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Early Head Start's Mission Statement

Economic Security Corporation's Early Head Start is a family-focused program that teaches parents by building on their strengths and prior knowledge and providing culturally diverse resources to enhance the family's self-sufficiency

Early Head Start Strategy

1. Treat every child and parent with respect and dignity
2. Do your best work every single day
3. Develop a positive attitude
4. Embrace innovation



*Are You
Ready*

**To take your
childcare
business to
the next
level?**



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Helping Children *Building Families*

The purpose of the Early Head Start childcare program is to enhance children’s physical, social, emotional, and intellectual development; to support parents’ efforts to fulfill their parental roles; and to help parents move toward self sufficiency.

Early Head Start (EHS) is looking for new Childcare Partners. We are looking for partners who love seeing children and families grow and develop. We have a long and reliable record of partnering with local childcare providers to increase the quality of care for infants and toddlers.

EHS contracts with local childcare partners for a specific number of slots. We guarantee payment for each slot. Partners of Early Head Start don’t have to recruit families. We fill the slots from our waiting list.

Early Head Start provides free training and technical assistance on issues related to child development, licensing, and curriculum & instruction on a weekly basis.

Early Head Start also offer funds to help partners obtain their Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) and/or go to college.



BENEFITS OF PARTNERING WITH EARLY HEAD START

- Payments directly from Early Head Start to you—no collection from family
- \$190/week per slot, \$205/week per slot after 1 year, \$1,000/year for equipment materials and supplies
- Slots filled for you
- Monthly DHSS approved, clock-hour training at no cost
- Support network of Early Head Start staff
- Opportunities to network with other Early Head Start partners, classroom staff, and community providers

Benefits to Partners

Interested in learning more about the Childcare Partnership opportunity?

Step 1: Answer a few simple questions

Do you own a childcare center or Family Childcare Home?

- Yes
- No
- Would like to

Do you have education and/or experience with infants and toddlers?

- Yes
- No

Is your center/Family Childcare Licensed in the State of Missouri?

- Yes
- No
- Am willing to go through the process

Can you pass a criminal background screening?

- Yes
- No

In the section below, please tell us why you would love to partner with Early Head Start?

Step 2: Include your name, address and phone number where you can be reached.

Step 3: Mail this sheet to:

Economic Security Corporation

Attn: Connie Gillock

302 South Joplin

Joplin, Missouri 64801

Email the information to: cgillock@escswa.org

Call Connie Gillock at 417-627-2056

Name

Address

Phone