

Directors Corner

It's Official: New CCS Location!!!

2002 West Loop 289, Suite 117 Lubbock, TX 79407 We have moved and are settling in to our beautiful new location. Came and see us soon!!!



Client Services News

IMPORTANT!!!!!

PLEASE REPORT CHILDREN'S SCHOOL CHANGES NOW

It seems like summer just started and it is already time to prepare for the beginning of school. The Provider School Change Form has already gone out to assist in reporting changes for the new school year. This year schools are starting on many different dates, so we have added a column to note the date care needs changed. Due to this massive undertaking of adjusting all school children's care, please report <u>NOW</u> to avoid delays in payment.

Client Services asks that you always check your 2450's to ensure the care is correct and look for changes to fees. If you see a problem on the 2450 please call or email



the case manager or myself. I am always available to answer questions or assist. (806) 744-3572 <u>debra.garcia@spworkforce.org</u> THANK YOU!!!





Workforce Solutions South Plains Child Care Services

Holiday Closures

Child Care Services & CACFP will be closed on the following day:

September 3, 2018

In Observance of Labor Day





August 2018 to October 2018

Why should you be a Texas Rising Star (TRS) Provider?

Contact CCS to discover the increasing benefits of TRS! Jan, Liz or Rachel at (806) 744-3572

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Special points of interest:

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- © New Parent Fee Changes
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New Parent Fee Procedure Change

All CCS Providers have received a letter detailing the statewide changes.

Locally—Providers should report late parent fees owed by the 5th day of each month. Please include:

*Parent/guardian name

*TWISTID#

*Time frame/month

*Amount owed

It is vital to report late parent fees on a monthly basis as of August 1, 2018. Clients reported as late on their parent fees who enroll or recertify on or after this date will be required to pay in full or care will end and they will have a 60 calendar day waiting period before being able to reapply for services. When you report the late monthly amount, CCS will send the client a letter that gives them 15 calendar days to pay the past due balance and the prorated fees up until the end date. Clients' must provide a receipt to CCS that it

PAST DUE FINAL NOTICE

wait 60 calendar days to reapply. Please email all past due fees to: <u>stacey.correa@spworkforce.org</u>

is paid in full prior to the end date or care will end and they will have to

or call at 806-744-3572



CACFP News

CACFP would like to extend our appreciation for the time and effort that our providers demonstrated with their attendance at our Annual Contract Meeting.

<u>Contract packets are due in the CACFP office by:</u> <u>Monday, August 27, 2018.</u>

You will be receiving additional information on our Annual CACFP trainings very soon!

Billing is due the 5th of each month to avoid delays in payment.

Our CACFP is on a blended rate and it is crucial for all providers to turn in the billing timely to receive the maximum reimbursement.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with questions or concerns.

806-687-9726 CACFP Staff

Resource Room & Frog Bus

Come by to work on setting up your classroom for the new school year and see our new location.

Betty Anderson Resource Room Open M-F 12:00—5:00 pm



FROG Bus trips to all rural CCS locations will resume September 4, 2018.



Please check your email regularly and share information with staff.

Upcoming Trainings

We have several trainings coming up in the next few months.

August 8, 2018

Ole! Texas Outdoor Learning Environments presented by TTU staff

August 2018 Conscious Discipline Overview presented by CCS staff

September 2018 Special Needs presenter TBA

October 2018 Topic & presenter TBA

We will email you additional information soon.

New Providers

We would like to welcome the following providers to our CCS Team:

Nana's Home Daycare Licensed Home in Lubbock

Suzanne Morman

Registered Home in Lubbock.



Provider Meeting

Our CCS Semi-Annual Provider Meeting will be held in October 2018. CCS will notify you once all arrangements have been finalized.



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