

**Integrated Full Day Head Start/Full Day Child Care Approved Providers
(Service Model A)**

Child care providers or programs on this list are eligible to be reimbursed for up to the applicable Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP) full day and weekly maximums, if the child is eligible for full day and/or weekly authorizations.

If a full day Head Start program is not on this list and you need assistance determining whether Service Model A or B applies, contact your CCAP technical liaison.

<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Service Location</u>
All We Can Be Child Development Center (Lakes and Pines)	1718 Doddridge Avenue Cloquet, MN 55720
Allstar Child Care Center (Lakes and Pines)	345 Central Avenue South Milaca, MN 56353
Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency	411 - 5th Avenue South Virginia, MN 55792
Boise Forte Early Childhood Program	13090 Westley Drive Nett Lake, MN 55772
East Grand Forks Family Service Center - TriValley	1825 Central Avenue NW East Grand Forks, MN 56721
KOOTASCA- Deer River Goodall Resource Center	1006 Comstock Drive Deer River, MN 56636
KOOTASCA-Keewatin Early Years	300 W 3rd Avenue Keewatin, MN 55753
KOOTASCA- Grand Rapids Early Childhood Center	820 NW 1st Ave. Grand Rapids, MN 55744
KOOTASCA-Taconite Community Center	28 Haynes St., Taconite, MN 55786
Little B's Early Childhood Learning Center (Lakes and Pines)	3690 County Road 140 Barnum, MN 56708
Pine Children's Early Learning Center (Lakes and Pines)	900 4 th Street S.E. Pine City, MN 55063
Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Inc./ Crookston Family Service Center	1407 Erskine Crookston, MN 56716
Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Inc./ Hendrum	320 Main Street East Hendrum, MN 56550
Mahube-Otwa Community Action Partnership, Inc. – Audubon Head Start Center	601 4 th Street Audubon, MN 56511
Mahube-Otwa Community Action Partnership, Inc. - FEW/PRHS/EHS HS Center (Approved for Early Head Start infant classrooms only)	301 Huntsinger Ave. Park Rapids, MN 56470
Mahube-Otwa Community Action Partnership, Inc. – Mahnomen Head Start Center	118 W Madison Mahnomen, MN 56557

<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Service Location</u>
Mahube-Otwa Community Action Partnership, Inc. - MState Learning Center	900 Hwy 34 East Detroit Lakes, MN 56501
Mahube-Otwa Community Action Partnership, Inc. - licensed family child care partners <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Heather Nicole Torgerson• Ashley Eischens• Deanna Borah• Tamara Flynn• Lisa Althoff (Noel)• Sharon Stalley• Sara Weiss• Amy Lynne Wold• Kathleen Symanietz• Kelly J Wellman• Amy Post	Various site locations

Head Start & Child Care Assistance Payment Policies

Note: The term “Head Start” in this document refers to both Head Start and Early Head Start.

The Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP) cannot pay for child care already paid for by other sources. However, for children receiving full-day Head Start services, CCAP can pay part of the program’s cost.

CCAP defines full-day Head Start services as:

- Services provided in one location for at least 8 hours per day.
- Head Start Performance Standards met throughout the day.
- Services can be provided through a partnership model or a non-partnership model.

Model A: Head Start pays for costs to meet Head Start Performance Standards in program offering full day services; CCAP payment based on hours child meets CCAP eligibility requirements. CCAP payment is NOT reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends a program offering full-day Head Start services, where Head Start pays for the cost to meet Head Start performance standards throughout the day. OR
- Child attends a licensed child care Head Start partnership where Head Start pays for the cost to meet Head Start performance standards throughout the day.

Model B: Head Start pays for a specific number of hours of care for a specific child; CCAP payment based on hours child meets CCAP eligibility requirements minus the hours paid by Head Start. CCAP payment MAY be reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends Head Start in a location other than the child care program OR
- Child attends a licensed child care Head Start partnership where Head Start pays for a specific number of hours of service per day. OR
- Child attends a program where Head Start pays for specific hours of care.

Core Services—usually CCAP funds

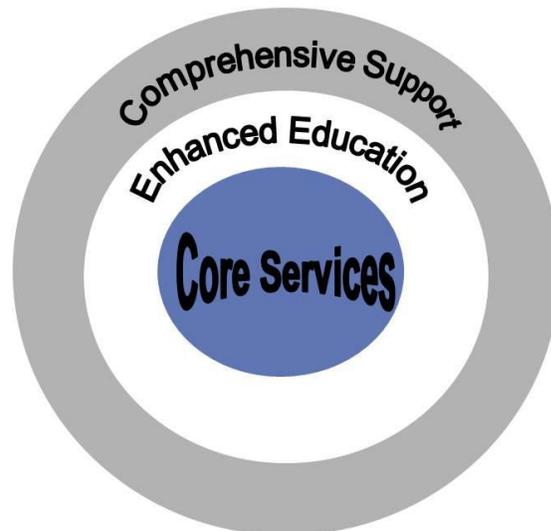
- space, utilities, supplies, meals, etc.
- teaching staff

Enhanced Education—usually Head Start funds

- increased staff education/professional dev.
- research-based curriculum
- identification, intervention for special needs
- on-going child assessment

Comprehensive Support—usually Head Start funds

- health and dental assessments and treatment
- nutritional assessment and treatment
- mental health services, family/social services
- parent education and governance



Head Start Partnerships with Child Care – Model A and Model B examples

Model A - Example #1

Licensed center integrates Head Start standards into the classrooms throughout day. Head Start funds used for lead teacher salaries, equipment, child assessments, staff development time and related costs. This is specified in the contract. CCAP payment is NOT reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends 9 – 4 pm M-F
- CCAP Eligibility: 35 hours per week
- Center charges \$160 per week (rate charged exceeds the CCAP maximum rate)
- CCAP Payment: \$30 per day X 5 days = \$150 per week

Model A - Example #2

Licensed family child care provider meets Head Start standards throughout day. Partnership agreement with Head Start grantee to pay for enhanced services for Head Start eligible children. Head Start funds are used for enhanced services (professional development, child assessments, curriculum and referrals), not specific hours of child care. This is specified in the contract. CCAP payment is NOT reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends 7 - 5 pm M-Th
- CCAP eligibility: 40 hours per week
- Provider charges \$120 per week (rate charged equals the CCAP maximum rate)
- CCAP payment: \$120 per week (weekly payment because authorized for more than 35 hours)

Model B - Example #3

Child attends a licensed family child care provider. Licensed family child care provider has a partnership agreement with a Head Start grantee. Head Start funds are used to purchase a 5 hour “slot” for Head Start services per day. CCAP payment MAY be reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends 8am – 3pm, M-F (Head Start funds pay for 8am – 1pm)
- CCAP Eligibility: 35 hours per week minus 25 Head Start hours per week = 10 hours per week
- Provider charges \$3 per hour (rate charged equals CCAP maximum rate)
- CCAP Payment = \$3 per hour X 10 hours per week = \$30 per week

Model B - Example #4

Child attends licensed child care center. Center has partnership agreement with Head Start grantee indicating that Head Start dollars are used to purchase a 5 hour “slot” for Head Start services per day. CCAP payment MAY be reduced due to Head Start funding.

- Child attends 8am -5pm, M-F (Head Start funds pay for 8am – 1 pm)
- CCAP Eligibility: 45 hours per week minus 25 Head Start hours per week = 20 hours per week.
- Center charges \$175 per week
- CCAP Payment: \$5 hour X 20 hours per week = \$100 per week