## **Child Care Services Checklist**



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## CHILDCARE SERVICES CHECKLIST

## INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR CHILDCARE SERVICES (DEVELOPMENT & BUILDING PERMITS)

All of the following information is necessary to facilitate a thorough and timely evaluation and decision on your application.

To expedite the evaluation, all materials submitted must be clear, legible and precise. Accurate and legible drawings are required (rough sketches are not acceptable) in order to ensure that your application is processed accurately and in a timely manner. To achieve this level of customer service, Planning staff are instructed to accept only complete applications which include plans/drawings prepared to professional drafting standards.

If any of the required information is not provided, your application will not be accepted. The processing of your application will not proceed until the necessary information is submitted.

OFFICE	APPLICANT SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS					
		3	1.	APPLICATION FORM and FEES*		
		2	2.	SITE PLANS (3 Sets) – To scale and dimensioned (min. scale 1:500) showing:		
	[			North Arrow		
				Municipal Address and Legal Description (Lot, Block, Plan Number)		
	[			Dimensions of the Site (property lines)		
	[			Identification of all Streets and Lanes abutting the subject site		
				Vehicular Accesses (location and dimensions)		
				Parking and Drop Off/Pick Up Spaces with dimensions		
	] [			Loading Spaces (location and dimensions)		
	[			Location and size of all Buildings,		
	[			Location of the subject <b>Bay(s)</b> within the building that the proposed Use will occupy.		
	] [			Identification of all <b>Uses</b> and their <b>floor areas</b> within all buildings on site		
	Ī			Identification of <b>Outdoor Play Spaces</b> (location and dimensions, fencing type and height, play equipment and ground surfaces.		
		3	3.	FLOOR PLANS (3 Sets) – To scale and dimensioned (min. scale 1:100) showing:		
				Layout of interior and exterior walls of all floors		
	[			<b>Identification of all proposed/existing room uses</b> (ie. Number and ages of children per room, storage, office, seating areas, kitchen, staff rooms, washrooms, stairways, exit stairs, public corridors, mechanical rooms, etc.)		
	[			Location of Main Entrance to your facility		
	[			All doors, stairs and window (dimensions: width x height of glazed areas)		
	] [			Dimensions of rooms and floor areas		
	[			Location of Washrooms and # of toilets for each gender		
	[			Location of Sinks – in washrooms, diaper changing area, kitchen and toy cleaning etc		
	[			Demising wall(s) construction details (walls separating subject bay from adjoining bays)		
	[			Barriere-free access and washroom design. If barriere-free not accommodated, relaxation from the Province of Alberta may be required. See http://mahextranet.gov.ab.ca/apprelax/index.cfm		

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<sup>\*</sup>Please note that additional information may be required as considered necessary to enable permits to be issued\*



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Age Group	Staff/Kid Ratio	Proposed Kids
0-11 Months	1 Staff/3 Kids	
12-18 Months	1 Staff / 4 Kids	
19 Months- 3 Years	1 Staff / 6 Kids	
3 Years to 4.5 Years	1 Staff / 8 Kids	
4.5 Years- 7 Years	1 Staff / 10 Kids	
School Aged Children	1 Staff / 15 Kids	
TOTAL		
How much area (squar provided for <b>Indoor</b> pla		
How much area (squar provided for <b>Outdoor</b> p		

Applicant's signature is confirmation that all required	Applicant's signature is confirmation that all required information has been provided and is correct.							
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE	DATE:							
PLEASE PRINT NAME								

## Note:

The Children & Youth Services program with the Alberta Government is responsible for licensing Day Cares and out of School Care homes. Their definition of what a day care and Out of School care home is different from the definition that is provided under the Edmonton Zoning Bylaw for child care facilities. Anyone wishing to operate a child care facility should be contacting the Children & Youth Services program of the Alberta Government first to determine whether they require a license and/or other provisions for the operations they are proposing.

Once Children & Youth Services have discussed an applicant's submission, they will refer the applicant to the Current Planning Branch of the City of Edmonton to ensure that the activities being proposed will be allowed under the Edmonton Zoning Bylaw for that specific address.

The Edmonton Zoning Bylaw only requires that an applicant get Development approval if their operations meet the requirements established under the definition for Child Care Services in the Edmonton Zoning Bylaw:

Edmonton Zoning Bylaw's definition of Child Care Development is: a Development intended to provide care, educational activities and supervision for groups of seven or more children under 13 years of age during the day or evening, but does not generally include overnight accommodation. This use class typically includes daycare centres, out-of-school care centres: preschools: and dayhomes (providing childcare within the care provider's residence).

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