

Year of the Air Force
Family



WELCOME!

The Family Child Care program is pleased with your interest in our program! Air Force believes that high quality child care is essential for young children, and has set guidelines to ensure that these needs are being met. We welcome you to come into the FCC office located in Bldg 602 or call 652-4400

How To Find A Provider....

Please review the FCC Referral List to see which factors meet your needs. After you have selected your options, contact the providers to discuss vacancies, fees, and contract policies. Since each home functions as a personal business, the providers may determine the fees and contract policies. Under AF instruction, the family childcare providers are private entrepreneurs, and base officials may not regulate the fees that providers charge for their services. Each home listed is licensed and in compliance with their licensed standards.

Functions of the FCC Office

The Family Child Care office oversees the licensed homes on Nellis Terrace and Manch Manor. They inspect the homes at least monthly to ensure that health, safety, food program, and developmental needs are in compliance with Air Force guidelines. The Youth Flight Program Training and Curriculum Specialists mentor the providers in their modules and developmental needs of the children and home.

FCC Programs

Subsidy Care:

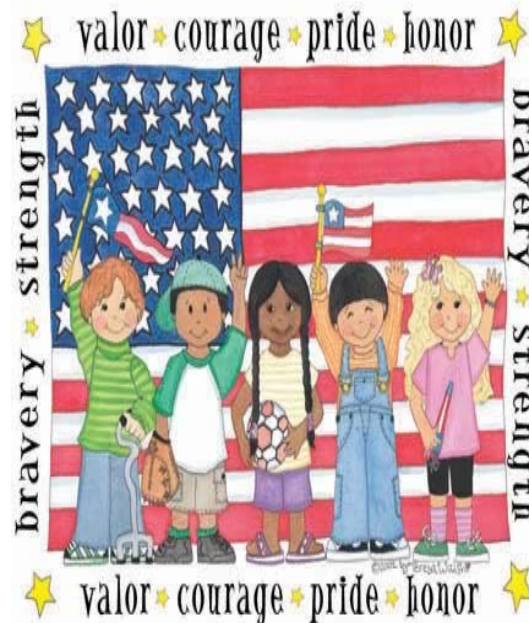
The AF FCC Subsidy program is meant to help with the cost of child care within FCC homes. For participating providers, their weekly payments are paid thru a combination of parent fees and a reimbursement from AF. Parent's fees are calculated using their Total Family Income and then set to one of six payment categories.

Extended Duty Care:

The EDC program assist parents who have to work extra duty outside of their normal 50 hour per week child care arrangement. Once reservation and supervisor verification forms are received, a provider is located and child care is provided free of charge to the parent.

Returning Home Care:

The RHC program offers 16 hours of free care per child to military members returning home from a deployment. Member must be deployed 30 days or more in direct support of Global War on Terrorism. Provide a copy of orders to the FCC office and complete a reservation form.



PCS Care & Volunteer Care

Families PCSing in or out of Nellis, are eligible to receive 20 free hours of child care per child in our FCC homes. Simply bring a copy of your PCS orders to the Airman and Family Readiness Center to get your certificate. The AFRC also sponsors free child care for volunteers.

Child Development Center Waiting list:

The FCC office manages the CDC waiting list. If you want to place your child on the CDC waiting list, please stop by either CDC's to complete a DD 2606 form and pay the \$10 holding fee. The CDC's will forward the form to our office and you will be placed on the list according to date of payment. The waiting list coordinator will contact you to let you know your placement and assist you with locating other child care arrangements.

SEEKING LICENSED FCC PROVIDERS

Job Opportunities Abound: Are you tired of the same ins and outs of your job? Do you miss being with your children and want to stay at home with them while they are young?

Consider being a FCC Provider and get the best of both worlds — stay at home and yet still contribute to the family income.

If you live off base, you can become affiliated and receive the same privileges of on base providers e.g. listed on provider referral listing, use of the Lending Library, trainings, USDA reimbursements, etc.

There is always a need for providers who are willing to provide care for shift working families, children with special needs and infant care.

Maps: Maps of the provider's homes are available upon request. As a courtesy, please do not show up to their home without calling them prior.