

RESOURCES FOR CHILD CARE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

- **Office of Child Care (OCC)**

The Office of Child Care (OCC) is responsible for licensing and monitoring all child care centers and family child care providers in Maryland. The Office of Child Care (OCC) also administers Maryland's subsidized child care program for working families and administers the state's Child Care Credentialing System.

www.marylandpublicschools.org/MSDE/divisions/child_care/child_care.htm

Regional OCC Offices

Region I – Anne Arundel County Phone: 410-514-7850	Region VIII – Upper Shore (Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot) Phone: 410-819-5801
Region II – Baltimore City Phone: 410-554-8300	Region IX – Lower Shore (Somerset, Wicomico, Worcester) Phone: 410-713-3430
Region III – Baltimore County Phone: 410-583-6200	Region X – Southern Tri-County (Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's) Phone: 301-475-3770
Region IV – Prince George's County Phone: 301-333-6940	Region XI – North Central (Harford, Cecil) Phone: 410-273-7655
Region V – Montgomery County Phone: 240-314-1400	Region XII – Frederick County Phone: 301-696-9766
Region VI – Howard County Phone: 410-750-8771	Region XIII – Carroll County Phone: 410-751-5438
Region VII – Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett, Washington) Phone: 310-791-4585	

- **Maryland Committee for Children**

Maryland Committee for Children (MCC) and the Maryland Child Care Resource Network (MCCRN), a statewide network of local child care resource centers, works with parents, child care providers, advocates, employers and policymakers to develop of a strong system of quality child care, early education, and family support.

- **Service Corp of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

The SCORE Association is a nonprofit association dedicated to entrepreneur education and the formation, growth and success of small business nationwide. SCORE is a resource partner with the U.S. Small Business Administration.

1-800-634-0245

www.score.org

Annapolis - 410-266-9553 www.score390.org

Baltimore – 410-962-2233 www.scorebaltimore.org

Frederick – 240-215-4757 www.scorefrederick.org

Chestertown – 410-810-0021 www.easternshorescore.org

- **Child and Adult Food Care Program (CACFP)**

The Child and Adult Care Food Program provides funding for meals and snacks served in participating child care facilities.

www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Care

www.marylandpublicschools.org/NR/rdonlyres/56CF42F8-C900-4C4D-A576-7FE1B8AD5087/7110/newFCCFactSheetPub.pdf

- **Maryland State Department of Education**

The Maryland State Department of Education provides resources for teachers, early childhood quality enhancement programs, and credentialing and accreditation programs.

410-767-0100

www.msde.state.md.us

- **Small Business Development Centers**

The Maryland Small Business Development Center Network assists small business owners to establish, manage and expand their businesses.

www.mdsbdc.umd.edu

- Additional helpful websites:

National Child Care Information Center www.nccic.org

National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies www.naccrra.org

Maryland State Family Child Care Association www.msfccca.org