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DCCA Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) Program Opens to Accept Applications for New Families

The CNMI Department of Community and Cultural Affairs (DCCA) announce that interested families may begin submitting applications on October 19, 2020 for the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) Program to be placed on its wait list.

The CCDF Program requires that applicants meet income guidelines for the household as well as approved activities, which include, working, in a job-related training, or participating in education.

Due to the current situation with COVID-19, the following priorities for this application will be implemented: front liners, such as law enforcement, public safety officers, and emergency medical services, assigned to COVID-19 activities with direct contact of individuals and essential workers, such as, retail cashiers, gas attendants, sanitation workers, bank tellers, child care teachers, and caregivers.

For information regarding the CCDF Program Income Guidelines see the Child Care Licensing Program (CCLP) website at cnmiclp.gov.mp or you may contact the following Eligibility Specialists to assist with application questions and procedures: Joella Rosario at 664-2575 or Genevieve Guerrero at 664-2576. Applicants may also send their inquiries via email to ccdf.jrosario@gmail.com or dcca.jguerrero@gmail.com respectively.

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