

Lack of Affordable Child Care Impacts EVERYONE!



The high cost of child care



A smaller workforce



Difficulty finding workers



Smaller families & slower economic growth

CHILD CARE SUBSIDY - EMPLOYEE RESOURCE INCOME SCALE

- Eligibility expanded to families earning up to 85% of the NYS Median Income (SMI).
- Child care copays for eligible families are capped at 1% of income over the federal poverty level.

Employees can apply online at
<https://hs.ocfs.ny.gov/CCAPsignup/invite>

For application assistance
or finding a child care center that
accepts subsidies, contact:

Child Care Resource Network WNY: 716-877-6666	Child Care of Niagara: 716-285-8572
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Family Size	Income Level (85% SMI)
2	\$79,214
3	\$97,853
4	\$116,492
5	\$135,131
6	\$153,770

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