

Need Child Care?

Your Local Providers Are Here to Help



The Early Childhood Education and Care Department (ECECD) is expanding its current commitment to **pay eligible families' child care assistance co-payments** to all families that qualify for child care assistance. Currently, families that make at or below 400% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) - \$111,000 a year for a family of four.

Here's what you'll need to apply:

- Current proof of income
- Birth Verification for all applicant household children
- Verification of Educational Activity/School Schedule for adults (if applicable)
- Picture ID for Applicant
- Proof of New Mexico Residency (lease agreement, utility bill, mortgage)
- Contact info for selected child care provider
(If you need help selecting a child care provider, please call Child Care Resource and Referral at the number below.)

How to apply:



- Visit nmeccd.org and click on "Am I Eligible?"
- Or call 800-691-9067
- Email child.care@state.nm.us if you have questions or concerns about child care.

Family of Four Monthly Income at Various FPL Levels:

- 200% = \$4,625
- 225% = \$5,203
- 250% = \$5,781
- 275% = \$6,359
- 300% = \$6,938
- 325% = \$7,516
- 350% = \$8,094
- 375% = \$8,672
- 400% = \$9,250

Beginning May 1, 2022, the New Mexico Early Childhood Education and Care Department (ECECD) will waive child care assistance copayments for any family that qualifies for the program until June 30, 2023.



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