

Resources for Early Education Staff

NCDHHS: Division of Child Development & Early Education

This website provides early education with NC Child Care Rules, child care updates, child care provider documents, how to get a child care license and more.

<https://ncchildcare.ncdhhs.gov/Provider>

NCDHHS: Environmental Health Unit

The Child Care Sanitation (CCS) Program monitors and oversees sanitation requirements for licensed child care centers and provides consultation to local health departments regarding communicable disease control and sanitation in the child care setting.

<https://ehs.dph.ncdhhs.gov/hhccehb/cehu/>

North Carolina Rated License Assessment Project

This website provides resources and training related to the NC Rated License Assessment

<https://www.ncrlap.org/>

North Carolina Child Care Health & Safety Resource Center

The NC Resource Center's website promotes healthy and safe indoor and outdoor environments in early care and education settings through child care health consultation.

<https://healthychildcare.unc.edu/>

Communicable Disease Resources

This website gives an overview of diseases, prevention methods, and details about necessary exclusion.

<https://healthychildcare.unc.edu/resources/communicable-disease-resources/>

Health & Safety Posters

These posters, designed to improve health and safety practices in early care and education programs, align with National Health and Safety Performance Standards and [North Carolina Child Care Rules and Regulations](#) and are available for download

<https://healthychildcare.unc.edu/resources/posters/>

TEACH Early Childhood NC

Scholarship, education, compensation and commitment.

The TEACH Early Childhood® North Carolina scholarship program is an umbrella for a variety of different scholarship programs for those working in the early education field in North Carolina. Every TEACH scholarship has 4 components: scholarship, education, compensation and commitment.

<https://www.earlyyearsnc.org/program/teach-nc>

Supporting Teachers' Education & Progress (STEP\$)

STEP\$ (Supporting Teachers' Education & Progress) provides education-based salary supplements to low-paid lead teachers, teachers and family child care providers working 40 hours per week with children birth through age 2 in North Carolina. Be sure to check out the [FAQs](#) to learn more. You'll also find information on how

to [qualify](#) and [apply](#).

<https://www.earlyyearsnc.org/program/steps>

Child Care WAGES

The Child Care WAGES® program provides education-based salary supplements to low-paid teachers, directors and family child care providers working with children between the ages of birth to 5 in participating counties.

<https://www.earlyyearsnc.org/program/wages>