

Dear Parents,

Your child was recently enrolled in a child care program that is licensed by the Colorado Department of Human Services. The license indicates that the program has met the required standards for the operation of a child care facility. If you have not done so, please ask to see the license.

Most licensed facilities make every effort to provide a safe and healthy environment for children. Unfortunately, on rare occasion, an incident of physical or sexual abuse may occur. If you believe that your child has been abused, you should seek immediate assistance from your county department of social services. The telephone number to report child abuse in your county is listed below.

Arapahoe County Human Services Department
14980 East Alameda Drive
Suite 007
Aurora, CO 80012
303.636.1750

Colorado law requires that child care providers report all known or suspected cases of child abuse or neglect.

Child care services play an important role in supporting families and strong families are the basis of a thriving community. Your child's education, physical, emotional, and social development will be nurtured in a well-planned and run program. Remember to observe the program regularly, especially with regard to children's health and safety, equipment, play materials and staff. For additional information regarding licensing or if you have concerns about a child care facility. Please consult the Colorado Division of Child Care at 1575 Sherman Street, Denver Colorado 80203-1714 or by phone at 303.866.5958.

Please sign and return.
