# **Programs: Child Care**

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## Affordable Child Care Benefit

A monthly payment that helps families meet the costs of childcare, as well as a special needs supplement.

#### **Program Information**

A child care funding is available to help families in B.C. with the cost of child care:

- Families that earn up to \$111,000 may qualify for funding
- Families may be able to apply for full or partial funding depending on their circumstances and income

#### Get in Touch:

Phone: 1-888-338-6622

Website:

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/family-social-supports/caring-for-young-children/child-care-funding/child-care-benefit

## Community Care Facilities Licensing

Protects and promotes the health, safety and well-being of children in licensed child care centres. This is done through education, collaboration and regulation.

#### **Program Information**

Community Care Facilities Licensing provides:

- · information to the public
- · consultation and resources
- · inspection and assessment of potential facilities and sites
- · assessment of licensee or manager to determine eligibility
- · assessment of qualifications and suitability
- · inspections
- · assessment and support of licensed facility
- investigation of serious incidents, abuse, complaints and contraventions to the Community Care and Assisted Living Act and Regulations
- investigation of facilities operating without a Community Care Facility License.

#### Get in Touch:

Phone: 604-233-3147

Website:

http://www.vch.ca/public-health/licensing/child-care

# Richmond Child Care Resource and Referral Centre

Can help match you to childcare programs that meet your needs.

#### **Program Information**

They offer a free, multilingual referral service for childcare programs within the community, and can provide you with resources on how to choose childcare that's right for you.

They also provide programs and services like:

- · Together Time
- Junior Detective
- Cooking Together
- · Together Talks
- · Provide information to parents and provider regarding affordable child care

#### Get in Touch:

Phone: 604-279-7143

Website: https://www.richmondkids.ca/en

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- Help with completing affordable child care benefit application
- Family Child Care Training
- Richmond Early Years Library (REYL) for Parents and Child Care Providers

# Supported Child Development Program

Helps families with children with special needs / developmental delays to access childcare.

## **Program Information**

This program helps you make the tough decisions on where to bring your child. They help find licensed childcare who offer additional support to your child's needs.

#### They offer:

- Planning
- Training
- Resources
- · Hands on support

Download a copy of their handbook!

Cost: Free

#### Get in Touch:

Phone: 604-279-7010

Website:

http://www.rscl.org/supported-child-development/