



CHILD CARE
LICENSING BUREAU

ACCESS FAIRS

Have you considered becoming a licensed child care provider?

Michigan needs **YOU**: professionals with a passion for children to open child care facilities.

Why Now?

The State of Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) Child Care Licensing Bureau (CCLB) will be hosting Access Fairs across the state this Fall and Spring. The fairs will bring together all the essential elements of child care licensing to speed up the licensing process to quickly fill the child care need in your area. Child care providers play such an important role in supporting children, families, and community.

Free Giveaways!

If you attend an Access Fair and become a licensed child care provider, you will be able to save over a thousand dollars off your business startup costs. The savings include:

- Up to \$750 reimbursed for compliance startup costs for new businesses;
- FREE Hot Spots (users will need an AT&T contract);
- FREE Radon test kits;
- FREE background checks;
- FREE professional development.

Where are the fairs?

Westside Detroit – Northwest Activities Center:

18100 Meyers Rd., Detroit, MI
October 23, 2021, 11am-1pm

Eastside Detroit – Farwell Recreation Center:

2711 Outer Dr. E., Detroit, MI 48234
November 6, 2021, 12:30pm-2:30pm

Need more information?

If you have questions, please contact the CCLB at (517) 284-9730 [or CCLBHelp@michigan.gov](mailto:CCLBHelp@michigan.gov).

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