

What is the Growing, Learning, & Caring Project?

Are you currently providing child care for a relative or friend? If so, you are eligible to participate in a new program that offers support, trainings and incentives to informal or license exempt child care providers. Participants may choose from 5 options: License Exempt Orientation, Home Visit, Health & Safety, Training, or Licensing. Each option offers free training, community resources, technical assistance, career counseling and incentives. Participants can receive incentives valued up to \$260.



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Make a difference in a child's life.



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Growing, Learning, & Caring

Sierra Nevada Children's Services' Growing, Learning & Caring Project gives informal caregivers of Nevada County support and the opportunity to participate in educational and professional development activities related to child development. Community resources, technical assistance, career counseling and incentives are available to participants.



OPPORTUNITIES

- Home Visits
- Access to SNCS Lending Library
- Free Trainings and Workshops
- Health & Safety Training
- CPR/First Aid Certification
- Child Development Training
- Professional Development Training
- Licensing Assistance
- Career Counseling

THE OPTIONS PROGRAM

Option 1: License Exempt Orientation

The License Exempt Orientation will introduce requirements and resources available to license exempt providers. Fingerprinting costs (up to \$10) will be reimbursed to participants completing the criminal background check for the Trustline clearance process.

Option 2: Home Visit

The Home Visit option is for license exempt child care providers who would like a home visit by the LEP Coordinator. During this visit providers will receive a resource bag with fun activities for the children in care and a first aid and safety kit—valued up to \$25.

Option 3: Health & Safety

The Health and Safety option is for license exempt child care providers who would like to attend the Pediatric Medic First Aid & CPR and the Preventative Health & Safety Practices courses. Upon completion of these courses providers will be eligible for a reimbursement of course fees up to \$120.

Option 4: Training

The Training option is for license exempt providers who would like to participate in trainings and activities offered by the Professional Development Training Calendar. Upon completion of 10 hours of trainings, participants will be eligible for resource books or equipment valued up to \$20.

Option 5: Licensing

The Licensing option is for license exempt providers who would like to pursue a license to operate a Family Child Care. Technical assistance, career counseling and professional development opportunities are available to support individuals through the licensing process. Participants are eligible to receive reimbursement of licensing fees up to \$85.

Participants may choose any or all of the 5 options. Incentives are limited and awarded while funding is available.

Contact Information

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A hundred years from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in, or the kind of car I drove, but the world might be different because I was important in the life of a child.

— ANONYMOUS

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