

We can all do our part to help children and staff at childcare and early education centers stay healthy and safe while Philadelphia reopens with care.

Here's what to expect:

## Childcare centers:

### Promote healthy habits

- All staff wear masks
- Staff and children wash hands frequently
- Centers screen children and staff for symptoms
- Centers frequently clean and disinfect surfaces and supplies

### Promote social distancing

- No field trips
- No trips to public playgrounds
- Children only interact with the children in their classroom
- Increase space between cribs/rest mats
- Limit classroom size to less than 22 people (teachers and students)

## Parents and guardians:

### Promote healthy habits

- Wear a mask
- Provide daily family health updates
- Clean bedding and other items that touch your child's skin at least weekly

### Promote social distancing

- Staying 6 feet away from others
- Drop off and pick up your child at the scheduled time

### Keep children home if sick or exposed to COVID-19:

- If a child has symptoms of COVID-like illness, their caregivers will not send him/her to the center
- If someone in the child's home has symptoms of COVID, that person will get tested
- If a child was exposed to someone with COVID-19, they will stay home for 14 days



*COVID-like illness is defined as cough, shortness of breath, or any 2 of the following symptoms: fever, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell.*

For more information about COVID-19 visit [www.phila.gov/covid-19](http://www.phila.gov/covid-19) or call (800) 722-7112

Find childcare: Early Learning Resource Center (215) 382-4762

To read the full childcare guide and other reopening guidance visit [www.phila.gov/reopen](http://www.phila.gov/reopen)