

Childcare Funds Available

Due to increased funding, childcare funds with Basic Sliding Fees are available for Winona County residents. Persons must meet the income guidelines.

For more information or for an application contact:
Winona County Community Services
202 West Third Street
Winona, MN 55987
507-457-6500

Dear Parent:

Enclosed is a list of licensed family day care homes. In selecting childcare, it is suggested you interview several childcare providers. Lifestyles can vary greatly within homes. A few homes may meet only minimum standards required for licensure, while many have much more to offer your child. To help your child's adjustment, it is important to allow time for one or more visits to the home before the first day of care.

We recommend interviewing perspective day care providers carefully. The following are some suggested areas of discussion.

1. How does the day care provider spend the day? Does she/he try to get the children outside (weather permitting)? What kind of supervision is given? What activities are provided daily specific to your child's age? How does the provider interact with children?
2. Ask to see the house, where the children nap and play, and what toys are available for use by your children. Are there adequate napping facilities for your child? Are cleaning chemicals and medicine out of reach of children? This is a requirement for licensing. Are stairways protected against falls?
3. What training does the day care provider have in childcare? Licensed homes are to have 16 hours training minimum annually and up to date CPR and First Aid training.
4. What methods are used in the guidance and training of children? How is discipline handled? Licensed day care providers are **not** allowed to use any form of corporal punishment, including spanking, hitting, slapping, rough handling, etc.
5. If you have an infant, you may wish to inquire whether infants are held for feedings. According to licensing rules, bottles must not be propped. How much freedom of movement is given an infant outside infant seats or cribs? Are diapers changed when wet or soiled? (A licensing requirement.)

6. If you have a school-age child, you should have a written agreement on where the children may go from the day care home. Is the day care home convenient to the school they attend? Does the day care provider have activities and equipment geared toward older children?

7. If you wish to use this home for a long time, does the day care provider plan to be available for this length of time? Some may not provide day care in the summer and this would mean another move for your child.

8. What meals and snacks are provided? Are meals and snacks nutritious and well balanced? Let the day care provider know if your child has special dietary needs or preferences and give special needs instructions in writing. Most licensed providers participate in a Federal Food Program, which reimburses them for a portion of the cost of meals and snacks. This enables providers to furnish a very adequate nutritional program for children.

9. Does the day care provider charge by the day or by the week? Are there charges for sick days and holidays? Is there an additional charge for overtime care?

10. You may request references. Especially helpful may be those from parents who use or have used the home.

A licensed day care home will require you to complete an Admissions and Arrangements Form to obtain necessary information concerning you and your child. Your child must be up-to-date on immunizations and the provider is also required to keep record of this. The provider should give you, upon your child's admission to the home, a summary of the Minnesota Day Care Licensing Rules and a completed Provider Policy Form.

Day Care is a private business and each home determines its own rates. A licensed home need not accept each child referred through this service; likewise you are not required to accept a home we refer to you. Licensed homes may not discriminate in admissions on the basis of race, creed, color, and national origin, religion or sex.

We hope you will find a day care home as close to your specific needs as possible. If after using a home for a time you have comments you would like to make, we would be pleased to hear from you. Please save the names of those homes you may use in the event you may need a temporary back up home.

Sincerely,

Winona County Community Services
Day Care Licensing Staff
507-457-6430

The Winona Co Licensed Daycare Homes List can now be found on our website at www.co.winona.mn.us under Departments/Community Services/Human Services/Day Care Information.

WINONA COUNTY LICENSED DAY CARE HOMES

Updated 04-16-21

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE
<u>CITY OF WINONA</u>		
Anderson, Lindsay	109 N Baker St	474-7106
Armitage, Christine	360 Kansas St	459-6323
Berg, Stephanie & Berg, Trisha	1714 Gilmore Avenue	459-2054-Stephanie 429-1579-Trisha
Bergler, Aubrey	512 E 11 th St	450-9336
Burch, Jane	170 Mechanic Street	450-8838
Burke, Shaune & Tim	226 E 3 rd St	454-5096
Cady, Ashley	864 W. Mark St	525-4020
Carter, Nakiyia	570 E 3 rd St	459-2208
Connaughty, Moira	522 Sioux St	608-317-9530
Degnan, Dena	775 Bluffview Circle	450-2931
Jacobs, Gwen	623 E 7 th St	452-6832
Jonsgaard, Cathy	2367 Maria Road	452-6907
Kerley, Michele	615 E 9 th St	454-8493
Kleinschmidt, Tanya	122 Jederman Drive	507-961-0532
Klicka, Deb	425 39 th Ave (Goodview)	429-6616
Koscianski, Jodie	1333 Woodpark Rd	453-0593
Kowalczyk, Pam	623 W Broadway St	452-2720
Laue, Heather	621 E Broadway St	507-429-5695
Lorenz, Denise	170 Gould St	454-4908
Malewicki, Denise	511 E 6 th St	454-4810
Meier, BreAnn	1922 W 9 th St	474-0510
Moss, Nichole	323 E 4 th St	457-8163
Niemi, Presh & Art	1911 W 5 th St	507-250-5981
Paffrath, Kathy	1062 W 10 th St	454-2745
Paulson, Karen	223 Valley Oaks Dr	452-1727
Pelowski, Brooke	507 Sioux St	459-4391
Poolo, Heidi	1606 Kraemer Dr	507-961-0525
Putz, Kami	363 E 10 th St	507-703-5435
Ramin, Lori	1013 E 7 th St	458-8504
Rauchman, Tia	625 E Mark St	612-741-0300
Rossin, Stacy	710 E 7 th St	458-2188
Rusert, Mandy	1192 Country Dr	454-1531
Schaefer, Debbie	512 E 7 th St	454-7375
Sobeck, Chris	662 Main St	454-3284
Stai, Michele	351 Wayne St	651-368-3166
Stutzka, Cheryl	377 E 2 nd St	458-1808
Thompson, Lynnea	754 W 4 th St	450-4713
Weilandt, Kelly	167 Gould St	452-7537

RURAL WINONA

Corey, Mindy	22400 County Road 15	450-5758
Papenfuss, Kristen	26837 County Road 3	643-6105

GOODVIEW

Adams, Sally	815 40 th Ave	458-2780
Dalton, Krista	4730 W 6 th St	454-8077
Haessig, Vicky	850 43 rd Ave	457-9459
Kanz, Krystal	3485 W 7 th St	459-3510
Mueller, Anita	720 52 nd Ave	452-3296
O'Hara, Melissa	4450 W 8 th St	507-703-9934
Peck, Brianna	3744 W 7 th St	458-2703
Stanek, Dawn	1395 49 th Ave	452-1363
Steffes, Mandi	1370 48 th Ave	450-9626
Thompson, Patti	936 43 rd Ave	454-7613

ALTURA

Kreidermacher, Becky	207 N. Main St	796-6602
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DAKOTA

Klawiter, Shana	41871 Papenfuss Dr	643-6028
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DRESBACH

None

ELBA

None

HOMER

None

HOUSTON

Katie Hackbarth	31443 Stinson Ridge Road	507-429-6156
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LEWISTON

Daley, Andrea	85 Williams St	459-9915
Franzen, Deb	10 Williams St	523-2107
Gensmer, Mandi	12 Williams St	523-2498
Johnson, Nicole	235 S Fremont St	507-450-3305
Jonsgaard, Jessica	80 N Fremont St	507-604-0092
Kiral, Sara	24905 Wilson Frontage Rd	507-450-6828
Kuderer, Jamie	40 Tews Ave	612-296-8207
Melbostad, Michele	565 E Main St	429-1164
Meyer, Brooke	215 Benson Drive	507-458-1237
Staudacher, Dawn	100 Benson Dr	507-450-1053
Thompson, Cindy	27498 County Road 29	523-2805

MINNESOTA CITY

Harris, Rebecca	8275 6 th Street	429-4695
Johnson, Whitney	55 Marval Dr	429-0667
Kunda, Amy	32 Hidden Valley	458-4763
Langowski, Sandra	348 Saehler Drive	429-1738
Lynn, Melissa	17082 County Road 23	429-2850

RIDGEWAY

None

ROLLINGSTONE

Frankum, Kara	26134 Hwy 248	458-1618
Schneider, Jackie	22551 South Main Dr	689-4297
Speltz, Maureen	169 Main Street	689-4162
Spitzer, Sheila	20766 County Road 114	689-0046

RUSHFORD (still in Winona County)

Luhmann, Amy	32076 Hwy 43	864-3121
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ST. CHARLES

Brouwer, Jessica	408 Northern Hills Trail	951-4345
Decker, Kathy	27566 Hwy 74	932-3524
Everson, Kayla	130 Circle Drive	271-3989
Heim, April	22243 County Road 39	450-7364
Mercer, Hayley	537 Wiskow Way	259-2611
Mollert, Kim	591 E 12 th St	932-5749
Mueller, Laurie	243 W 13 th St	932-3209
Persons, Tami	537 W 1 st St	313-3053
Schossow, Katherine	125 Pearson Ct.	272-2834
Slavin, Jwana	404 Northern Hills Ct.	459-7591
Voss, Asta	454 E 15 th St	226-1239
Wegman, Melissa	1407 St Charles Ave	273-0866

STOCKTON

None

UTICA

Decker, Marion E.	14358 County Road 35	932-3497
Hulshizer, Whitney	206 Center Street SE	429-9091

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