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Health & Safety Standards in:

Family Child Care

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- Evaluation
- Certificate
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What are standards?

• Agreed-upon processes and norms used by people

• Best practices



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Why are standards important?



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The National Association for Family Child Care (NAFCC) Standards

The National Association for Family Child Care (NAFCC) is a nationwide non-profit organization dedicated to promoting high quality child care by strengthening the profession of family child care

"Family Child care - Where love and learning are at home!"
<https://nafcc.org/about-us/>



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NAFCC Quality Standards

- 1. Relationships
- 2. The Environment
- 3. Learning Activities (Child Growth and Development)
- 4. **Safety & Health**
- 5. Professional & Business Practices

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Year in review... <https://ctnurses.org/FCC-Webinars>



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Active Supervision



Active Supervision in Family Child Care

NAFCC Standards:

- #4.1: Children under the age of 3 are in the provider's line of sight always...
- #4.3 Children under the age of 6 are never inside or outside by themselves
- #4.5 The provider is particularly careful supervising children in high risk activities



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First Aid Kits: Fieldtrips/Outings



Family Child Care Providers: What's in your first aid kit?

NAFCC Standard:

- #4.10 Checklist for Outings - The provider brings: first-aid kit, emergency telephone numbers, etc....
- #4.13 The provider has a first-aid kit readily accessible but out of reach of children



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Safe Sleep Practices



Safe Sleep Practices and Prevention of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

NAFCC Standards:

- # 4.4 When children are sleeping...
- #4.35 Infants up to twelve months of age should be placed on their backs for sleeping
- 4.66 Sleeping areas for infants do not have any surface that can conform to the face, such as a soft pillow ...



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Preventing the Spread of Infections



NAFCC Standards:

- #4.59 Diapering and toileting areas are separated from food areas.
- #4.106 Children's hands are washed with soap and running water...



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Preventing Lead Poisoning



NAFCC Standards:

- #4.18d Providers should screen toys and items for lead and other recall concerns
- #4.18e The facility should not have costume or metal jewelry and/or charms for children to play with as they may contain lead or other substances.



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Evaluation and Certificate



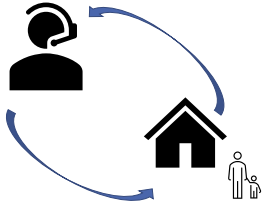
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Resources

- CTNurses Family Child Care Webinars
<https://ctnurses.org/FCC-Webinars>
- National Association for Family Child Care (NAFCC)
<https://nafcc.org/>



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