



# Children First

A Ministry of Waycross First United Methodist Church

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“Let the little children come to Me...” NKJV Mark 10:14

## Application Packet

\_\_\_ Registration Fee Paid

\_\_\_ Immunization Records

\_\_\_ CACFP Food Grant IEC

\_\_\_ Special Needs

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Entrance Date \_\_\_\_\_ Withdrawal Date \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address (Street) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Home Address (if different from child's) Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Home Address (if different from child's) Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Living Arrangements: (check one)  Both Parents  Mother  Father  Other

Child's Legal Guardian(s): (check one)  Both Parents  Mother  Father  Other

The child may be released to the person(s) signing this agreement or to the following:

\*Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street-City-State-Zip)

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Parent(s) or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Other identifying information (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

\*Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street-City-State-Zip)

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Parent(s) or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Other identifying information (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Persons to contact in the case of emergency when parent or guardian cannot be reached:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Public or Private School child attends, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's doctor or clinic name \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor/clinic phone # \_\_\_\_\_

My child has the following special needs \_\_\_\_\_

The following special accommodation(s) may be required to most effectively meet my child's needs while at the center: \_\_\_\_\_

My child is currently on medication(s) prescribed for long-term continuous use and/or has the following pre-existing illness, allergies, or health concerns: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION**

Should (child's name) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
suffer an injury or illness while in the care of (Facility name) \_\_\_\_\_  
and the facility is unable to contact me (us) immediately, it shall be authorized to secure such medical attention  
and care for the child as may be necessary. I (We) shall assume responsibility for payment for services.

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility Administrator/Person-In-Charge \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parental Agreements with Child Care Facility

The \_\_\_\_\_ agrees to provide day care for  
(Name of Facility)  
\_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ a.m. to \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.  
(Name of Child) (Days of Week)  
from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Month

My child will participate in the following meal plan (circle applicable meals and snacks):

Breakfast  
Morning Snack  
Lunch  
Afternoon Snack  
Evening Snack  
Dinner  
Bedtime Snack

Before any medication is dispensed to my child, I will provide a written authorization, which includes: date; name of child; name of medication; prescription number; if any; dosages; date and time of day medication is to be given. Medicine will be in the original container with my child's name marked on it.

My child will not be allowed to enter or leave the facility without being escorted by the parent(s), person authorized by parent (s), or facility personnel.

I acknowledge it is my responsibility to keep my child's records current to reflect any significant changes as they occur, e.g., telephone numbers, work location, emergency contacts, child's physician, child's health status, infant feeding plans and immunization records, etc.

The facility agrees to keep me informed of any incidents, including illnesses, injuries, adverse reactions to medications, etc., which include my child.

The \_\_\_\_\_ agrees to obtain written authorization from me before my child participates in routine transportation, field trips, special activities away from the facility, and water-related activities occurring in water that is more than two (2) feet deep.

I authorize the child care facility to obtain emergency medical care for my child when I am not available.

I have received a copy and agree to abide by the policies and procedures for

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Facility)

I understand that the center will advise me of my child's progress and issues relating to my child's care as well as any individual practices concerning my child's special needs. I also understand that my participation is encouraged in facility activities.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Guardian)

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Facility Administrator/Person-In-Charge)

## Vehicle Emergency Medical Information

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Person to notify in an emergency and parents cannot be reached:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Doctor \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Medical facility the center uses \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Allergies \_\_\_\_\_

Current prescribed medication \_\_\_\_\_

Child's special needs and conditions \_\_\_\_\_

In the event of an emergency involving my child, and if \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Facility

cannot get in touch with me, I hereby authorize any needed emergency medical care. I further agree to be fully responsible for all medical expenses incurred during the treatment of my child.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (Parent/Guardian) \_\_\_\_\_

Witness By \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Children First Childcare Payment Contract

Parent/Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Children for whom Children First will care:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

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Part time: _____ Full time: _____ _____M _____T _____W _____TH _____F	Fee: \$ _____ per: _____ Date Payment due: _____	Source of payment: _____parent _____other	Late payment: <b>\$25.00 weekly</b>
Other Fees: <b>\$100.00</b> Description: Registration Fee	Late pick up: <b>\$1.00</b> per minute after 10 minutes <b>\$10.00</b> per minute	Yearly Activity Fee: <b>\$50.00</b>	Return Ck Charge: <b>\$49.00</b>

For all participating children, full payment is due every Friday for the following week. Accounts that are paid weekly or on a monthly basis must be paid in advance. A late charge will be added for late payment of daycare receipts. Children First may exercise the right to decline the care of a child if the account is not current. Parents/legal guardian will then be notified by the financial office of the Waycross First United Methodist Church.

Payments are made for the reservation of childcare only and will be forfeited if not used. No refunds nor credits are given at this time.

If a check is returned for insufficient funds, an additional fee will be charged to the account. If a check is returned, Children First may require future payments to be made in cash, by certified check, or online @ [www.waycrossfirst.com](http://www.waycrossfirst.com)

To reserve an opening at Children First during an extended absence due to vacations or illness, the parent/legal guardian must continue to pay the tuition. If the tuition is not paid during the absence, the center has the right to refuse services.

Children First policy regarding a) hours that the center is open, b) the earliest a child can be dropped off, c) the latest a child may be picked up, d) meals and special foods, e) accommodations for medical conditions or special needs, f) drop off and pick up time procedures for individuals that are not parents or legal guardians, and g) all other policies that oversee this agreement are in the Children First Parent Handbook and is now incorporated into this contract through reference.

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I agree to promptly notify Children First of any changes of the above information. I understand that I am fully responsible for the terms of this agreement as stipulated.

I have read, understand and agree to comply with the policy and procedures and information for parents, given to me by \_\_\_\_\_ Director of Children First.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/ Legal Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ date

## Safe Sleep Practices Policy

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Safe Sleep Practices/Policies:

- 1) Infants will be placed on their backs in a crib to sleep unless a physician's written statement authorizing another sleep position for that infant is provided. The written statement must include how the infant shall be placed to sleep and a time frame that the instructions are to be followed.
- 2) Cribs shall be in compliance with CPCS and ASTM safety standards. They will be maintained in good repair and free from hazards.
- 3) No objects will be placed in or on the crib with an infant. This includes, but is not limited to, covers, blankets, toys, pillows, quilts, comforters, bumper pads, sheepskins, stuffed toys, or other soft items.
- 4) No objects will be attached to a crib with a sleeping infant, such as, but not limited to, crib gyms, toys, mirrors and mobiles.
- 5) Only sleepers, sleep sacks and wearable blankets provided by the parent/guardian and that fit according to the commercial manufacturer's guidelines and will not slip up around the infant's face may be worn for the comfort of the sleeping infant.
- 6) Individual crib bedding will be changed daily, or more often as needed, according to the rules. Bedding for cots/mats will be laundered daily or marked for individual use. If marked for individual use, the sheets/covers must be laundered weekly or more frequently if needed. This facility will adhere to the following practice:  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 7) Infants who arrive at the center asleep or fall asleep in other equipment, on the floor or elsewhere, will moved to a safety-approved crib for sleep.
- 8) Swaddling will not be permitted, unless a physician's written statement authorizing it for a particular infant is provided. The written statement must include instructions and a time frame for swaddling the infant.
- 9) Wedges, other infant positioning devices and monitors will not be permitted unless a physician's written statement authorizing its use for a particular infant is provided. The written statement must include instructions on how to use the device and a time frame for using it.

I acknowledge that the director or designee has advised me of the safe sleep practices followed by the facility.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning  
CACFP Meal Benefit Income Eligibility Statement\***

**PART I: Child(ren) or Adult enrolled to receive day care**

Name: (Last, First and Middle Initial)	SNAP, TANF, or FDPIR case number, or Client ID number for children only. All the above, or SSI or Medicaid case number for Adults. Note: Do not use EBT numbers. Write case number and proceed to Part III.	Children in Head Start, foster care and children who meet the definition of migrant, runaway, or homeless are eligible for free meals. Check (✓) all that apply. (See definitions in FACs)				
		Head Start	Foster Child	Migrant	Runaway	Homeless
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**PART II: Report income for ALL Household Members (Skip this step if participant is categorically eligible as documented in Part I.)**  
Are you unsure what income to include here? Flip the page and review the charts titled "Sources of Income" for more information.

**A. Child Income<sup>1</sup>** - Sometimes children in the household earn or receive income. Please indicate the TOTAL Child Income/How often? \$ \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
income received by child household members listed in PART I here.

**B. Other Household Members<sup>1</sup>**. List all household members even if they do not receive income. Also, list the adult participant if he/she did not meet eligibility in Part I. For each Household Member listed, if they do receive income, report total gross income (before taxes) for each source in whole dollars (no cents) only. If they do not receive income from any source, write "0". If you enter "0" or leave any field blank you are certifying (promising) there is no income to report.

Name of Other Household Members (First and Last)	1. Earnings from work before deductions / How often?	2. Welfare, child support, alimony / How often?	3. Social Security, pensions, retirement / How often?	4. All other income / How often?
1. _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____
2. _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____
3. _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____
4. _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____
5. _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____

**C. Total Household Members (Adults and Children) listed in Part I and Part II** \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Security Number.** If income is listed or completed in Part II, the adult completing the form must also list the last four digits of his or her Social Security Number or check the "I don't have a Social Security Number" box below. (See Privacy Act Statement on next page). Failure to complete this section, if income is listed, will result in the denial of free or reduced eligibility.

Last four Digits of Social Security Number XXX-XX \_\_\_\_\_  I do not have a Social Security Number

**PART III: Enrollment Information: Children Only**

My child is normally in attendance at the facility between the hours of \_\_\_\_\_ [am/pm] to \_\_\_\_\_ [am/pm].  (✓) Check here if only before/after school care is provided.

Circle the days your child will normally attend the center: **Sunday** **Monday** **Tuesday** **Wednesday** **Thursday** **Friday** **Saturday**

Circle the meals your child will normally receive while in care: **Breakfast** **AM Snack** **Lunch** **PM Snack** **Supper** **Evening Snack**

**PART IV: Signature**

I certify that all information on this form is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the center or day care home will get Federal funds based on the information I give. I understand that CACFP officials may verify the information. I understand that if I purposefully give false information, the participant receiving meals may lose the meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted. This signature also acknowledges that the child(ren) or adult listed on the form in Part I are enrolled for care. If not completed fully and signed, the participant will be placed in the Paid category.

Signature: X \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\*This application is a revision of USDA's newly released meal benefit prototype and meets all legal requirements and reflect design best practices identified by USDA through focus testing and other research.

**PART V: Participant's Ethnic and Racial Identities (optional)**

Check (✓) one ethnic identity:  Hispanic/Latino  Not Hispanic/Latino

Check (✓) one or more racial identities:  Asian  White  Black or African American  Indian or Alaska Native  Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

**Official Use Only Section for Provider:** Annual Income Conversion: **Weekly x 52, Every 2 weeks x 26, Twice a month x 24, Monthly x 12**

Total income: \_\_\_\_\_ Per:  Week  Every 2 weeks  Twice a month  Monthly  Year **Household Size:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Categorical Eligibility:** check (✓) if applicable  **Eligibility:** check (✓) one Free  Reduced  Paid

**Day Care Homes Only:** check (✓) one Tier I  Tier II

When more than one person is performing CACFP duties, there must be at least two signatures on this form: one signature from the Determining Official (the official who determined initial income classification) and one signature from the Confirming Official (the official who verified the form's accuracy).

Determining Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Confirming Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Follow Up Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_