



# Family Checklist:

## Questions for Your Early Learning Provider During COVID-19

What are your current operating hours? (COVID-19 might have affected the normal hours.)

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What is the health screening process you are implementing for children and staff?

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What is your drop-off and pick-up process right now?

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What is your policy regarding visitors and non-essential staff in your program?

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What is your program's policy on adults and children wearing masks?

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Can you share with me a little about your hand washing and hygiene practices?

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What is the staff-to-child ratio you are currently following?

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How are you handling groupings of children and use of space in general (ie., meals, nap time, outdoor activities)?

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**How is your program communicating with families?**

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Can you tell me about the communication you will have with families about illnesses?

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**Does the program have an emergency plan for a child or staff member showing COVID-19 symptoms?**

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Can you share your sick/illness policy with me before enrolling?

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**How will you meet the developmental needs of my child while following the health and safety guidance of the CDC?**

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**Do you have an outside play area or a plan to get children outside every day?**

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**Recognizing the increased need for cleaning and sanitation, are cleaning supplies and chemicals locked up and out of the reach of children?**

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**CDC recommendations for child care**

[www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html](http://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html)