

Interested in becoming a
child care provider?

Contact us...

Child care workers

- ◆ Enjoy working with children,
- ◆ Are generally strong and healthy,
- ◆ Have patience and self-control,
- ◆ Handle difficult or unexpected situations well,
- ◆ Have a family willing to share living space and personal possessions with other children,
- ◆ Maintain a safe space for children to play in– and outdoors!

Contact 4C for more
information!

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Hours:
Monday, 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.,
Tuesday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.



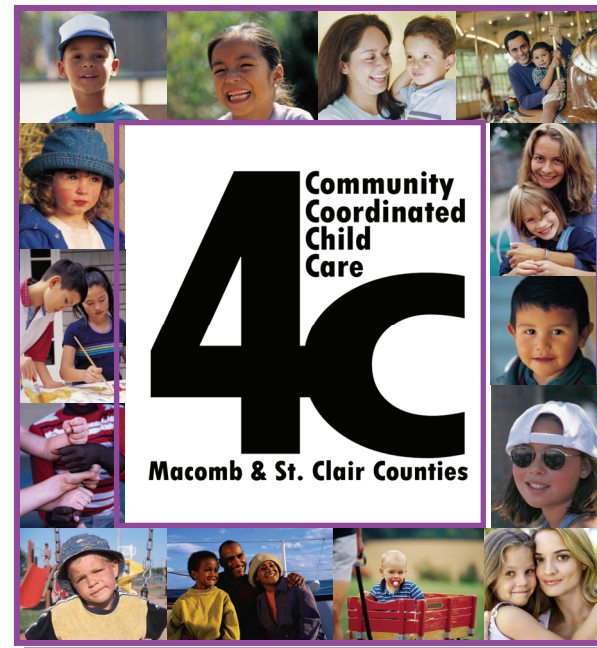
Call:
1-866-4CHILDCARE
(1-866-424-4532) or
586-469-6993

E-mail:
4CR&R@macombcountymi.gov

Log on to:
www.macombcountymi.gov/msuextension

Additional Resources:

www.migreatparents.org
www.mi4C.org
www.michigan.gov/daycare
www.naeyc.org



Your Child Care Resource

4C Mission

MSU Extension-4C in Macomb and St. Clair Counties is dedicated to helping develop quality child care that is safe, affordable and accessible. 4C provides families with resources and referrals for finding such care. 4C also trains and educates child care providers in improving their care practices and cultivating business opportunities. 4C strengthens the available child care base in Macomb and St. Clair Counties.



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1-866-4CHILDCARE



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VerKuijen Building
21885 Dunham Road, Suite 12
Clinton Township, MI 48036
www.macombcountymi.gov/msuextension

Child Care Providers

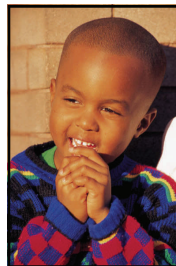
4C Provides

- ◆ Free advertising for your business
- ◆ Professional and child development trainings
- ◆ Newsletter with current trends, events and issues regarding child care
- ◆ Lending library for program and staff development
- ◆ Guidance and support
- ◆ Scholarship and accreditation information

Parents

4C Provides

- ◆ Free referrals to licensed child care providers
- ◆ Information on how to choose quality child care
- ◆ Parenting resources
- ◆ Referrals to other supportive agencies
- ◆ Confidentiality



Reporting Complaints

All child care providers on the 4C list are referrals only, **not recommendations!**

Under the Freedom of Information Act, you can be informed about any complaints against a child care provider by calling 517-373-3598 or logging on to www.michigan.gov/dhs (click on Online Look-ups, Day Care Centers, Homes). Violation reports may be found at the bottom of the provider's information page.

To file a complaint about a child care provider, call 1-866-856-0126.

To report suspected child abuse or neglect, call Protective services:

Macomb County	586-412-6109
After Hours:	586-254-1513
St. Clair County	810-966-2173
After Hours	800-662-1023

Child Care Choices

Child Care Center

Child care provided for varying groups of children in a building that is not a residential home.



Day Care Aide

Child care provided in parent's home by a person the parent has chosen.

Family Day Care

Child care provided for up to six children in the home of a licensed caregiver.

Group Day Care

Child care provided for a group up to 12 children with two adult caregivers in a licensed home.

Relative Care Provider

Child care provided in the home of a relative who does not live with the child.

Things to consider:

- ◆ Where you need care—near home, work or school?
- ◆ What hours and days you need?
- ◆ What is a quality program?
- ◆ Does my child have special needs?

Agencies, Businesses & Organizations

4C Provides

- ◆ Consultations on child care options
- ◆ Child care brochures available for distribution
- ◆ On-site resource exhibits
- ◆ Customized employee referrals



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