

EARLY LEARNING AND CHILD CARE SUBSIDY

SPECIAL NEEDS APPLICATION

This form may be completed by a physician, psychiatrist, social worker, child development specialist or other qualified professional that can speak to the need(s) of your child, and has the appropriate training and skills to make the recommendation. If the qualified professional is unable to complete the form, ensure the information is obtained in a letter from the professional.

| Applicant first name | Applicant last name | |
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| Name(s) of child(ren) | | |
| The above-named applicant has applied for an Early Learning and Child Care Subsidy for his/her child(ren) to attend a early learning and child care facility under one or more of the following special needs. Check at least one applicable area and give an explanation of the special need. The information provided will be used to access the need for early learning and child care. More than one area may apply. If necessary, you may attach additional documentation to this application. | | |
| ☐ Early learning and child care is arranged or recommended by the department as part of a child protection service. (Typically recommended by a social worker or Family and Children's Services. Maximum 6 months of care.) | | |
| ☐ Early learning and child care is required on the basis of an individual assessment of special needs of the family or the child. (Typically recommended by a physician, nurse, social worker, support worker, child development specialist. Maximum 6 months of care.) | | |
| ☐ Early learning and child care is required for respite purposes. (Typically recommended by a physician or social worker. Maximum 3 months of care.) | | |
| □ Early learning and child care is required to enhance the physical, social or cultural environment to aid in the development of the child. Explain how the child will benefit from being enrolled in early learning and child care. (This must be accompanied with an Individual Program Plan (IPP). Most often filled out and recommended by a professional at the Child Development Centre. Maximum 6 months of care.) | | |
| ☐ Emergency early learning and child care services are required to meet a short-term family crisis. (Typically recommended by a physician, support worker or social worker. Maximum 1 month of care.) | | |
| Explain the selection(s) above | | |
| To be completed by professional completing this form | | |
| Name of professional | Title | Phone |
| Early learning and child care is recommended for hours per day, days per week | Total length of time (as per maximums identified above) | |
| Declaration: I hereby declare that to the best of my/our knowledge and belief the above information is true and I give permission to the Department of Education to verify the above information in any way necessary. | | |
| Signature | | Date YYYY/MM/DD |
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Mailing address

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