

CHILDCARE RESOURCES

Note: This list of childcare facilities is not based on recommendations; just a compilation of some of the resources available in the area.

Illinois Action for Children (CCAP)

4753 N. Broadway, 1st Floor, Chicago, IL 60640 (Administrative Offices Only)

1340 S. Damen, 3rd Floor, Chicago, IL 60608

8741 S. Greenwood, Suite 300, Chicago, IL 60619

Financial assistance for childcare. If eligible, parent pays only a portion of childcare fees. Parent must meet low-income guidelines. Help with finding local childcare facilities.

Call: (312) 823-1100 (Calls taken on Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays between 8:30 am-4:30 pm)

www.actforchildren.org/

CHILDCARE CENTERS

Note: This is a very brief listing of available centers, chosen for their location or affordability. The Women's Program does not endorse or recommend any particular childcare center. We encourage you to call or visit the centers to get more information.

Harper College

Child Learning Center, Room I-123

Half day and full-day programs available from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Children must be 3-6 years of age and completely toilet-trained. List of fees are available at the center.

Call: (847) 925-6262

www.goforward.harpercollege.edu/page.cfm?p=913

Children's Home & Aid Society

725 E. Schaumburg Rd., Schaumburg, IL 60194

Low-cost childcare for individuals who meet eligibility requirements of Action for Children (listed above).

Call: (630) 671-2400 or (847) 985.8130

www.childrenshomeandaid.org/page.aspx?pid=353

Community Child Care of Palatine Township

721 S. Quentin Rd., Palatine, IL 60067

Low-cost childcare for individuals who meet eligibility requirements of Action for Children (listed above).

Call: (847) 991-1030

www.childrenshomeandaid.org/page.aspx?pid=349

Elk Grove Township Community Day Care Center

711 Chelmsford, Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Affordable day care for children 3 months to 12 years old.

Call: (847) 439-5577

www.egvpl.org/preschool_survey.html

Head Start

Pre-school education program for children ages 3-5 years old from low-income families. The program includes education, health and nutrition, social services, parent and community involvement.

www.cedaorg.net/www2/CFDS.html

Des Plaines Head Start (half day program)

1170 N. River Rd.

Des Plaines, IL 60016

(847) 298-1130

CEDA Ray Walker Head Start (half day program)

(Schaumburg Headstart)

653 Windsor Dr.

Schaumburg, IL 60193

(847) 598-1020

Palatine Head Start (half day program)

721 S. Quentin

Palatine, IL 60067

(847) 991-1030

CEDA Head Start & Early Head Start

Advance Preschool, Inc.

2320 W. Higgins Rd.

Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

(847) 885-4983

Safari Childcare

1540 W. Algonquin Rd., Palatine, IL 60067

(888) 488-5883

www.safarichildcare.com

Drop in rates available – need to have paperwork on file first. They offer evenings. They take any outside funding source such as Illinois Action for Children, CEDA, YMCA.