

STATE OF EMERGENCY

In the event that the State of Maine declares a STATE OF EMERGENCY, For Kids Only is declaring under the STATE OF MAINE FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDER LICENSING RULE 10-144 OF MAINE RULES CHAPTER 33, Effective Date for Final Adoption of Major Substantive Parts of the Rule: July 5, 2018; Section 8A-8B, which states...

CAPACITY may only be exceeded when the following conditions exist: family emergencies or emergency school closings.

- a. Planned school closures are considered predictable circumstances and, therefore, capacity may not be exceeded.
- b. Proper supervision and ratios, as defined in this rule, must be maintained. Procedures for managing such events must be explained in the written emergency plan and reasons for exceeding capacity and the reason for exceeding capacity must be documented on the attendance record.

The Family Child Care Association of Maine encourages providers to maintain licensed capacity and follow proper staff/child ratios. This emergency rule does not mean providers are caring for large amounts of children in their homes. Each provider must make a plan with their licensor before going over ratio and/or capacity.

DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY: You can drop off / pick up at doorways or in entry ways only. Limiting or eliminating visits at the program will be necessary to keep everyone safe and healthy.

This is an OFFICIAL act of For Kids Only Preschool, owner Jerice A. Hogg, that care shall go over the License number of 12 children during the time of LOCAL and STATE EMERGENCY ACTS OF PUBLIC and PRIVATE SCHOOL CLOSURES.

Once the STATE OF EMERGENCY is lifted FKO will resume the totals on LICENSE #217489, Capacity #12, 0-12 ages.

ONCE THE STATE OF EMERGENCY HAS BEEN LIFTED FOR KIDS ONLY WILL RESUME THE TOTALS ON LICENSE #217489, CAPACITY #12, 0-12 AGES.

AS THE PARENT YOUR SIGNATURE (INCLUDED IN ENROLLMENT FORMS) SIGNIFIES THAT YOU ARE AWARE OF FKO'S STANCE FOR QUALITY AND SAFE CARE TO CHILDREN, OVER TOTALS -ONLY- DURING A STATE OF EMERGENCY.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT PAYMENT IS EXPECTED REGARDLESS OF EMERGENCY CLOSINGS.