



## Child Care Assistance for families impacted by Covid-19

You may qualify for tuition assistance if your family has been negatively impacted by Covid-19. Families can complete an application and a declaration of Covid-19 with their current licensed child care provider. Children between the ages of 6 weeks – 6 years (Pre-Kindergarten) School age children are not eligible.

### Income Limits

Size of Household	80% of Lincoln Median Income
1	\$46,000
2	\$52,600
3	\$59,150
4	\$65,700
5	\$71,000
6	\$76,250
7	\$81,500

**To qualify, need must meet income guidelines, and need must be a result of COVID-19.**

- \*a reduction in salary as a result of the coronavirus
- \*reduced hours as a result of the coronavirus
- \*been furloughed as a result of the coronavirus
- \*been laid off as a result of the coronavirus
- \*been terminated as a result of the coronavirus
- \*been placed in alternate shelter as a result of health and safety, either self-isolation due to symptoms or to decrease shelter population as a result of coronavirus
- \*Experiencing homelessness (in shelter or unsheltered/place not meant for human habitation) and in need of assistance for the health and wellbeing of myself and others as a result of coronavirus.

#### Families must:

- Step 1: Complete a Lincoln Littles Application with your child care provider
- Step 2: Submit any supporting documents with the Application
- Step 3: Sign the Declaration of Covid-19
- Step 4: Return all documents to your child care provider
- Step 5: If approved, payments will be made directly to your child care provider

#### Family Home and Child Care Centers must:

- \*Be enrolled in Step Up to Quality at a Step 1 or higher
- \*Be Licensed and in good standing
- \*Be willing to serve children on Child Care Subsidy
  - Offer full-year, full-day child care
  - Submit the Family Application, proof of income, Covid Declaration, and billing spreadsheet to [lincolnlittles@lcf.org](mailto:lincolnlittles@lcf.org)

