

Child care and early learning e-newsletter

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Welcome to The Regional Municipality of Durham's Child Care and Early Learning updates e-newsletter. These e-newsletters provide licensed child care operators in Durham Region with updated information related to child care.

This edition includes the following topics:

COVID-19 operational guidance updates

Resumption of EarlyON indoor programming

COVID-19 Case and Contact Information Hub

COVID-19 operational guidance updates

[Operational Guidance for EarlyON Child and Family Centres](#), in addition to the [Operational Guidance for Child Care](#) have been updated by the Ministry of Education effective February 7, 2022. Updates have been made to the requirements for immunization disclosure policies, the use of masks and personal protective equipment (PPE), outbreak management, reporting of confirmed cases to the Ministry of Education, and space set-up and physical distancing considerations.

Please refer to the beginning of the document for details highlighting the changes made to these areas.

The [Operational Guidance for Before and After School Programs](#) has been updated effective February 9, 2022. The updates reflect best practices to operate with enhanced health and safety protocols for COVID-19.

Resumption of EarlyON indoor programming

Indoor programming for EarlyON Child and Family Centres will be reopening effective March 1, 2022 at a 50% capacity.

COVID-19 Case and Contact Information Hub

As a reminder, for further information and questions and answers on COVID-19, please refer to the [Region of Durham COVID-19 Case and Contact Information Hub](#).