

# Home child care providers get our first rate increase on January 1, 2010!

*Make sure you're getting your new rates.*

**O**ur new contract takes effect on January 1, 2010 with base rate increases every six months for all home providers caring for children in the Illinois Child Care Assistance Program. Starting January 1, 2010, the base rates for home child care providers are:

## License Exempt Home Child Care Providers

For license exempt providers, increases will automatically be effective on January 1, 2010.

**The new rate structure for licensed child care providers is as follows:**

### All Counties

	Full Day	Part Day
All Children	\$13.07	\$6.54

*“Child care providers in the SEIU Child Care and Early Learning Division of SEIU Healthcare worked hard at the bargaining table to get rate increases in our new contract. Even in this tough economy, we won raises that go into effect on January 1, 2010!”*

**—Mary Carter**  
Child care provider, Chicago



## Licensed Home Child Care Providers

In order to get their rate increases effective on January 1, 2010 licensed child care providers must remember to submit their Child Care Rate Certification Form to the Child Care Resource and Referral agency certifying what you will be charging starting January 1, 2010.

**The new rate structure for licensed child care providers is as follows:**

### Group 1A Counties

Cook, DeKalb, DuPage, Kane, Kendal, Lake & McHenry

	Full Day	Part Day
Under 2	\$27.27	\$13.64
Age 2	\$26.24	\$13.12
Ages 3+	\$24.6	\$13.12

### Group 1B Counties

Boone, Champaign, Kankakee, Madison, McLean, Monroe, Ogle, Peoria, Rock Island, Sangamon, St. Clair, Tazewell, Whiteside, Will, Winnebago & Woodford

	Full Day	Part Day
Under 2	\$24.19	\$12.10
Age 2	\$23.17	\$11.59
Ages 3+	\$22.14	\$11.07

### Group 2 All other counties

	Full Day	Part Day
Under 2	\$22.14	\$11.07
Age 2	\$21.12	\$10,56
Ages 3+	\$20.09	\$10,05

**To get your increased rates for the month of January, your certification form must be received by January 31, 2010.** If you do not have a copy of the Child Care Rate Certification Form, you can download one at [www.seiuchildcareil.org](http://www.seiuchildcareil.org).

For more information, visit our web page [www.seiuchildcareil.org](http://www.seiuchildcareil.org) or call our Member Resource Center at **866-933-SEIU**.



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