NEW YORK STATE

OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

**ENROLLMENT FORM FOR PROVIDER OF LEGALLY-EXEMPT IN-HOME CHILD CARE AND LEGALLY-EXEMPT FAMILY CHILD CARE**

**Informal child care refers to child care provided in a residence, which is not required to be licensed or registered pursuant to section 390 of the Social Services Law. This includes both family child care and in-home child care.**

**What kind of child care is being provided? Choose one of the following and complete sections indicated.**

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| **Child Care Location** | **Provider’s Relationship to Children in Care** | **Type of Child Care** | **Complete Sections** |
| All children in care live in the home where care is provided | Provider is related to **ALL** children as grandparent, great-grandparent, sibling (living in a separate residence), aunt, uncle | **Relative-Only In-Home Child Care** | All sections |
| Provider is **NOT** related to **ALL** children as grandparent, great-grandparent, sibling (living in a separate residence), aunt, uncle | **In-Home Child Care** | All sections except 6 and 9 |
| None of the children live in the home where care is provided  **OR**  only some of the children live in the home where care is provided | Provider is related to **ALL** children as grandparent, great-grandparent, sibling (living in a separate residence), aunt, uncle | **Relative-Only Family Child Care** | All sections |
| Provider is **NOT** related to **ALL** children as grandparent, great-grandparent, sibling (living in a separate residence), aunt, uncle | **Family Child Care** | All sections except 6 and 9 |

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| **(For Enrollment Agency Use)**  Received Date:       /       /       Complete Date:       /       /       CCFS ID: |

**Section 1: Provider Information**

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| **Provider Information:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Name:** First | | Last (Please include any ALIASES or MAIDEN names in parentheses) | | | | | | | | | | MI | Suffix |
| Gender | Date of Birth        /       / | | Social Security Number (optional) | | | E-mail Address | | | | | | | |
| Home Address: Street Address | | | | Apt /Flr # | City | | | State | Zip Code | | County | | |
| Mailing Address: Street Address/P.O. Box  Same as above | | | | Apt /Flr # | City | | | State | | Zip Code | | | |
| Site Address: Street Address  Same as above | | | | Apt /Flr # | City | | | State | Zip Code | | County | | |
| Another provider is enrolled to provide care at same residence | | | Name of such other enrolled provider | | | | Have you ever been previously enrolled?  Yes  No  If yes, please write your Enrollment ID: | | | | | | |
| Preferred Language | | | | Site Phone  (     )       - | | | | | Other phone number: Home or Cell  (     )       - | | | | |

**Section 2: Parent/Caretaker Information**

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| **Parent/Caretaker Information:** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Name:** First | | Last (Please include any ALIASES or MAIDEN names in parentheses) | | | | | | | MI | | Suffix | | |
| Date of Birth        /       / | Gender | | Home Phone  (     )       - | | | | | | Work Phone  (     )       - | | | | |
| Cell Phone  (     )       - | | | E-mail Address | | | | | | | | | | |
| Home Address: Street Address | | | Apt /Flr # | | City | | State | Zip Code | | | | County | |
| Mailing Address: Street Address/P.O. Box  Same as above | | | | Apt /Flr # | | City | | | | State | | | Zip Code |
| Subsidy Paying County | | | Preferred Language | | | | | | | | | | |

**Section 3: Children Receiving Subsidy**

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| **Child’s Full Name** | | | | | | | **Gender** | | **Date of Birth** | | | **Parent’s Name** | | | | | | | |
| **First** | | | **Last** | | | | **First** | | | | **Last** | | | **M** |
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| **Schedule of Child Care\*** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Mon** | | | **Tues** | | **Wed** | | | | **Thurs** | | | **Fri** | | **Sat** | | | **Sun** | |
| Drop-Off |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm | |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |
| Pickup |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm | |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |
| Provider’s relationship to the child: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Who will be responsible for meals/snacks? (Check one.)  Provider  Parent | | | | | | | | | Who will administer medication? (Check one.)  Provider (must meet requirements as stated in the instructions)  Parent | | | | | | | | | | |

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| **Child’s Full Name** | | | | | | | **Gender** | | **Date of Birth** | | | | **Parent’s Name** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Schedule of Child Care\*** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Drop-Off |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm | | |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | | am  pm |
| Pickup |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm | | |  | am  pm | |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | | am  pm |
| Provider’s relationship to the child: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Who will be responsible for meals/snacks? (check one)  Provider  Parent | | | | | | | | | | Who will be responsible for medication administration? (check one)  Provider (must meet requirements as stated in the instructions)  Parent | | | | | | | | | | | |

**\*** If the schedule varies, you ***must*** provide a schedule for a typical week of care for the child.

**Section 4: Other Children in Care**  Not Applicable

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| **Child’s First Name** | | | | | | | | | | | | **Age** | | | |
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| Provider’s relationship to the child: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Schedule of Child Care** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Mon** | | **Tues** | | **Wed** | | **Thurs** | | **Fri** | | **Sat** | | | **Sun** | |
| Drop-Off |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |
| Pickup |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |

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| **Child’s First Name** | | | | | | | | | | | | **Age** | | | |
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| Provider’s relationship to the child: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Schedule of Child Care** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  | **Mon** | | **Tues** | | **Wed** | | **Thurs** | | **Fri** | | **Sat** | | | **Sun** | |
| Drop-Off |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |
| Pickup |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | am  pm |  | | am  pm |  | am  pm |

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| **How many of the provider’s own children are at the child care site during child care hours?** | |
| **Number of Children** | **List the ages of all providers’ own children at child care site.** |
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**Section 5: ALL Provider Formal Child Care History**

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| *\*If you select yes to questions 1 or 2 below, you must complete the relevant questions in Section 11, and provide the required true and accurate information.* | **Yes** | **No** |
| 1. Have you everhad an application for a license or registration to operate a child day care program denied? |  |  |
| 1. Have you everhad a license or registration to operate a child day care program revoked, limited or suspended? |  |  |

**Section 6: Relative-Only Provider−Child Abuse/Maltreatment and Criminal History Disclosure**

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| *\*If you select yes to questions 1,2, or 3 below, you must complete the relevant questions in Section 11, and provide the required true and accurate information.* | **Yes** | **No** |
| 1. Have you ever had your parental rights terminated under Social Services Law 384b or equivalent legal authority? |  |  |
| 1. Have you ever had a child(ren) removed from your care by court order in a proceeding under Article 10 of the Family Court Act? |  |  |
| 1. Have you everbeenconvicted of a crime in the State of New York or any other jurisdiction? |  |  |
| 1. I have never been the subject of an indicated report of child abuse and maltreatment,   **OR**  I have been the subject of an indicated child abuse and maltreatment case and have provided the parent/caretaker with true and accurate descriptions of the incident and the date of the indication. |  |  |

**Section 7: Provider Training Requirements**

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| **Preservice Training (Select one.)** | |
|  | I am required to complete preservice training and I have attached my certificate of completion. |
|  | I previously enrolled as a provider and have submitted my certificate to this enrollment agency. |
|  | Not applicable. I am a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider. |
| **Enhanced Rate Training (Select one.)** | |
|  | I have attached my certificates of completion as proof of eligibility for the enhanced rate. |
|  | Not applicable. I am not applying for the enhanced rate. |
| **Annual Training (Select one.)** | |
|  | I have attached my certificates of completion as proof of my completion of annual training. |
|  | Not applicable. I am not yet enrolled as a legally-exempt provider. |
|  | Not applicable. I am a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider. |

**Section 8: Employees, Volunteers, and Family Child Care Household Members**

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| **THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS FOR IN-HOME CHILD CARE.**  ***Only complete this section if you have employees, volunteers, or household members age 18 or older.***  List all employees and volunteers.  For relative-only family child care and family child care, list all person’s age 18 and older residing in the home where family child care is provided.  **Not Applicable** | | | | | |
| **Full Name** | | | **Role** | **Date of Birth** | **Related to Child** |
| **First** | **Last** | **M** |
|  |  |  | Employee  Volunteer  Household Member | /       / | Yes, if yes, how?  No |
|  |  |  | Employee  Volunteer  Household Member | /       / | Yes, if yes, how?  No |
|  |  |  | Employee  Volunteer  Household Member | /       / | Yes, if yes, how?  No |

**Section 9: Employees, Volunteers, and Household Members Relevant History**

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| ***Only complete this section if you are relative-only in-home child care and have employees or volunteers OR if you are relative-only family child care and have employees, volunteers, or household members over the age of 18 residing in your home.*** | | |
| *\*If you select yes to question 1 below, you must complete Section 11, and provide the required true and accurate information.* | **Yes** | **No** |
| 1. Have any of your employees, volunteers, persons over the age of 18 residing in your home where child care is provided been convicted of a crime in the State of New York or any other jurisdiction? |  |  |
| 1. I have asked my employees, volunteers, and persons over the age of 18 residing in the home where child care is provided if they have been the subject of a case of indicated child abuse and maltreatment, **AND** they have never been the subject of an indicated report of child abuse or maltreatment, **OR** they have been the subject of an indicated report of child abuse and maltreatment, and I provided the parent/caretaker with true and accurate descriptions of the incident and the date of indication. |  |  |

**Section 10: Employee and Volunteer Training Requirements**

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| **Employee and Volunteer Preservice Training (Select one.)** | |
|  | All employees and volunteers have completed preservice training and a copy of certificate of completion will be kept on-site. |
|  | Not applicable. Provider is related to every child receiving subsidy in care. |
|  | Not applicable. Provider does not have employees or volunteers. |
| **Employee and Volunteer Annual Training (Select one.)** | |
|  | All employees and volunteers have completed an additional five hours of annual training and a copy of certificates of completion will be kept on- site. |
|  | Not applicable. Provider is related to every child receiving subsidy in care. |
|  | Not applicable. Provider does not have employees or volunteers. |

**Section 11: History/Background Acknowledgements**

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| **History of Day Care Enforcement (Section 5)** | |
| Name of day care program having enforcement action:  Location:  Type(s) of enforcement action (Check all that apply.):  Denied  Revoked  Suspended  Limited  Dates of enforcement actions:  Description/reason for enforcement action: | |
| **History of Criminal Convictions (Section 6, 9)**  **Relative-Only In-Home and Relative-Only Family Child Care Provider and Employees, Volunteers, and Adult Household Members** | |
| Name of individual with criminal conviction:  Specify the crime(s):  Disposition date and penalty imposed: | |
| **History of Termination of Parental Rights and/or Court-Ordered Article 10 Removal of a Child (Section 6)**  **Relative-Only In-Home and Relative-Only Family Child Care-*applies to* *provider only*** | |
| Date(s) of removal/termination:       /       / | Name of court: |
| County: | State: |
| Type of court involvement (Check all that apply.)  Judicial Termination of Parental Rights Under Social Services Law 384-b  Court-Ordered Removal of a Child Under Article 10 of the Family Court Act (Child Protective) | |
| Reasons underlying the loss of parental/custodial rights | |

**Section 12: Provider Certification**

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| **To the best of my knowledge, I hereby affirm that the information provided on this form is true and complete. I understand that the information is subject to verification and that making a materially false statement or affirmation may result in denial or termination of the enrollment, social services terminating child care subsidy payments, and/or legal action against the provider for deliberately presenting false or misleading information.** | |
| Signature of Provider: | Date:        /       / |

**Section 13: Parent/Caretaker Certification**

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| **To the best of my knowledge, I hereby affirm that the information provided on this form is true and complete. I understand that the information is subject to verification and that making a materially false statement or affirmation may result in denial or termination of the enrollment, social services terminating child care subsidy payments, and/or legal action against the parent/caretaker for deliberately presenting false or misleading information.** | |
| Signature of Parent/Caretaker: | Date:        /       / |

***Detach here and retain for your own records.***

**Section 14: Provider Attestations and Agreements**

**By signing this enrollment application, the provider attests and agrees to the following:**

**ALL Providers:**

* I have reviewed the Health and Safety Requirements listed in 18 NYCRR 415 and agree to meet and continue to meet all requirements.
* I will immediately notify the enrollment agency and the parent/caretaker if there are changes to any section of this enrollment form.
* I agree to collect the family share (fee) if instructed to do so by the local social services district. I will immediately notify the local social services district if the parent/caretaker fails to pay the required family share.
* I understand that I must not charge parents more for the cost of child care for children receiving subsidy than for children not receiving subsidy.
* I understand that I will not be paid by the local social services district for any child care that I provide to a child(ren) receiving a child care subsidy while I am deemed an ineligible provider by the enrollment agency.
* I understand that if I provide care in a child’s own home, I am employed by the parent/caretaker, and the parent/caretaker is responsible to pay my wages, benefits, and all applicable federal and state employment taxes.
* I understand that I must be enrolled with an enrollment agency before any payment may be made.
* I understand that if the enrollment agency determines I cannot be enrolled, then the local social services district cannot issue payment for care that I have provided. The parent/caretaker has the right and responsibility to decide whether they want to use my child care services. If the parent/caretaker chooses to use my child care services when I cannot be enrolled, I can hold the parent/caretaker responsible to pay me for the child care.
* I have reviewed the Parent/Caretaker Attestations and Agreements in Section 15 and agree with all requirements of the parent/caretaker.

**Relative-Only In-Home Child Care Providers and Relative-only Family Child Care Providers:**

**I understand that:**

* I must be related to all children in care as either a grandparent, great-grandparent, sibling living in separate residence, aunt or uncle, and have indicated such relationship to all children in Section 3 of this form.
* I must ask all employees, volunteers, and, for relative-only family child care, adult household members if they have been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony in the State of New York or any other jurisdiction.
* If I or any such individuals have been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony, I am required to provide true and accurate information about the crime to enable the parent/caretaker and enrollment agency to evaluate whether the criminal background poses an unreasonable risk to the safety or welfare of the child.
* I must not be enrolled as a relative-only in-home or family child care provider if I, an employee, volunteer, or for relative-only family child care, adult household member has been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony against a child.
* I *may* not be enrolled as a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider if I have been, or if I employ a person or use a volunteer who has been, or for relative-only family child care, live with an adult household member who has been convicted of misdemeanor or felony other than crimes against a child, unless the enrollment agency finds the circumstances are consistent with guidelines issued by OCFS for evaluating such criminal conviction records.
* I must not be enrolled as a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider if I knowingly make materially false statements in connection with a criminal background history or refuse to cooperate with the criminal history evaluation.
* I must provide the information for myself, any employees or volunteers, and for relative only family child care, any adult household member, to allow the enrollment agency to conduct a check of the New York State Sex Offender Registry maintained by the New Yok State Division of Criminal Justice Services, via the registry’s toll-free telephone number to determine if such person is listed on the New York State Sex Offender Registry.
* I must not be enrolled as a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider if any such individual, is listed on the New York State Sex Offender Registry.

**Section 15: Parent/Caretaker Attestations and Agreements**

**By signing this form, the parent/caretaker attests and agrees to the following:**

* I have reviewed the Health and Safety Requirements listed in **18 NYCRR 415** and agree that the provider must meet and continue to meet all requirements.
* My child care program must give me unlimited and on demand access including:
  + Access to my child(ren).
  + The right to inspect, at any time during the hours of operation, all parts of the facility used for child care or which could present a hazard to the health and/or safety of my child(ren).
  + Access to the staff for my child(ren).
  + Access to written records about my child(ren) except when otherwise restricted by law.
* I will notify the enrollment agency immediately if
  + my address or phone number changes, or
  + I have any concerns about the health and safety of my child(ren) in the program’s care.
* I understand that this enrollment applies ONLY to the provider and the location of care listed in Section 1. If the provider OR the location of care changes, this enrollment ends, and I must submit a new enrollment form for the new provider or the new location.
* I will immediately notify the local social services district and the provider if the hours that I need child care or other circumstances related to my need or eligibility for child care change.
* I agree to pay my family share, if any, as directed by the local social services district.
* I understand that if the provider is denied enrollment or has his or her enrollment terminated, the provider will be considered ineligible to provide child care. The local social services district cannot pay the provider or issue payment for the care given by a provider who cannot be enrolled or who is ineligible.
  + If I choose to use an ineligible provider, I am responsible to pay for the child care.
  + I understand I have the right to select another provider.
* If I choose a provider to provide care in my home, I am the sole employer of the provider. As the sole employer I am responsible for paying minimum wage and benefits to the provider as well as all applicable federal and state employment taxes required. I also understand that any child care benefit for which I am eligible may not cover the entire cost of care, and I am responsible for the costs the child care benefit does not cover.
* If the provider is denied enrollment or has their enrollment terminated, the provider will be considered ineligible to provide child care.
* If I selected a relative-only in-home or relative-only family child care provider, the provider must inform me if he/she, any employees or volunteers, or for family child care, any adult household member, has been the subject of an indicated report of child abuse and maltreatment. In circumstances when a provider has disclosed to me that he/she has been indicated as the subject of child abuse and maltreatment, I have received detailed information pertaining to the incident, AND I have carefully considered the information and I am selecting this provider.
* I have reviewed the Provider Attestations and Agreements in Section 14 and understand and agree with all requirements of the provider.