



MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Announcement

Important updates for families receiving Child Care Subsidy

EFFECTIVE Jan. 1, 2026: Families receiving childcare subsidy will be responsible for paying their required co-payments and any overage amounts, which are based on household size and income, directly to their childcare provider.

SLIDING FEE SCALE:

Family Size	Monthly Income	
	Table A	Table B
2	\$0 - \$3,510	\$3,511 - \$5,226
3	\$0 - \$4,415	\$4,416 - \$6,456
4	\$0 - \$5,320	\$5,321 - \$7,685
5	\$0 - \$6,225	\$6,226 - \$8,915
6	\$0 - \$7,130	\$7,131 - \$10,145
7	\$0 - \$8,035	\$8,036 - \$10,375
8 or more	\$0 - \$8,940	\$8,941 - \$10,60
Co-Pay per child	\$0	\$25
Co-Pay Max per family	\$0	\$75

The amount of your co-pay depends on your household size and income as indicated on the sliding fee scale above.

OVERAGES:

The overage is the difference between what your provider charges and the BCCS maximum rate for your child's age group. Your co-pay is added to this amount, and together they total what you'll pay out of pocket.

Should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Achievements

Subsidy Payments

BCCS is honored to support our island community with **\$20,108,290.08** in childcare subsidies, helping families, and providers thrive and children succeed.

By supporting both families and providers, we are reinforcing a stronger, more resilient early childhood system one that ensures children have access to safe, high- quality care and a bright future ahead.

Relative-In-Home Provider

Childcare right in the comfort of home!

We understand that you want the best for your kids, and sometimes the best care is family. That's why we're here to help you pay a trusted relative to watch your children while you're at work, and even after school. This program is for children from birth to 13, and in some cases, up to the age of 18.

Empower your family. Empower your choice.

Interested in learning more? Apply now or contact us at 671-969-7255/6/9 or email us at Childcare@dphss.guam.gov (Attention: CCDF Registration) or click the link below!

[Click on the link to access the application!](#)

Community Events

Parent Coaching Session

Westin Resort, Tumon Guam
Saturday December 6, 2025
8:30 am to 1:30 pm

Parents and guardians will learn how autism can affect young children's early learning and development. The session will provide simple, practical ways to use children's strengths to help with their needs during daily routines and play, using the ESDM approach and other up-to-date methods.

Scan the QR code to register:



Autism Fair

Micronesia Mall, Center Court
Saturday Dec. 13, 2025
10 am to 1 pm

1-3-6 & Beyond

Barrigada Community Center
Tuesday December 30, 2025
9 am to 12 pm

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