



Mendocino County Centralized Eligibility List Subsidized Program Descriptions

The following programs are offered to families that are low income. Parents may need to meet eligibility requirements for each program.

STATE PRESCHOOLS

These programs operate centers for children ages three to five years old. These programs offer comprehensive education, health, and social services resources for the whole family. Many programs are bi-lingual.

ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT PROGRAM (APP)

These programs are funded with state and federal funds and offer a wide range of child care arrangements, including centers, family child care homes and license-exempt providers. Children served in these programs range in age from birth through age twelve.

FAMILY CHILD CARE NETWORKS (NET) This funding is available in Ukiah only

These programs are administered by the APP program and provide subsidized child care within family child care settings. These programs provide an educational component that is developmentally, culturally, and linguistically appropriate for the children served. These programs also provide meals and snacks to children.

GENERAL CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT: CENTERS & AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS

These programs operate state and federally funded centers. These programs provide child development services for children from birth through age twelve. These programs provide an educational component that is developmentally, culturally, and linguistically appropriate for the children served. These programs also provide meals and snacks to children, parent education, and referrals to health and social services for families and staff development opportunities to employees.

See other side for program availability in your area.

SUBSIDIZED PROGRAMS AVAILABLE IN MENDOCINO COUNTY

The following program types are available in Mendocino County. You may contact the main office for each program at the numbers below or call North Coast Opportunities/Rural Communities Child Care for specific information on all subsidized programs in your area.

ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT PROGRAMS & FAMILY CHILD CARE NETWORK (NET) (NET Available in Ukiah only)

North Coast Opportunities/Rural Communities Child Care

413 N. State St.
Ukiah, CA 95482

156 S. Humboldt St.
Willits, CA 95490
800-606-5550 ex 229 or 707-467-3229

528 S. Main St.
Fort Bragg, CA 95437

STATE PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Ages 3-5

Mendocino County Office of Education/SELPA
Mendocino County State Preschool Consortium
2240 Old River Rd.
Ukiah, CA 95482
707-467-5176

Site Name	City	AM Hours	PM Hours
Arena	Point Arena	8:15 - 11:15	12:15 - 3:15
Brookside	Willits	8:30 - 11:30	12:15 - 3:15
Calpella	Ukiah	8:30 - 11:30	12:15 - 3:15
Hopland	Hopland	9:00 - 12:00	
Laytonville	Laytonville	8:30 - 11:30	
Leggett Valley	Leggett	8:30 - 11:30	
Peachland	Boonville	8:30 - 11:30	12:00 - 3:00
Potter Valley	Potter Valley	8:30 - 11:30	
Redwood	Fort Bragg	8:30 - 11:30	11:30 - 2:30
Round Valley	Covelo	8:00 - 11:00	12:00 - 3:00
Small Wonders	Ukiah	8:00 - 11:00	12:00 - 3:00
Talmage	Ukiah	8:30 - 11:30	
UUSD Preschool Village			
Bilingual	Ukiah	8:30 - 11:30	
Inclusion	Ukiah	9:00 - 12:00	12:40 - 3:40
Yokayo	Ukiah	8:00 - 11:00	11:45 - 2:45

North Coast Opportunities
Head Start
Child Development Programs
550 N. State St.
Ukiah, CA 95482
800-326-9122
707-462-2582 ex 103

Sites:	Hours:
N. Ukiah	8:00 - 12:00 M - Th/12:30 - 4:30 M - Th
S. Ukiah	8:00 - 12:00 M - Th/12:30 - 3:30 M - F
Nokomis	7:30 - 5:30 M - Th/7:30 - 12:30 F
Orchard	7:30 - 5:30 M - Th/7:30 - 12:30 F
Fort Bragg	8:00 - 12:00 M - Th/12:30 - 4:30 M - Th
Willits	8:00 - 12:00 M - Th/12:30 - 4:30 M - Th
	8:00 - 4:00 M - Th/8 - 12:30 F

GENERAL CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT – CENTERS AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Mendocino College
Child Development Center
1000 Hensley Creek Road
Ukiah, CA 95482
707-468-3089

Open August - May for Spring & Fall Semesters
Hours of operation 7:45 - 5:15 M - F
Serves children 18 months to 6 years old

Ukiah Unified
495 Washington Ave.
Ukiah, CA 94382

Open year round
School hours 2:30 - 5:30 Vacation hours 7:30 - 5:30
Serves children 5 - 10 years old

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What is a Resource and Referral Agency?

Child Care Resource and Referral (R&R) agencies are located in every county in California. Over the last two decades, R&R services have evolved in an effort to help parents find child care, into a well-developed system that supports parents, providers, and local communities in finding, planning for, and providing accessible, affordable, quality child care for all families.

NCO, Rural Communities Child Care, Resource and Referral Program:

- Provides free, regularly updated child care referrals to help parents find child care that best meets their family needs.
- Document parents' requests for child care services and other family needs.
- Operate Trustline, a background check for license-exempt care providers.
- Maintain a comprehensive database of child care providers in their communities, including licensed family child care homes, child care centers and license-exempt care providers.
- Track providers' licensing status, ages served, schedules offered, languages spoken and the number of spaces available in centers or family child care homes.
- Work with providers to improve the quality of child care and to maintain and expand the supply of child care in each county.
- Provide health and safety, child development, and small business practices training and other services that help providers stay in business.
- Document and analyze local and statewide supply and demand for child care.
- Educate local communities and leaders to understand child care issues and to plan effectively to address child care needs in their community.
- Help parents and providers advocate to make the child care system responsive to their needs.

R&R services are free and available to all parents and child care providers.

For Local Contacts: NCO/Rural Communities Child Care

Ukiah
413 N. State St.
Ukiah, CA 95482
(707) 462-1954 x 321
1-800-606-5550
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156 S. Humboldt St.
Willits, CA 95490
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528 S. Main St.
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Patti Raines

