

## 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 is comfortable in the childcare setting.

**PLEASE NOTE: It is also important to note to verify the days (and hours) they provider is available to provide care, this information will 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.
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## **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](mailto: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:**

<b>Type A Provider:</b> Childcare can be provided for up to 12 children at a time at the home of the provider.			
<b>Type B Provider:</b> Childcare is provided for 1 to 6 children, with no more than 3 children under the age of 2, at the home of the provider.			
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<b>Provider Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Genatry Pittman	567-231-7967	1190 Martinique Dr.	Mon-Thu: 6:30 am- 6:30pm Fri: 3:30am-6:30pm, Sat:/Sun 6:30am-6:30pm
<b>Harrison</b>			
Doris Lewis	740-341-6324	703 Summit Rd.	Mon-Thu: 4:30am-5:00pm *Closed Fridays
Maretha Ericson	740-361-7196	780 Leetonia Circle	Mon-Thu: 4:30am-2 am (1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> ) Mon-Thu, 3 <sup>rd</sup> shift: 9:30pm-6:45am
<b>Hayes</b>			
Cheryl Prater	740-382-0434	396 Commercial St.	Mon-Thur: 6 am -11 pm Friday: 6 am – 4:30 pm
<b>Garfield</b>			
Regina Shepherd	740-383-6288 740-751-2438	343 Owens St.	Mon-Sat: 7:00 am – 5:00pm Sat
Marianne Brown <b>Will transport to Garfield School</b>	740-382-5015	306 Waterloo St.	Mon-Fri, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> shift Sun: 6:00am-7:30 pm Sat: 8:00am-6:00pm
<b>McKinley</b>			
Denise Sterritt	740-387-6242	519 Windsor St.	Mon-Fri: 4:30 am – midnight Sun-Fri 3:PM – 7:15 am (2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> )
Martis Bracy	740-383-1403 740-386-1264	281 Duluth Ave.	Mon-Fri: 5:00am to 9:00pm Sat/Sun 7:30pm – 8 am (every other)
Carol Spears	740-751-3444	366 Bellefontaine Ave.	Mon-Fri: 5:00am-4:00 pm
Brandi Murrell <b>Will transport to depending on schedule</b>	740-251-3418	1004 Colonial Ave.	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-5:00 pm
<b>George Washington</b>			
Deb James <b>(Type A Provider)</b>	740-361-4659 740-387-9514	395 E. Mark St.	Mon-Fri: 5:00am-5:30pm
Lorri Greashaber	740-387-0868	280 Summit St.	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm Every other Saturday: 6:00am-6:00pm
Tina Millisor	740-389-3040	266 S. Grand Ave.	Mon-Thu: 4:00am-5:30pm Fri: 4:00am-3:00pm
Aimee Severns	740-386-2106	246 Clover Ave.	Mon-Fri: 6:30am-5:00pm
Rachael Compton	740-341-0975	269 Forest Lawn Blvd.	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-5:00pm Sat: 6:00am-5:00pm Sun-Fri: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Shift: 9:00am-8:00am

<b>Elgin</b>			
Tammy Hay	740-262-0013	255 Prospect Upper Sandusky Rd. S.	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-4:30pm
<b>Pleasant</b>			
Joyce Brewer <b>(Type A Provider)</b>	740-361-0904	3007 Marion Marysville Rd.	M-F: 5:00am-5:30pm Every other weekend 6:00am-4:00pm
<b>Contracted Child Care Centers</b>			
<b>Center Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Advantage Early Learning Academy	740-914-2355	233 West Church St, Marion, OH 43302	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm
Advantage Early Learning Academy	937-642-4300	398 Damascus Road, Marysville, OH 43040	Mon-Fri: 5:30am-6:00pm
Emanuel Lutheran <i>Licensure includes Infants, Toddlers, and Preschool</i>	740-382-0257	241 South Prospect Street, Marion, OH 43302	Mon-Fri: 6:30am-6:00pm
Liberty Community Center	740-369-3876	207 London Road, Delaware, OH	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm
Marion Family YMCA <i>Licensure includes: School-Age Child Care and Preschool</i>	740-725-9622	645 Barks Road East, Marion, OH 43302	Mon-Fri: 6:45am-6:00pm
Lewis Center Kinder Care	740-549-0264	96 Neverland Dr, Lewis Center, OH 43035	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm
Grove City Kinder Care	614-875-6363	2274 Stringtown Rd Grove City, OH 43123	Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm
Chubby Cheeks	740-936-7042	1201 US Highway 23 N. Delaware, OH 43015	Mon-Fri: 6:30am-5:30pm.
Gilead Christian School	419-946-5990	220 S. Main St., Mt Gilead, OH 43338	Mon-Fri: 6:30am-6:30pm

**This is only a partial list of the Type A, 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.**