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Parents and child care providers can access the following resources by calling our Resource & Referral Program hotline or visiting our website at www.chs-ca.org.



# The R&R Program

- Provides information about how to choose quality child care
- Provides referrals to local early education and child care programs
- Offers resources and workshops about early education, child development, and parenting
- Advocates for the needs of families and child care providers by collecting and disseminating information about the current strengths and needs within the county
- Participates in and supports local community priorities, initiatives, and collaborates toward supporting families and promoting quality child care and early education programs



#### FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information on the R&R Program, contact your local R&R office Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Greater Long Beach (562) 256-7490 Orange County (714) 543-2273

(949) 364-6605

Sutter County (530) 645-6298

Yolo County (530) 645-6265

Yuba County (530) 645-6298





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and child care providers. Parents can

learn more about what is available.

and can receive a list of referrals to

providers that meet the family's

individual needs.

### **Education & Resource Lending Library**

Our Library is available for parents, child care providers, and community members. Library materials include items such as puzzles, games, toys, music, books, and curriculum kits or resources. Additional services are available at some locations such as lamination and die-cut machines for bulletin board, art, and curriculum projects.

#### **Parent Workshops & Events**

We offer interactive, fun workshops and events for parents (along with their children), to educate and empower families and support their child's growth and development.

## **The Child Care Eligibility List: Get Help Paying for Child Care**

Families who need help paying for early education and child care programs can contact the R&R Program to be placed on the local Child Care Eligibility List (CCEL). The CCEL is a waiting list for families who need financial help for child care services.

## **Early Education Provider Workshops & Resources**

Providers are invited to attend educational and hands-on workshops and events that are based on current research, best practices, and the needs of the families and providers in the community. We also provide technical assistance on program licensing requirements and other news and issues related to starting and managing a child care business, through e-mail, mailings, and community events. **R&R** Program

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www.chs-ca.org.

The R&R Program offers the following additional resources:

- Early Learning and Education Program **Newsletters** that provide child development information, parenting tips, curriculum ideas, and important early education news
- The **Child Care Initiative Program** supports providers who are starting a new licensed family child care program
- Reimbursement for the cost of required **Health** and Safety Certifications for licensed child care providers, including CPR and First Aid
- Connection to TrustLine Background Check services and results
- Connections to community resources including local social service agencies and county family support programs

Please refer to the CHS Parental Choice brochure for more information about the types of early education and child care options that are available to families.



