes due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19)

In order to help mitigate the spread of Covid-19 as well as follow the mandate set forth by MSDE, Child Care Choices will not be holding in person trainings at this time. Child Care Choices offices are also closed to the public.

During this time, training will be provided via webinars. You can also take trainings through our online portal on our website: <u>http://training.fcmha.org/</u> <u>CVSFListfull.aspx</u>.

Staff will be available via phone, email and virtual meetings during business hours. Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns. We are here to support you through this time.

When Child Care Choices is able to resume face to face services, we will post information via our <u>website</u>, <u>facebook</u> and voicemail messages. Until then, take care

### **<u>CCC Technical Assistance Hours</u>**

Child Care Choices resource rooms in Frederick and Carroll will be closed until further notice due to the National Emergency regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. Our staff is still available to assist you during this time. If you need assistance, please call our office and a staff member will assist you. Phone coverage hours are listed below. You can also reach us through email and virtual Zoom meetings. If you are looking for a specific type of technical assistance, you can find out the correct staff member to contact on the next page.

<u>Frederick County: 301-662-4549</u> Typical hours are Monday through Thursday 8:30am-4:30pm .

<u>Carroll County: 410-751-2917</u> Typical hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00am- 3:30pm.

Child Care Choices Contacts	<b>Resource Phone Numbers</b> General		
Child Care Choices staff are happy to assist with your questions. If your issue requires specialized atten-	Child Care Choices in Frederick	301-662-4549	
tion, send the appropriate staff member an email.	Child Care Choices Carroll	410-751-2917	
Frederick County Office (301) 662-4549 - Inclement Weather ext. 170	MD Medical Assistance Program	800-456-8900	
Patty Morison x111 pmorison@fcmha.org	Project ACT	301-695-9505 410-828-7700	
Program Director	2-1-1 Information and Referral	2-1-1	
Christie Berkey x112         cberkey@fcmha.org           Training and Technical Assistance Coordinator	Poison Control	800-222-1222	
(Training, Family Child Care, Start-up, Credentialing, NAFCC Accreditation, and CDA)	Carroll County		
Sarah Martin x117 <u>smartin@fcmha.org</u>	MSDE Office of Child Care	410-549-6489	
Early Childhood Specialist (PERKS, Head Start)	Child Protective Services	410-386-3434	
Stephanie Portillo x165 <u>sportillo@fcmha.org</u>	Child Safety Seat Hotline	410-876-4448	
Early Childhood Specialist (EXCELS, Accreditation, Environment)	Family Child Care Association Patti Jo Green, President	410-848-6686	
Samantha Carter x327 <u>scarter@fcmha.org</u>	Child Care Subsidy Program	866-243-8796	
Early Childhood Specialist (PERKS, EXCELS, School-Age Assistance)	WIC	410-876-4898	
Michele Stottlemyer <u>mstottlemyer@fcmha.org</u>	Infants and Toddlers/Child Find	410-876-4437	
Early Childhood Specialist (PERKS, Infant/Toddler)	Frederick Count	y	
	MSDE Office of Child Care	301-696-9766	
Carroll County Office	Child and Adult Care Food Program	301-600-6263	
(410) 751-2917	Child Protective Services	301-600-2464	
Nancy Barry         nbarry@fcmha.org           Carroll County Coordinator	Child Safety Seat Hotline	301-600-7328	
Fawn Turner     fturner@fcmha.org       Early Childhood Specialist     (DEDKC, Infort (Toddker, Accessition))	Family Child Care Association Maria Vionet	240-409-4687	
(PERKS, Infant/Toddler, Accreditation) Need to update your fees or	Northern Frederick County Early Childhood Educators Heather Fitzgerald, President	301-748-8798	
vacancy information in LOCATE?	Child Care Subsidy Program	866-243-8796	
Leave a message at	Infants and Toddlers	301-600-1612	
1-866-752-1614 or visit <u>www.mdchildcare.org</u>	Child Find	301-644-5292	
	WIC	301-600-2507	

# Child Care Choices June – August 2020 Training Calendar

### **Workshop Registration Policies**

April Webinars Now Available!



Toddler Patterns of Learning: Play Schemas

Exploring Social Studies Concepts with Children's Books

Planning the Day for Infants and Toddlers

Lesson Planning for the Preschool Classroom

and many more...

## Online registration is now available!

Go to www.childcarechoices.info and register today.

- ... Pre-registration and pre-payment are required for all trainings. Returned check fee is \$20.
- ... Registration fees are non-refundable unless a class is cancelled by Child Care Choices. You must notify us one business day in advance in order to substitute another person, transfer to another workshop or receive credit towards future workshops. After hours leave a message on extension 170.
- ... Certificates will be sent at the conclusion of each workshop. Webinar certificates will be emailed and in-person Training certificates will be mailed. This will enable instructors to focus on the class objectives. All of our classes include an assessment component to allow participants to earn Core of Knowledge hours. Assessments must be turned in (via email for webinars) to ensure that the attendee has met the class objectives and gained the knowledge necessary to receive a Core of Knowledge certificate. CCC will offer further assistance to participants who do not meet or exceed the outlined objectives. CCC will send certificates within five business days (Monday-Thursday).
- ... A class **may be cancelled** if it does not have eight or more participants registered **one week prior** to the starting date.
- ... For **inclement weather cancellation** information or to leave a training related voice mail after hours, please call Child Care Choices at 301-662-4549 when the automated system answers, dial 170.
- ... You must be present and active in the class for an **entire workshop** to receive a certificate for the credit hours. **Participants signing in or arriving late will not receive a certificate, credit, or refund.**
- ... You **will not receive credit hours** if you have already taken a Child Care Choices training session of the same title or content with the same instructor.
- ... Workshops are **designed for adults**—children are not permitted during a webinar or in-person training. Please note if children are present, you may be asked to sign out/leave without a refund or credit.
- ... Professional conduct and participation are expected from all training participants.

Call 301-662-4549 or 410-751-2917 Monday through Thursday 8:30am-4:30pm



Online at www.childcarechoices.info

Mailed or faxed registration forms are not accepted for webinars at this time. Once offices are open once more then registrations may be mailed to: Child Care Choices, 226 S. Jefferson Street, Frederick, MD 21701 or fax to 301-695-4826

Child Care Choices training workshops provide MSDE Office of Child Care approved training credits for early education providers. Workshops are also open to parents, teachers, and others who share an interest in children's growth and development. MSDE Office of Child Care Approval Number CKO-156225, expires 01/01/2022.

### **Child Development**

#### **Nurturing Brain Development**

In this workshop we will look at the science of infant brain development and focus on caring techniques that promote brain development, social emotional development and communication.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2.5 hours Day/Time: Wed., June 10, 6:00 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### **The Benefits of Play**

We know that children learn through play. In this workshop, participants will enhance their knowledge of the purpose of play by looking at the latest research. If you want to learn more or rediscover the purpose behind the learning activities we plan for the children, come and join us.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Tues., June 23, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### **Developmentally Appropriate Supervision**

Gain greater understanding of how to appropriately and effectively supervise children of all ages. Explore techniques for indoor and outdoor supervision. Ensure children's safety through active monitoring to enable children to maximize their learning opportunities.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., July 7, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### **Working with Mixed Age Groups**

Gain a greater understanding of child care initiatives, resources, and professional organizations which can assist you in your business. Discuss what it means to be a professional in child care. 2 hours Child Development and 1 hour Curriculum

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Thurs., July 9, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

### **Child Development**

#### **Emotions Matter**

Children experience many emotions throughout the day. Learn why these emotions, positive and negative, have an impact on their development and learn why it is important to teach children how to handle those emotions.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Thurs. July 16, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### **Positive Words for Positive Actions**

Learn how to make your child care environment more positive. Using positive language when talking to children gives them an understanding of the expectations we have.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., Aug. 4, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### NEW! Toddler Patterns of Learning: Play Schemas

Young children exhibit repeated patterns in play called schemas that help them to formulate knowledge. In this workshop we will take a closer look at play schemas and how they can help inform planning to meet the needs of children.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Thurs., Aug. 6, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

## Connecting Assessment to Curriculum and Instruction

This workshop explains the assessmentinstructional cycle. Participants will leave with an understanding of how to assess children, analyze the data and make modifications to the curriculum to meet the learning needs of all children.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Wed., Aug. 26, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

### Community

#### **Fostering a Father Friendly Environment**

Today's fathers are very involved in their children's lives. Participants will learn ways to help involve fathers in their programs. This workshop includes information regarding the importance of fathers/ male role models, father/child activities, parent's rights and the importance of being neutral as a child care provider.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Wed., June 17, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### **Supporting Culturally Diverse Families (PITC)**

This is a workshop from the Program for Infant/ Toddler Care. Cultural diversity enriches child care programs. At the same time it challenges caregivers to provide culturally sensitive care to each child and family served. In this class, participants will consider the ways in which they can support culturally diverse families within the child care setting and identify some of the cultural differences they experience on a day-to-day basis. **1.5 hour Community & 1.5 hour Professionalism** 

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues. July 14, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### **Culture, Development and Learning - PITC**

Children's feelings of security and self-esteem are deeply embedded in a positive identification with their own family and culture of origin. In this class, participants will explore the challenges of meeting the needs of infants and toddlers in a culturally and linguistically-diverse child care setting. Participants will examine their own care giving practices and attitudes in relation to caring for children from homes where mainstream English is not spoken. **1.5 hours Community and 1.5 hours Professionalism.** 

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Wed., July 22, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### **Redesign Your Circle Time**

Through engaging discussions, hands-on activities, and thoughtful self-reflection, participants will explore developmentally appropriate best practices regarding Circle Time. How can you shift your focus to social/emotional development? Do children have to sit criss-cross applesauce in order to learn? Do you have to do weather and calendar during Circle Time? Find out these answers and more! **2 hours Curriculum and 1 hour Special Needs** 

Curriculum

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., June 30, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

#### NEW! Exploring Social Studies Concepts with Children's Books

Young children are naturally curious about the people and places in their world. Creating a learning environment that encourages exploration of our world and its people is an important component of early education.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., July 21, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### NEW! Planning the Day for Infants and Toddlers

An infant and toddler's day is full of routines and experiences. In this session, we will discuss how to implement these routines and experiences appropriately. Participants will also have an opportunity to explore and analyze daily schedules and lesson plan formats and find resources to assist them in planning developmentally appropriate activities.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Thurs., July 30, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

### **Register Early!**

Classes with low enrollment will be cancelled so don't delay!

#### Fosterii Today's

### Curriculum

#### NEW! Developmentally Appropriate Practice: Recognizing the Essentials

This training teaches the 5 essentials of Developmentally Appropriate Practice (DAP) so that providers can use knowledge about child development to create a program that is suitable for the age and stage of development of their children in their group. The 5 essentials of DAP are: age appropriateness, individual appropriateness, child-guided and teacher guided experiences, cultural and social responsiveness, and play.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Wed., Aug. 12, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer



This training is an in-depth dissection of the major components that commonly influence successful circle time structure, behavior, and philosophies, including a detailed comparison of small group vs whole group.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Tues., Aug. 18, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### Supporting Breastfeeding in Child Care

This training meets the Pre Service requirements for child care providers caring for children under the age of two.

You will receive a certificate for .5 hour of continued training for only **\$5.00**.

Webinar:

Mon., Aug. 31, 6:00-6:30pm

Email and computer access with speakers are <u>required</u>.

### Health, Safety and Nutrition

#### SIDS, SUID and Other Sleep-Related Infant Deaths

As infant and toddler caregivers, it is important to understand SIDS and sleep-related deaths, including the many strategies which can be implemented to reduce the risk of sleep-related death. Participants will review what is SIDS and sleep-related death, review recent research and statistics, gain greater understanding of the role child care plays in keeping infants safe, and the recommendations and strategies for keeping children safe.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Tues., June 16, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### **Basic Health and Safety**

This workshop provides an overview of basic health and safety topics including the prevention and control of infectious diseases, SIDS, shaken baby syndrome and others. This workshop will satisfy the COMAR required training per federal CCDBG/CCDF guidelines as indicated by MSDE.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Thurs., June 18, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### **Basic Health and Safety**

See previous description. Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., Aug. 11, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

## SIDS, SUID and Other Sleep-Related Infant Deaths

See previous description.

Fee: \$20.00 Clock Hours: 2 hours Day/Time: Mon., Aug. 31, 6:30 PM-8:30 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

### Professionalism

### **Special Needs**

#### NEW!

### The Child Care Provider as a Professional

Gain a greater understanding of child care initiatives, resources, and professional organizations which can assist you in your business. Discuss what it means to be a professional in child care. Plus, examine the NAEYC child care code of ethics and discuss how it can assist you with your program.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Wed., July 1, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey



#### NEW! Lesson Planning for Preschool Classrooms

This workshop focuses on lesson planning for preschool-aged children in group child care settings. Participants will explore how curriculum can be used as a guide for planning lessons and identify ways lessons can be formulated and flexible based on the individualized, unique differences of each child. **1.5 hours Professionalism and 1.5 hours Curriculum** 

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Tues., Aug. 25, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

#### **Understanding Autism Today**

Child care providers are key players in creating awareness of Autism and can offer support and guidance to families and children with Autism Spectrum Disorder. Participants will hear about recent developments in Autism research, learn to identify early warning signs of autism and find local support resources as well as learning effective teaching and documentation strategies for supporting children with Autism spectrum disorder.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Wed., June 24, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Christie Berkey

## Including All Children and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

Workshop will cover information, strategies and resources on how to develop and implement an early childhood environment that is inclusive to all children and their families. The fundamental principles of the Americans with Disabilities Act will be covered using best practices standards to create policies and procedures that reflect the ADA and strategies for inclusion. This will meet the licensing requirement for the Including All Children and the ADA Training.

Fee: \$30.00 Clock Hours: 3 hours Day/Time: Wed., July 29, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM Location: Webinar Audience/Level: All, All Instructor: Michele Stottlemyer

### Support Groups via Zoom

Child Care Choices is hosting virtual Support Groups for both EPCC/EPSA and Closed Child Care Providers. We are here to assist you with any questions or concerns you may have. These support groups meet every other week. See sessions below:

Support Group – Closed Providers Support Group – EPCC/EPSA Providers Tuesdays from 10:30-11:30am Tuesdays from 1:30-2:30pm

Evening Support groups available for EPCC/EPSA Providers from 6:00-7:00pm. Days vary.

If you are interested in attending, please contact Samantha Carter at scarter@fcmha.org.

Workshop Index						
Date	Title	Time	Location	Pg#		
Wed., June 10	Nurturing Brain Development         6:00 PM         W					
Tues., June 16	SIDS, SUID and Other Sleep-Related Infant Deaths	6:30 PM	Webinar	7		
Wed., June 17	Fostering a Father Friendly Environment	6:30 PM	Webinar	6		
Thurs., June 18	Basic Health and Safety	6:00 PM	Webinar	7		
Tues., June 23	The Benefits of Play	6:30 PM	Webinar	5		
Wed., June 24	Understanding Autism Today	6:00 PM	Webinar	8		
Tues., June 30	Redesign Your Circle Time	6:00 PM	Webinar	6		
Wed., July 1	The Child Care Provider As a Professional	6:00 PM	Webinar	8		
Tues., July 7	Developmentally Appropriate Supervision	6:00 PM	Webinar	5		
Thurs., July 9	Working with Mixed Age Groups	6:00 PM	Webinar	5		
Tues., July 14	Supporting Culturally Diverse Families	6:00 PM	Webinar	6		
Thurs., July 16	Emotions Matter	6:00 PM	Webinar	5		
Tues., July 21	es., July 21 Exploring Social Studies Concepts		Webinar	6		
Wed., July 22	Wed., July 22 Culture, Development and Learning		Webinar	6		
Wed., July 29 Including All Children and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)		6:00 PM	Webinar	8		
Thurs., July 30	rs., July 30 Planning the Day for Infants and Toddlers		Webinar	6		
Tues., Aug. 4	Positive Words for Positive Actions	6:00 PM	Webinar	5		
Thurs., Aug. 6	. 6 Toddler Patterns of Learning		Webinar	5		
Tues., Aug. 11	s., Aug. 11 Basic Health and Safety		Webinar	7		
Wed., July 12 Developmentally Appropriate Practice: Recognizing the Essentials		6:00 PM	Webinar	7		
Tues., Aug. 18	Making the Most of Circle Time 6:30 PM Webina		Webinar	7		
Tues., Aug. 25	Lesson Planning for Preschool Classrooms	6:00 PM	M Webinar 8			
Wed., Aug. 26	Connecting Assessment to Curriculum and Instruction		Webinar 5			
Mon., Aug. 31	SIDS, SUID and Other Sleep-Related Infant Deaths	6:30 PM	Webinar	7		
Mon., Aug. 31	Supporting Breastfeeding in Child Care	6:00 PM	Webinar	7		

**LOCATION KEY:** Webinar – Computer with microphone and speakers as well as email access required.

For a description of each class click on the title and you will automatically be directed to that page.

#### **CHILD CARE CHOICES WORKSHOP REGISTRATION FORM**

226 S. Jefferson Street • Frederick, MD 21701 301-662-4549 • 410-751-2917

Participant's	Nar	ne:				
				(Please Print)		
l am a:	Æ	Center/ Preschool Director	Æ	Center/ Preschool Staff Ce	nter Name _	
	Æ	Family Child Care Provider	Æ	Potential Family Provider	Other	
Home Addres	s					
Work/ Program (if different fror		ress	State			County
Home/ Evening	g Pho	ne		Work/ Daytime Phone		
Alternate/ Cell	Alternate/ Cell Phone Email Address					
WORKSHOP POLICIES						
CCC's Registration Policies are outlined on page 7. By signing below, you are acknowledging that you have read and agree to abide by all of our registration policies.						
	Signature     Date				Date	

Olghature	Date						
Workshop Title		Date(s)	Fee				
		TOTAL					
WORKSHOP	WORKSHOP REGISTRATION PROCEDURES						
Complete the enclosed registration form ar	nd return witl	n a check, money order, or credit c	ard information to:				
	Child Care						
Register by phone or	In a hurry? Register by phone or application of the second seco						
	·	hild Care Choices/MHA.					
V Returned check fee is \$20; fees must then be repaid with cash, money order, or credit card.							
With a credit card you can register by phone at: 301-662-4549 or 410-751-2917; by fax 301-695-4826; or online at www.childcarechoices.info.							
PA	YMENT INF	ORMATION					
Payment By: Æ Check/Money Order (enclosed):	(Make che	cks payable to Child Care Choices/MH	A)				
Æ Credit Card (Visa or Master Card ONLY)			Exp. Date:/				
	Card Id	entification Number (Last 3 dig	gits on back of card)				
Payer Name							
Billing Address (if different from above)							
Signature							

(Credit Card statements will indicate Frederick County Mental Health as the merchant.)



Child Care Choices 226 S. Jefferson St. Frederick, MD 21701











#### **Frederick Office**

226 S. Jefferson Street, Frederick, MD 21701 Phone: 301-662-4549 TDD: 301-695-7225 Fax: 301-695-4826

**Carroll Office** 

255 Clifton Blvd., Suite 319, Westminster, MD 21157 Phone: 410-751-2917 Fax: 410-751-6094 childcarechoices@fcmha.org www.childcarechoices.info

"Child Care Choices is committed to promoting quality early care and education experiences for our children by providing a supporting link between parents, providers and the community."

The Child Care Primer is a publication of Child Care Choices, a program of the Mental Health Association of Frederick County. Child Care Choices is a member of the Maryland Child Care Resource Network with funding from the Maryland State Department of Education through Maryland Family Network.