

WHEN TO CALL CICC

Contact CICC when a child care program needs coaching support in any of the following situations:

INCLUSION

- Concerns regarding developmental red flags
- Considering expulsion or suspension of an enrolled child
- Caring for a child with a diagnosed special need
- Caring for a child exhibiting challenging behaviors

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Opening a child care program
- Experiencing challenges meeting health and safety polices or licensing regulations
- Creating safe and healthy learning environments for children
- Caring for a child with a special health care need

INFANT & TODDLER

- Meeting the unique needs of infants and toddlers
- Opening/expanding infant and toddler care
- Challenges related to an infant or toddler in their care
- Strengthening relationships of caregivers and children



CENTER FOR INCLUSIVE CHILD CARE

Who are we?

The Center for Inclusive Child Care (CICC) provides **free relationship-based professional development (RBPD)** including support, modeling and resources to child care programs throughout Minnesota. A coach will spend time in your program providing support focused on the successful inclusion of children with challenging behaviors or special needs, implementing health and safety best practices and/or supporting the unique needs of infants and toddlers in your care.

How can we help?

- Identify appropriate resource and referral information
- Provide hands-on support and modeling
- Provide information on topics related to inclusion, health and safety or infants and toddlers
- Help you access free resources and materials
- Develop an on-going relationship of support from trusted professionals

**CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION OR
TO CONNECT WITH A COACH**



OUR COACHES SUPPORT PROGRAMS



INCLUSION

- Supporting the successful inclusion and retention of a child with special needs and/or challenging behaviors
- Facilitating communication with parents when you have concerns about a child's development
- Environmental Accommodations
- Ideas for activities, routines, materials and instructional modifications



HEALTH & SAFETY

- Increasing your knowledge of licensing regulations and creating health and safety program policies
- Implementing health and safety best practices
- Identifying illness and injury prevention tactics
- Creating and modeling a safe and healthy environment for staff, children and families



INFANT & TODDLER

- Improving infant and toddler program quality
- Providing responsive and effective support
- Providing high-quality, useful and relevant infant and toddler resources and technical assistance
- Developing ideas for activities, routines, materials and instructional modifications specific to infant and toddlers

REFERRAL PROCESS FOR RBPD SUPPORTS

- Contact the intake line at 651-641-8339 or info@inclusivechildcare.org.
- CICC will connect with the child care program to learn more.
- The intake coordinator will assign a coach to best match the child care program's needs.
- The child care program and the coach will be connected to begin their partnership.