



Marion County Job & Family Services Licensed Child Care Provider List

This is a current list of home childcare providers and centers. It is important to us for you to find the childcare that is right for you and your child. Please review the information provided before making calls to the provider. Meet with as many providers as you feel necessary before making your decision. Be sure to take your child with you when you meet with a provider. This will give you a chance to see if your child seems comfortable in the childcare setting. **It is also important to note that some providers may only offer care Monday through Thursday, this information may play a role in your decision.**

Please be sure to make your provider selection before submitting your application for childcare assistance. Don't forget to verify that the provider has the openings for your child(ren).

Types of Child Care Providers:

- * **Type B Providers** are licensed by the Ohio Department of Job & Family Services and can care for up to 6 children in their home, with no more than 3 children under the age of 2 years in care at any time. Their own children, under the age of 6, are included in the total of 6 children. All adults in the provider's residence, their substitute provider(s) and staff members/employees have completed a criminal background check that includes fingerprinting. Licensed providers, their substitute provider(s) and childcare staff members must complete yearly training and the provider's home is inspected at least twice per year. Type B providers are monitored.
- * **Child Care Centers** are licensed by the Ohio Department of Job & Family Services. Child Care Centers are monitored by the Ohio Department of Job & Family Services.



Tips on choosing the childcare that is right for you and your child:

Ask:

- ✓ Is the provider able to provide care for all the days/hours you are needing?
- ✓ How will information be communicated?
- ✓ Is the provider willing to give references?
- ✓ For a tour of the home/center.
- ✓ Will the provider have a problem if you just drop by unexpectedly?
- ✓ To see their outside play area. Is there trash in the yard? If there is a pet, are the pet droppings kept picked up and is the pet friendly?
- ✓ What days they provide care?

Observe:

- ✓ How are you greeted by the provider?
- ✓ Does the provider acknowledge and speak to your child when you arrive?
- ✓ Is the home/center clean, comfortable and “kid friendly”?
- ✓ Is there a Daily Activities Schedule posted and followed?
- ✓ Are the activities/crafts appropriate for the age of your child?
- ✓ Does the provider interact with the children in their care?
- ✓ Is the provider involved with the children, such as with a craft or a game?

If you feel there may be an issue or concern with a Type A or B child care provider, please contact Lisa Myers, Child Care Licensing Specialist at Marion County Job & Family Services, 740-223-1923, or email Lisa.Myers@jfs.ohio.gov . All calls/emails may remain confidential.

If you feel there may be an issue or concern with a Child Care Center, please contact the Ohio Department of Job & Family Services, 1-866-635-3748.

**Type A and Type B Licensed Home Providers/ Listed by
School District:**

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Provider Name	Phone	Location	Notes
Genatry Ball	740-692-1114	Martinique Dr.	
Maretha Ericson	740-375-8715	Park St.	Provides weekends/3rd shift care *Closed Fridays
Amanda Landon	740-361-1883	Montego Dr.	
Sarah Rickey	419-707-4714	Pinewood Dr.	*Closed Monday & Fridays
Harrison			
Doris Lewis	740-341-6324	Summit Rd.	*Closed Fridays
Hayes			
Cheryl Prater	740-382-0434	Commercial St.	
Garfield			
Regina Shepherd	740-383-6288 (C) 740-751-2438	Owens St.	
Marianne Brown	740-382-5015	Waterloo St.	Marianne will transport to Garfield school
McKinley			
Denise Sterritt	740-387-6242	Windsor St.	
Martis Bracy	740-383-1403	Duluth Ave.	
Carol Spears	740-751-6465	Bellefontaine Ave.	
Debby Carr	740-360-2265	Uncapher Ave.	Also provides 3rd shift care
Brandi Murrell	740-251-3418	Colonial Ave.	Brandi will transport to Ridgedale, Garfield and Elgin
Connie Kelley	740-262-6586	Blaine Ave.	
George Washington			
Deb James (Type A)	Cell: 361-4659/ 740-387-9514	E. Mark St.	
Lorri Greashaber	740-387-0868	Summit St.	
Tina Millisor	740-389-3040	S. Grand Ave.	
Aimee Severns	740-386-2106	Clover Ave.	
Rachael Compton	740-341-0975	Forest Lawn Blvd.	
Elgin			
Tammy Hay	740-262-0013	Prospect Upper Sandusky Rd.	Tammy provides care M-F, 5:30 am – 5:30 pm
Pleasant			
Joyce Brewer	Cell: 361-0904 740-387-1288	Marion Marysville Rd.	

Contracted Child Care Centers		
Center Name	Phone	Address
A+ Child Care and Learning Center	937-642-4300	398 Damascus Road, Marysville, OH 43040
Circle of Friends	740-943-3404	412 Forest Lane, Richwood, OH 43344
Emanuel Lutheran Child Care Program. Hours: 6:30a.m.- 6:00p.m. Monday- Friday. <i>Licensure includes: Infants, Toddlers, and Preschool</i>	740-382-0257	241 South Prospect Street, Marion, OH 43302
Liberty Community Center	740-369-3876	207 London Road, Delaware, OH
Marion Family YMCA Hours: 6:45 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. <i>Licensure includes: School-Age Child Care and Preschool</i>	740-725-9622	645 Barks Road East, Marion, OH 43302
Wee Care Day Care	419-462-2600	777 Fairview Street, Galion, OH

This is only a partial list of the Type B and licensed childcare centers in the State of Ohio. You may contact any provider or center to see if they are licensed to provide Publicly Funded Child Care (PFCC) in the State of Ohio.