



Childcare Grant

Summer 2022

Childcare in Texas Background

Prior to COVID-19, Texas had 2.7 children per childcare slot; post-COVID-19 there will be an estimated 5.9 children per slot[1] .

According to Children at Risk, over a million Texas children are eligible to qualify for the Texas Workforce Commission's subsidized child care, but only about 10% received it in 2018 due to lack of funds and lack of child care providers who accepted subsidies. The Texas Workforce Commission reports 33,596 children waitlisted for subsidized child care as of September 2019[2] .

The average American family with young children spends approximately 23% of their net income on child care— an astounding cost for the 1.3 million Texan households with children struggling to meet basic needs. For minimum wage workers, child care costs represent nearly half of their pre-tax earnings.

Additional Resource Links

City of San Antonio

<https://www.sanantonio.gov/humanservices/EarlyEducationChildCare/childcareassistance>

Workforce Solutions Alamo

<https://www.cognitofirms.com/WSAChildCare/SIRChildCare>

Alamo Colleges District

<https://www.alamo.edu/nvc/academics/resources/childcare/>

<https://www.alamo.edu/siteassets/nvc/academics/child-care/documents/child-care-application-form-11302021.pdf>

Children at Risk

<https://childrenatrisk.org/quality-and-child-care-providers/>

<https://txchildren.org/posts/2021/4/13/tx-legislature-poised-to-take-big-strides-to-support-child-care>

Every Texan

<https://everytexan.org/2020/05/21/its-time-to-rebuild-child-care-in-texas/>

Background on Texas Women in Trades:

Texas Women in Trades was founded in 2014 to bring more women, minorities, and young people to the skilled construction trades.

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Trades Person-Skilled Trade in Texas Grant Application

After you submit this form, you will be contacted by Texas Women in Trades and may be asked to provide additional personal information.

Parent/Caregiver Information

Full Legal Name (required):

First MI Last

Date of Birth*(required):

Primary Language*(required):

English Spanish Other:

Physical Address*(required)

Address Line 1

Texas

City Zip Code

Mailing Address (if different)

Address Line 1

Texas

City Zip Code

Residence County*(required)

Email*(required)

Cell Phone*(required)

Work Phone*(required)

Is there a second parent/caregiver in the household?*(required)

Yes

No

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Household Members

Complete the section below with information for each household member. Household members consist of spouse/partner and dependents only.

Household Member's Information

Full Legal Name (required):

First

MI

Last

Date of Birth*(required):

Gender*(required):

Ethnicity

Childcare Needed*(required)

Yes

No

Cell Phone*(required)

Work Phone*(required)

Parent/Caregiver's Employment 1

Employer Name*(required)

Job Title*(required)

Employer Address

Address Line 1

City

Texas

Zip Code

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Parent/Caregiver's Employment 2

Employer Name*(required)

Job Title*(required)

Employer Address

Address Line 1

City

Texas

Zip Code

Parent/Caregiver's Employment 3

Employer Name*(required)

Job Title*(required)

Employer Address

Address Line 1

City

Texas

Zip Code

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Additional Household Member's Information

Full Legal Name (required):

First

MI

Last

Date of Birth*(required):

Gender*(required):

Ethnicity

Childcare Needed*(required)

Yes

No

Cell Phone*(required)

Work Phone*(required)

Additional Household Member's Information

Full Legal Name (required):

First

MI

Last

Date of Birth*(required):

Gender*(required):

Ethnicity

Childcare Needed*(required)

Yes

No

Cell Phone*(required)

Work Phone*(required)

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Add Parent/Caregiver's Employment

Which occupation qualifies you as working in the Skilled Trades Industry Sector? *(required)

Skilled Construction Trades:

Plumbing. Electrical. HVAC. Utilities. Utilities Providers Other:

Please submit proof of employment in the qualifying occupation. Examples of acceptable documentation are:

- Current pay stub (dated in last 30 calendar days).
- Employment verification form signed by your employer.
- Signed letter of employment on company letterhead with appropriate company contact information included.

Please tell us more about yourself and your family.

Please share in 200 words or less why assistance with childcare for women in the trades is important to you and your family.

Please feel free to provide us with any additional information about yourself you would like to share.

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