

The Employment Related Day Care program is using a waitlist after November 3, 2023, but there are resources to support you while the program is closed.

211 and Early Learning Hubs can assist you in learning more about child care resources available in your area.

Contact 211 by:

- ♥ Dialing 211 or 1-866-698-6155
- ♥ Texting "children" to 898211
- ♥ Emailing children@211info.org – response within 24 hours

The Department of Early Learning and Care (DELC) offers several affordable, high-quality early learning and care programs. Income-eligible families with children under 5 years old may be able to get support paying for child care through:

Preschool Promise (PSP): PSP is a high-quality preschool program available to Oregon families with limited incomes. The program serves children ages 3 to 5 in a variety of educational settings. The Early Learning Hub in your community can help you determine if Preschool Promise might be an option for your family.

2023 PSP Income Limits	
Number in Family Group	Gross Monthly Income Limit
2	\$3,287
3	\$4,144
4	\$5,000
5	\$5,857
6	\$6,714

Child care assistance programs in your area may not have space or meet your needs, especially if you have school-age children. While the ERDC waitlist is in effect, see if you qualify for other benefits like cash, medical and food assistance. You can do this:

- ♥ Online at Benefits.Oregon.gov
- ♥ By calling 1-800-699-9075 to complete an application by phone
- ♥ At your local Oregon Department of Human Services office



Find contact information for your local Early Learning Hub at:



Oregon Prenatal to Kindergarten (OPK)

(OPK): OPK, also called Head Start, provides high-quality early care and education to families with limited incomes. OPK offers preschool, infant and toddler care, and family support services in every county. Children in foster care, children experiencing homelessness, and children from families receiving public assistance (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, Supplemental Security Income or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) are eligible regardless of income.

2023 OPK Income Limits	
Number in Family Group	Gross Monthly Income Limit
2	\$1,643
3	\$2,072
4	\$2,500
5	\$2,928
6	\$3,357

Find an OPK Program:

