

# TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

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The regulations of the New York State Office of Children and Family Services require all child care providers to have thirty (30) hours of training every two years.

*A minimum of five (5) hours of office approved training must be obtained each year.*

This training must address the following topics:

- 1) Principles of childhood development, including the appropriate supervision of children, meeting the needs of children enrolled in the program with physical or emotional challenges, and behavior management and discipline.
- 2) Nutrition and health needs of children.
- 3) Child day care program development.
- 4) Safety and security procedures including communication between parents and staff.
- 5) Business record maintenance and management.
- 6) Child abuse and maltreatment identification and prevention.
- 7) Statutes and regulations pertaining to child day care.
- 8) Statutes and regulations pertaining to child abuse and maltreatment.
- 9) Education and information on the identification, diagnosis and prevention of Abusive Head Trauma (AHT) formerly Shaken Baby Syndrome.
- 10) Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) \*\*

**\*\* On December 17, 2020, Governor Cuomo signed legislation which requires training for childcare providers about Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)\*\***