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Dear Provider: Regulations/Elijah's Law

Dear Provider:

The Child Care Regulations have been revised to include the changes made as a result of implementation of Elijah's Law. This information is posted in English and Spanish on the OCFS website. If you have any questions, please reach out to your registrar. [Click here](#) to view regulations.

Estimado(a) proveedor(a):

Se adjuntan las Regulaciones de Cuidado Infantil que se han revisado para incluir los cambios realizados como resultado de la implementación de la Ley de Elijah. Esta información se publica en inglés y español en el sitio web de la OCFS. Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con su regulador. ¡Gracias!

To learn more about the details about the regulations or if you have questions: [Click here](#) or call 888-364-3065.

Looking for a Job?

[Job Openings:](#)

Child Care Deserts Technical Assistant
Infant/Toddler Mental Health Consultant
Receptionist/Clerical Assistant

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- Family friendly
- Flexible schedule
- EAP (Employee Assistance Program)
- Earned time off, sick leave & 10 paid holidays
- 'Bring Your Baby to Work' Policy
- Medical, dental & vision insurance
- Life Insurance & 401k Retirement Plan

Social Emotional Facts:

Here are some useful websites about social and emotional development in children:

<https://casel.org/fundamentals-of-sel/>

<https://www.understood.org/articles/en/social-emotional-learning-what-you-need-to-know>

<https://www.cfchildren.org/what-is-social-emotional-learning/>



Upcoming Trainings:

Located at 6724 Thompson Road, Syracuse, NY 13211

Making Families Feel Welcome

Friday, December 10, 2021

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

During this two hour evening session, participants will assess and discuss their practices for making families feel welcome in their setting. This training will cover topics such as ensuring the physical environment reflects the children and families you work with, strategies to build relationships with children and families right from the beginning, and communication techniques you can use with families.

Instructor: Kristy Sherman

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Supervision of Children

Tuesday, December 14, 2021

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

This session will review the NYS OCFS regulations related to supervision of children as well as assess the strategies to utilize for supervising children. This training is meant to help providers ensure that they have a full understanding of supervision of children of all ages as well as ensuring their environment is set up for successful supervision.

Instructor: Kristy Sherman

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Looking for More Trainings?

Are you missing training hours or do you need OCFS categories? Do you need our training flyer, "The Navigator", and haven't received it by postal mail or email? [Send us a message](#) to make sure you are on our email list or postal mailing list for future trainings and other announcements.

We would also love to hear from you if there are any topics you are interested in learning more about. Contact Kristi Cusa at Krstic@childcaresolutionsny.org or (315) 446-1220 ext.309

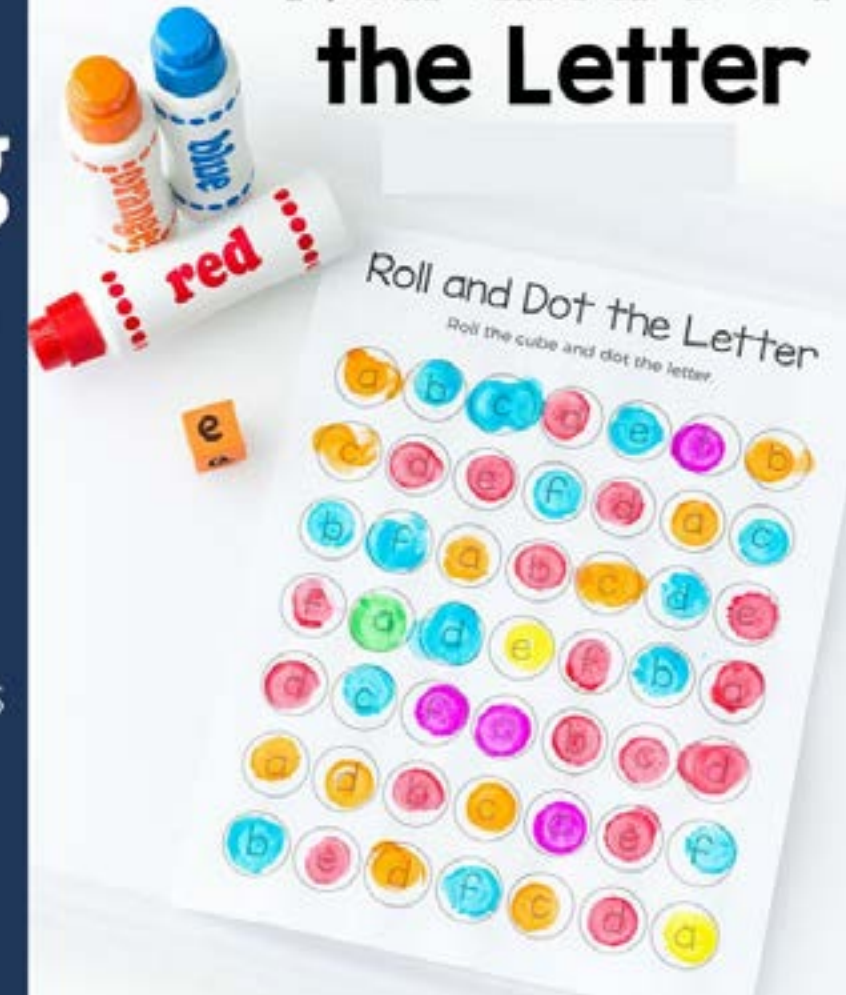


A Great Activity for Kids of All Ages: Learning Letters

Fun Learning Activity

Great way to get your children involved and learn to recognize letters and reinforce letter learning!

Roll and Dot the Letter



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- \$ 40 Group Family (Licensed) Child Care home
- \$ 55 per site / Small child care or early education program (five or fewer staff)
- \$100 per site / Larger child care or early education program or non-profit agency

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