

Check our helpful resources

Head Start

Head Start & Early Head Start:
<https://www.hcapweb.org/headstart/>
(808) 847-2400

POD

Preschool Open Doors (POD) for 3- and 4-year-old children prior to kindergarten entry:
<https://www.patchhawaii.org/programs/preschool-open-doors/>

CC R&R

Locate a child care provider in your community and receive information and referrals through Child Care Resource and Referral:
<https://www.patchhawaii.org>

TANF

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families: <https://humanservices.hawaii.gov/bessd/tanf/>
(855) 643-1643

SNAP

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: <https://humanservices.hawaii.gov/bessd/snap/>
(855) 643-1643

H-HEAP

Home Energy Assistance Program: <https://humanservices.hawaii.gov/bessd/>

WIC

Women, Infants, and Children:
<https://health.hawaii.gov/wic/>
(808) 586-8175 or
1-888-820-6425 (toll-free)

Get in touch!

855-643-1643

Visit the Public Assistance Information System to learn more about Child Care Subsidy.

Apply online at

<https://childcaresubsidyapplication.dhs.hawaii.gov/>



Apply Now!



CHILD CARE SUBSIDY

*Department of Human Services
Benefit, Employment and
Support Services Division*

Child Care Subsidy Unit
94-275 Mokuola St., Room 105
Waipahu, Hawaii 96797
Email: HawaiiCCSU@dhs.hawaii.gov
Visit:
<https://humanservices.hawaii.gov/bessd/ccch-subsidies/>

Vision & Mission

Our Vision:

The people of Hawaii are thriving.

Our Mission:

To encourage self-sufficiency and support the well being of individuals, families, and communities in Hawaii.

The Child Care Subsidy Program in Hawaii supports low- to moderate-income families by subsidizing child care provided by approved providers, enabling parents to work, pursue education, or job training.



Child Care Subsidies:

Families must meet specific income and activity criteria to be eligible for the Child Care Subsidy Program.

Each family selects their child care provider based on their unique needs and preferences. Providers must meet DHS health and safety standards, including background checks, training, and inspections.

Child care subsidy payments depend on provider type, family co-payments, DHS sliding fee scale, family size, and gross monthly income.

How can I apply for Child Care Subsidy?

You can apply online through the designated website or submit the application by mail or email to the Child Care Subsidy Unit.

Submit your application.

Please complete all required fields and submit your application along with the necessary eligibility documents.

