

<p>Health and Safety Checklists For Supporting FCC Providers (12/5/22)</p>	 <p>CONNECTICUT NURSES ASSOCIATION</p>	

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Take Note



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Learning Outcomes

At the end of this training, staffed family child care network (SFCCN) staff will be able to:

- Locate one research-based family child care (FCC) health and safety checklist
- Identify at least one health or safety item to address with FCC providers



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Are you familiar with the nurse consultation services that CTNurses' provide SFCCN staff and FCC providers?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Somewhat



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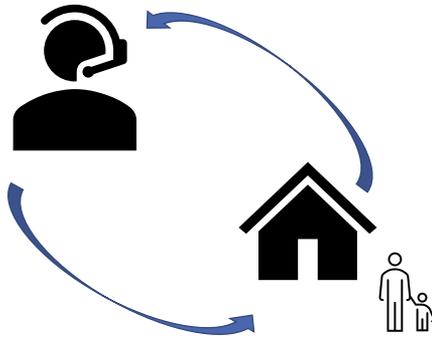
What % of FCC providers in your Network know about CTNurses' nurse consultation services? (Estimate please...)

1. 0 - 10%
2. 11 - 25%
3. 26 - 50%
4. 51 - 75%
5. More than 75%
6. I don't know



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10 Major Health & Safety Areas



1. Policies/Communication/Emergency Planning
2. Preventive Health: Wellness Care and Social Determinants of Health
3. Transportation
4. Daily Health Check
5. Care and Supervision: Ratios, Cohorts, Consistent Groups, and Infants
6. Personal Health Habits
7. Environmental Health and Prevention of Infectious Disease
8. Healthy Indoor Air
9. Cleaning, Sanitizing, and Disinfecting
10. Service Providers and Community Partners



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Policies/Communication/ Emergency Planning



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Preventive Health: Wellness Care and Social Determinants of Health



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Transportation



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Daily Health Checks

Communicate with families:

- Sick policy
- Exclusion policy



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Care and Supervision: Ratios



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Personal Health Habits



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Environmental Health, Prevention of Infectious Disease, and Healthy Indoor Air



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Cleaning, Sanitizing, and Disinfecting

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Caring For Our Children: National Health and Safety Performance Standards

Appendix K: Routine Schedule for Cleaning, Sanitizing and Disinfecting

- Programs may need to sanitize, or disinfect surfaces more often during illness outbreaks and should refer to state, local, tribal, or territorial health authorities and child care licensing for more information.
- Reducing the risk of infection also involves proper ventilation and air filtration, as some infectious diseases (viruses) are spread through the air and not on surfaces.
- Regular handwashing is one of the best ways to remove germs and prevent the spread of illness to others.

Surface/Area	Method			Timing				Comments
	Clean	Sanitize	Disinfect	Before Each Use	After Each Use (rest or fix)	Daily (rest or fix)	Weekly	
Food Preparation and Meal Service Areas: Use an EPA-registered product that is safe for surfaces that touch food.								
Food preparation surfaces and countertops CFOC 4.9.0.9 4.9.0.10	X	X		X	X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use a microfiber cloth or disposable paper towels. Do not use sponges.
Eating utensils and dishes CFOC 4.5.0.2 4.9.0.11 4.9.0.12 4.9.0.13	X	X			X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wash, rinse, and sanitize by hand OR Use dishwasher; set on sanitize setting.
Bottle feeding equipment CFOC 4.3.1.10	X	X			X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wash, rinse, and sanitize by hand OR Use dishwasher; set on sanitize setting. Squeeze water through nipple hole to be sure it is clean.
Highchair trays CFOC 4.5.0.2 9.2.3.12	X	X		X	X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Also, clean legs and frame when soiled.
Mixed-use tables CFOC 4.9.0.9	X	X		X	X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Also, clean legs and frame when soiled.
Food preparation equipment CFOC 4.9.0.9	X	X			X			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wash, rinse, and sanitize by hand OR Use dishwasher; set on sanitize setting.

Appendix K

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Service Providers and Community Partners

- SFCCN Staff
- CTNurses' nurse consultants



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Key Points

Research-based health and safety checklists can assist SFCCN staff:

- Identify health or safety item to address with FCC providers
- Identify resources or training materials needed to support FCC providers
- Select topics for CTNurses' to present at monthly FCC provider meetings.



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What's your next step?

Type in the chat one action step you plan to take with your FCC providers



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Resources

Caring for Our Children National Standards

<https://nrckids.org/CFOC/>

California Childcare Health Program (CCHP)

<https://cchp.ucsf.edu/content/cchp-health-and-safety-checklist>

The Office of Head Start Health and Safety Screener

<https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/pdf/chs-certification-fillableform.pdf>

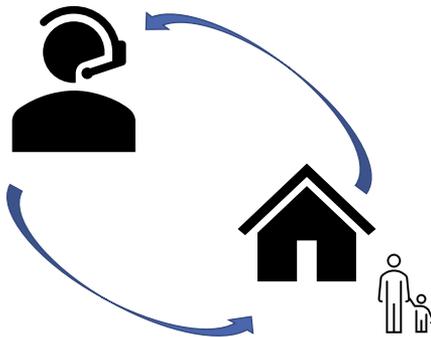


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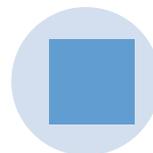
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