

Early Care Q&A Report- 8.9.22

Topic	Question	Asker Name	Answer(s)
Closures	If we are in such high transmission levels, why are we not getting reimbursed for children on subsidy if we have to close a classroom or our school? We are required to charge cash pay/subsidized the same. But now we are having to go after subsidized parents for payments and they aren't paying. Yet again we are dealing with financial issues.	Carey Dunaway	School closures are not currently routinely being required by the County. However, anyone with symptoms must isolate.
Credentials	If someone comes from another state with a child development credential, would they be considered teacher qualified? They have the 240 hours.	Karen	It depends on the courses they've completed. You are welcome to provide their transcripts to your Licensing Program Analyst to review in order ensure their courses meet the requirements of Title 22 in California. At times, we might need to see an actual course description in addition to their transcript. As always, communicate with your Regional Office to ensure requirements are met.
Decision Tree	Is there going to be a updated Covid Tree?	joette correia	If/when there are additional changes to the guidance for this sector, the childcare COVID-19 decision tree will be updated accordingly. The current tree is dated 5/23/22.
Decision Tree	I am a CSPP on an LEA. I was told that testing may not be required to return and that parent reports would be sufficient. Are we still following the Decision Tree from May? Will we get specific ECE requirements today? We started school today and want to ensure we are following updates from licensing and the county.	M. Lorraine Silva	The Childcare COVID-19 decision tree dated May 23rd is current.
Decision Tree	Will there be a Decision Tree or Guidance for Monkey Pox?	Kathleen Kenshur	Hi Kathleen, there is no current tree for monkeypox, but please review our Website for FAQs regarding Human Monkeypox and current recommendations. https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/human-monkeypox.html
Immunizations	I have been told that you we can't host an immunization session at our site? What could be the reason?	Cecilia Pettye	It could be that there are not enough appointments. I believe CDPH requests 50+ vaccination appointments be anticipated. I would encourage you to reach out through the information found on the flyer. https://eziz.org/assets/docs/COVID19/Early-Care-and-Education-Campaign.pdf
Translation services	hay traducción?	Anabel Carreon/ Maria Aguilar	Lo sentimos, no se ofrece en este momento. Tree in Spanish: https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/Epidemiology/covid19/Community_Support/ChildCareServices/Childcare%20COVID-19%20Decision%20Tree%20Span.pdf# Por favor llame también a nuestra línea de epidemiología escolar tenemos hablantes de español para responder cualquier pregunta 619-692-8636
Vaccines Mandates	Do you see Covid 19 vaccinations being required in preschools anytime soon?	Ginger Jamir	Per CDPH, "COVID-19 Vaccine Requirements for students are postponed until at least the 2023-2024 school year." It is unclear at this time if preschools will eventually require immunization against COVID-19. Here is the latest press release from CDPH regarding vaccinations https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OPA/Pages/NR22-073.aspx