

LPHAs provide consultation and training to child care providers and health promotions for children on a variety of topics including:

Obesity Prevention

Emergency Preparedness

Growth & Development

Communicable Disease

Hygiene

Immunizations

Poison Prevention

Safety in Child Care

Special Health Care Needs

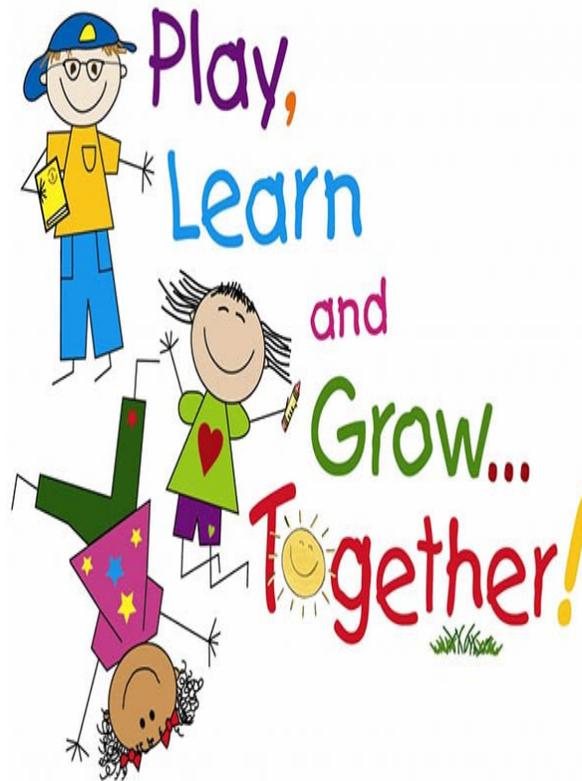
and

Staff Wellness

If you would like consultations, Education, or health promotions at your facility, please contact:

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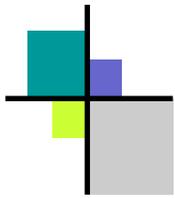
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The Missouri Child Care Health Consultation (CCHC) Program is a collaborative project between The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services and the local public health agencies (LPHAs) throughout Missouri to provide health consultation and training services to child care providers.

The program is a population-based initiative that reached over 70,000 preschool-aged children in 2012.

The CCHC Program is based on a nursing model practice that uses registered professional nurses to oversee and deliver programs that focus on health, safety, and nutrition in the child care setting.

Why does the program exist?

- To provide child care health consultation and training for child care providers statewide
- To promote safe, healthy, and developmentally appropriate environments for all children in child care
- To assist families and child care providers in accessing needed health and social service programs
- To decrease risk of injury, disease, and abuse for our children

Who can receive CCHC services?

- Child care providers
- Families of children enrolled in child care
- Children enrolled in child care

What services are offered?

- **Consultations** at child care homes, group homes, centers, or mutually agreed upon locations, regarding child care health, safety, and nutrition concerns
- **Clock-Hour Training** for child care providers to improve their health, safety, and nutrition knowledge and practices, in accordance with the *Kansas and Missouri Core Competencies for Early Care and Education Professionals*

- **Education** and consultation for family members of children enrolled in a child care facility, and
- **Health Promotion** presentations for children in child care settings

What does it cost?

- Local Public Health Agencies (LPHA) generally provide child care consultation, training, health promotions, and educational resources **at no cost**



If you have further questions about the availability of a Child Care Health Consultant in your area, please contact:

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