

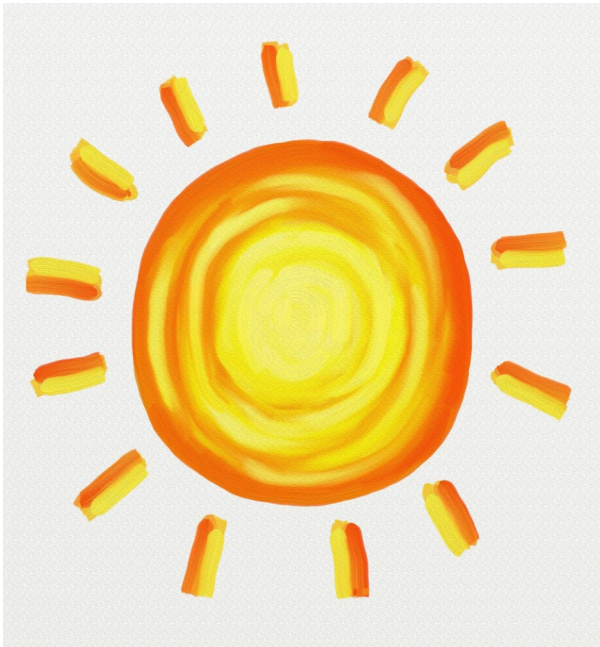


# Kids Quarterly Press

A Newsletter of Choices Child Care Resource and Referral

July, August, & September 2023

## Summer Sun Safety



Having fun in the sun is something many children and adults look forward to, especially after prolonged periods indoors during the winter. As a caregiver, it is important to know what conditions may make it unsafe to be outdoors, the effects of the sun and UV rays, and how to properly apply sunscreen. It is also beneficial to become familiar with heat and sun related illnesses and know the symptoms that could be serious for children. Topics like water safety, floatation devices, bug safety, and first aid are often at the front of our minds during this time of year. Take time to review licensing and regulatory guidance on these areas and consider taking a professional development course to ensure you have all the information you need to have a fun and safe season!

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## Recognitions



West Virginia  
Tiered  
Reimbursement  
Program

### Congratulations!

Choices would like to congratulate **Ashley Davis**, FCC provider in Wood County, **Lydia Kelly**, FCC Provider in Doddridge County, and **Holly Maze**, facility owner of Miss Holly's Daycare in Pleasants County for reaching Tier II Quality Status!

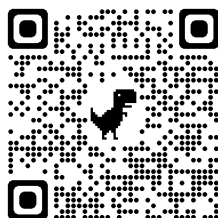
A Tier II provider has demonstrated that they provide a higher quality of care within their program. These providers receive a higher childcare reimbursement rate and an increased stabilization grant amount. If you are interested in Tier II, contact your Quality Improvement Specialist.

Marcy Mueller,  
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Choices would like to recognize **Lisa Starkey**, facility owner of Lisa's Family Childcare in Wood County, on her approval for the WV Child Care General Credential!

For more information  
regarding the WV Child Care  
Credential contact  
[Meagann.E.Morris@wv.gov](mailto:Meagann.E.Morris@wv.gov)  
Or scan the QR code!



*Specializations Available July 2023*

- ◆ Director
- ◆ Preschool
- ◆ Infant & Toddler
- ◆ Family Child Care

## Recognitions & Updates



### Well Done!

Choices would like to congratulate **Patty Bennett** for receiving the West Virginia Breastfeeding Friendly Child Care designation! If you are interested in receiving this designation for your program, contact your Infant Toddler Specialist.

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### Billable Days

The Child Care Provider reimbursement based on enrollment has been extended through September 2024, as long as funding remains available.

Billable days for the upcoming months:

- July 2023 21 Days
- August 2023 23 Days
- September 2023 21 Days
- October 2023 22 Days
- November 2023 22 Days
- December 2023 21 Days
- January 2024 23 Days
- February 2024 21 Days
- March 2024 21 Days
- April 2024 22 Days
- May 2024 23 Days
- June 2024 20 Days
- July 2024 23 Days
- August 2024 22 Days
- September 2024 21 Days

For the latest updates, “Like” and “Follow” our Facebook page Choices Child Care Resource and Referral. Scan the QR code to access the page!



## Important Updates



# ACDS

### Apprenticeship for Child Development Specialist

- Program for daycare workers working a minimum of 20 hours a week.
- Combines 4 semesters of coursework with on the job training.
- Participants include employees of child care, family child care, after school, head start, home visitation, and public pre-k and kindergarten.
- Classes held locally.
- High school diploma or WV equivalency required.
- Students who have WVIT 1 can begin in semester 2!



Semester 2 classes coming in August 2023!

Contact Us in Pleasants, Ritchie, Wirt,  
or Wood Counties

Gwen Crum  
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www.wvacds.org



# Important Updates



## JOIN OUR LOCAL COUNCILS



### Meetings

Small groups meet twice a year to discuss the implementation of ACDS in their counties.

### Members

Members include directors, child care resource & referral, BOE, head start, instructors journeypersons, and family child care providers.



**JOIN US NOW!**

To find out more information about the local council in your area, visit the ACDS website and go to the local council page under resources.

[www.wvacds.org](http://www.wvacds.org)

## Important Updates



RIVER VALLEY CHILD  
DEVELOPMENT  
SERVICES



# ACDS REGISTRATION

### ABOUT ACDS

ACDS is a 4 semester apprenticeship program for individuals working directly with children birth to age 12 for a minimum of 20 hours a week. Classes are one evening a week for 15 weeks a semester. Virtual classes are available for counties that do not offer an in-person option.

### PARTICIPATION

Registration for the Fall 2023 semester will open June 1 and run through the first of August. For the Fall 2023 class schedule and program information, visit the ACDS website.

### REGISTRATION



#### STEP ONE

Visit the WV STARS training calendar and search self-paced courses for all ACDS orientations.



#### STEP TWO

Complete registration that is linked at the end of each orientation.



#### STEP THREE

Submit \$25.00 registration fee to ACDS program. Checks and cards are accepted. Credit card form is on ACDS website.






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[www.wvacds.org](http://www.wvacds.org)



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Date and Time	Title and Presenter/Description	Core Competency	Location
<b>Online Professional Development Calendar</b>			
<b>July 13, 2023</b>	<b>Quality Counts</b> 	<b>Marcy Mueller</b>	
12:00pm – 1:00pm	This training takes an in depth look at program supports that are necessary to achieve and maintain quality childcare and the important role early childhood educators play within the process.	PL/AM	Online
<b>July 18, 2023</b>	<b>WVIT-R Administrator’s Course</b>	<b>Alicia Mazariego</b>	
10:00am – 12:30pm	This course is an overview of the West Virginia Infant Toddler-Revised Course. It is intended for Center/Facility directors to help support staff learning and implementation. This class is made up of two live, online sessions and 4 self-paced online sessions. Participants must complete each session. <i>(Live sessions are July 18 &amp; 20)</i>	PL	Online
<b>July 19, 2023</b>	<b>Utilizing the Environment Rating Scale to Achieve Higher Program Quality</b> 	<b>Marcy Mueller</b>	
5:00pm – 7:00pm	This session will include an overview of the most recent versions of the Environment Rating Scales, as well as information on how to use the information from the self-assessment to improve program quality through goal setting and the creation of action plans and professional development plans.	PL/AM	Online
<b>July 24, 2023</b>	<b>ECPBIS Director’s Overview</b>	<b>Chrissy Pownell Jodi Fortney</b>	
1:00pm – 2:00pm	This is an overview of the Pyramid Model and ECPBIS, intended for directors and others in leadership roles, who have staff enrolled in the ECPBIS Series.	Various	Online
<b>July 25, 2023</b>	<b>Lesson Plan Ideas in Early Childhood Programs</b>	<b>Jennifer Powell</b>	
6:00pm – 7:00pm	Family Child Care providers will learn how to implement developmentally appropriate activities, a flexible learning environment, accommodations when needed, and resources for lesson planning.	EC	Online
<b>July 26, 2023</b>	<b>Understanding ECERS-3</b>	<b>Meagan Bragg</b>	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	This training will provide an overview of the Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale including its purpose and how to use the scale to improve the quality of preschool environments.	EC/PL	Online
<b>August 10, 2023</b>	<b>Quality Counts</b> 	<b>Marcy Mueller</b>	
12:00pm – 1:00pm	This training takes an in depth look at program supports that are necessary to achieve and maintain quality childcare and the important role early childhood educators play within the process.	PL/AM	Online
<b>August 16, 2023</b>	<b>Utilizing the Environment Rating Scale to Achieve Higher Program Quality</b>	<b>Marcy Mueller</b>	
5:00pm – 7:00pm	This session will include an overview of the most recent versions of the Environment Rating Scales, as well as information on how to use the information from the self-assessment to improve program quality through goal setting and the creation of action plans and professional development plans.	PL/AM	Online

Date and Time	Title and Presenter/Description	Core Competency	Location
<b>August 29, 2023</b>	<b>Understanding ACEs (Adverse Childhood Experiences): ACES 101</b> 	<b>Meag Morris</b>	
12:00pm – 1:00pm	This training will introduce the concept of Adverse Childhood Experiences through awareness and education.	CGD	Online
<b>August 31, 2023</b>	<b>Director's Toolbox Series</b> 	<b>Marcy Mueller</b>	
12:00pm – 2:00pm	The Director's Toolbox Series (8/31, 9/14, 9/21, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, & 10/26) offers 7 engaging and interactive online professional learning experiences that focuses on the core leadership and management competencies childcare directors need.	PL/AM	Online
<b>September 13, 2023</b>	<b>Child Care Emergency Preparedness</b> 	<b>Meagan Bragg</b>	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	This course will cover types of emergencies that can occur and how to prepare in child care settings. A one-hour, on-site Technical Assistance visit will be scheduled as a part of this training.	HSN/ PL	Online
<b>September 14, 2023</b>	<b>Change the Environment, Not the Child!</b>	<b>Jennifer Powell</b>	
6:00pm – 8:30pm	This training will cover information about how children use behavior as a form of communication. Providers will learn how to implement an environment that encourages healthy learning, development, and use of appropriate materials for each child.	EC	Online
<b>September 21, 2023</b>	<b>Belonging: Including Children of Gay and Lesbian Parents in Your Program</b>	<b>Shannon Valles</b>	
6:00pm – 7:30pm	This course focuses on strategies to help LGBTQ families feel valued in your program and why it is important for the healthy development of children.	FCR	Online
<b>September 28, 2023</b>	<b>Professionalism in Family Childcare</b>	<b>Ashley Jobs</b>	
6:00pm – 7:30pm	Family childcare providers will learn the importance of professionalism in their program. This training will discuss what it means to be a professional in a family childcare setting and how you can use these skills to improve your program.	Various	Online

**Online Training Policies:**




- Each participant must individually register and log in to the training to receive credit.
- Device/screen sharing is not permitted .
- Participants who call in to the training by phone without logging in to a computer, smartphone, or tablet will not receive credit, as this type of attendance cannot be tracked.
- Participants who miss more than 15 minutes of a session will not receive credit for attending.
- All participants are expected to remain active in each session by participating in polls, discussions, post-tests, etc.



**WV STARS Core Knowledge Key:**

CGD: Child Growth and Development  
 FC: Family and Community Relationships  
 COA: Child Observation and Assessment;  
 EC: Environment and Curriculum

HSN: Health, Safety and Nutrition  
 PL: Professionalism and Leadership  
 AM: Administration and Management  
 Various: Multiple Core Knowledge areas will be covered



Date and Time	Title and Presenter/Description	Core Competency	Location
<b>Harrison County Professional Development Calendar</b>			
July 6, 2023	<b>The Growing Brain: From Birth to 5 Years Old</b> 	Alicia Hundley Shannon Valles	
5:30pm – 8:30pm	This 7 session series delves into research in brain development and strategies for childcare providers to support the growing brains of children, birth to 5 years old,. Session dates: Jul 6, 13, 19, 27, Aug 3, 10, & 17 .	Various	Choices
July 20, 2023	<b>Rashes and Scratches</b>	Lisa Galford	
6:00pm – 7:00pm	Common skin conditions you may see in child care, causes, and treatments will be discussed.	HSN	Choices
July 24, 2023	<b>The Values of Quality Infant and Toddler Care</b>	Alicia Hundley	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	An in-depth exploration of the values one most uses to provide quality care to infants and toddlers, such as trustworthiness and respect.	EC	Choices
July 31, 2023	<b>Early Childhood Behavior Interventions &amp; Support Series</b> 	Chrissy Pownell Jodi Fortney	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	The ECPBIS Series focuses on social and emotional supports in child care settings. This is based on the Pyramid Model. Sessions will be 7/31, 8/ 7, 8/14, 8/21, & 8/28. ALL must be attended.	Various	Choices
August 1, 2023	<b>Get the Scoop with TRAILS</b>	Jennifer Powell	
5:30pm – 6:30pm	Providers will learn more about the Traveling Resource And Information Library Service, inventory, professional development, technical assistance, and why it should be utilized by your program.	PL	Choices
August 31, 2023	<b>Baby Doll Circle Time</b>	Alicia Hundley	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	This training discusses attachment and connection with infants and toddlers using baby dolls and <i>Baby Doll Circle Time</i> by Dr. Becky Bailey.	EC	Choices
September 9, 2023	<b>Emergency Preparedness</b> 	Shannon Valles	
9:00am – 11:00pm	This course provides information on developing and implementing an emergency plan in a child care setting. The specialist will conduct a Technical Assistance visit with each participant to ensure a personalized plan.	HSN	Choices
September 14, 2023	<b>Individualizing Infant Care</b>	Alicia Hundley	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	This workshop will help infant caregivers plan for better one on one care for infants during routines like feeding, diapering, and naptime.	EC	Choices
September 20, 2023	<b>Oral Health</b>	Renee Stonebraker	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Importance of dental care for children, proper procedure for brushing teeth in a child care center for each age group, and oral health activities will be covered.	Various	Online

Date and Time	Title and Presenter/Description	Core Competency	Location
<b>Wood County Professional Development Calendar</b>			
<b>July 11, 2023</b>	<b>Adapting Your Gross Motor Play</b>	<b>Ashley Jobs</b>	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	This training will cover basic gross motor development for children. We will discuss how to adapt gross motor activities for indoor and outdoor play and the impacts it has on other areas of learning.	Various	Choices
<b>July 31, 2023</b>	<b>WVIT-R</b> 	<b>Alicia Mazariego</b>	
5:00pm – 8:30pm	WVIT-R is the new, updated infant toddler course. It contains 12 face-to-face sessions, 2 TACIT visits, and 4 self-paced online sessions. Meeting dates will be 7/31, 8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28, 9/18, 10/2, 10/16, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, & 11/20.	Various	Online
<b>August 9, 2023</b>	<b>Let’s Move</b>	Renee Stonebraker	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	Physical activity requirements for child care centers, age appropriate physical activities, and causes and prevention of childhood obesity will be covered.	CGD/ HSN	Choices
<b>August 15, 2023</b>	<b>Respiratory Infections</b>	Lisa Galford	
6:00pm – 7:00pm	Symptoms, prevention, and treatment for common respiratory infections in childcare will be discussed.	HSN	Choices
<b>August 22, 2023</b>	<b>West Virginia Elements of FCC Module Series</b> 	Ashley Jobs	
4:30pm – 8:30pm	WV Elements of Family Child Care Module Series is for family childcare providers. This is a 7-week course (EVERY TUESDAY through Oct. 3rd ) that will focus on best practice, child development, organizing your day and home, and individual goals for providers. 8/22, 8/29, 9/5, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3.	Various	Choices
<b>August 30, 2023</b>	<b>Tick Tock! It’s Transition o’clock</b>	Meagan Bragg	
6:00pm – 8:00pm	The purpose of this training is to learn the importance of transitions during daily activities, behaviors that can occur during transitions, and appropriate transition strategies.	CGD/ EC	Choices
<b>September 21, 2023</b>	<b>R-E-S-P-E-C-T: Why it’s important to respect children</b>	Chrissy Pownell Jodi Fortney	
5:30pm – 7:30pm	This training will discuss the topics of Relationships, Environments, Safe and Secure Interactions, Positivity, Emotional Regulation, Communication, Temperament and how they all lead to respecting children. We will also discuss how respecting children also means respecting their families.	Various	Choices

**In-Person Professional Development Policies**

- Anyone with symptoms of any illness will not be permitted to attend training.
- Participants must follow applicable COVID safety precautions, including wearing masks and social distancing when recommended by CDC guidance.
- You must register at [www.wvstars.org](http://www.wvstars.org) at least 24 hours in advance.
- Children are not permitted to attend training sessions.
- Participants who arrive more than 15 minutes late will not receive WV STARS credit.
- Sessions may be cancelled due to illness, inclement weather, or insufficient enrollment.

# Online Health and Safety Training

Online Trainings Offered by Child Care Nurse Health Consultants and Child Care Health Educators  
July 2023- September 2023

7/6	12:00-1:00 pm	Morning Health Checks	Lunchtime Learning
7/7	12:00-1:00 pm	Rashes & Scratches	Lunchtime Learning
7/10	6:30-8:30 pm	Summertime Safety	
7/11	6:30-8:30 pm	Oral Health *	
7/13	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
7/17	6:30-8:30 pm	All About Allergies	
7/19	10:00-11:00 am	Childhood Obesity *	Morning Session
7/22	8:00-11:00 am	Medication Administration	Saturday Morning
7/24	6:30-8:30 pm	Safe Sleep Practices *	
7/25	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
7/27	6:30-7:30 pm	Oral Health	
8/3	6:30-8:30 pm	Summertime Safety	
8/7	6:00-7:00 pm	Morning Health Checks	
8/8	6:30-8:30 pm	New Recipe Ideas 2 *	
8/10	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
8/14	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
8/15	6:30-7:30 pm	Oral Health	
8/16	6:30-8:30 pm	Stress Management *	
8/21	12:00-2:00 pm	New Recipe Ideas 1 *	Lunchtime Learning
8/22	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
8/24	6:00-7:00 pm	Rashes & Scratches	
8/29	6:30-8:30 pm	All About Allergies	
9/1	12:00-1:00 pm	Respiratory Infections	Lunchtime Learning
9/5	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
9/6	6:30-8:30 pm	Indoor and Outdoor Safety *	
9/8	10:00am-12:00pm	Communicable Diseases in Childcare	Morning Session
9/11	6:30-8:30 pm	Breastfeeding Basics *	
9/13	5:30-8:30 pm	Medication Administration	
9/14	12:30-1:30 pm	What Child Care Nurse Health Consultants and Child Care Health Educator Do for You?	Lunchtime Learning
9/19	12:00-1:00 pm	Morning Health Checks	Lunchtime Learning

\*=Provided by WV Child Care Health Educator

# Save the Dates



## VIRTUAL DIRECTORS' MEETING

AN OPPORTUNITY TO NETWORK

Bring your lunch and have conversations with your Quality Improvement Specialist and other program directors.


### NEED TO KNOW

- Open to Region II Directors ✓
- 1 hour of WV STARS credit ✓
- Hosted on Google Meet ✓

**DATE**   
August 24, 2023

**TIME**   
12:00-1:00 PM

**REGISTER NOW**


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## EARLY CHILDHOOD POSITIVE INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORT SERIES



**DATES**   
July 31, August 7, 14, 21, & 28, 2023

**TIME**   
6:00-8:00 PM

All session will be held at the Choices office in Clarksburg  
315 N. Ohio Ave., Clarksburg, WV 26301 

This is a five-part, face-to-face, module training that will introduce participants to Positive Behavior Interventions and Support for Preschool aged children. Strategies and tools will be discussed, as well as the research supporting this model. Initial and follow-up visits will be utilized as Proof of Learning. Participants must attend all 5 sessions to earn credit for this series.

Directors must have attended or attend an Overview session for staff to participate in the caregiver modules. An Overview will be offered virtually on July 25, 2023 from 1:00-2:00 pm. Register on [www.wvstars.org](http://www.wvstars.org).

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# Save the Date: The Growing Brain

Online Series

**CHOICES**  
CHILD CARE RESOURCE & REFERRAL

## THE GROWING BRAIN

### Session Dates

July 6, 2023

July 13, 2023

July 19, 2023

July 27, 2023

August 3, 2023

August 10, 2023

August 17, 2023

5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Presented by:  
Shannon Valles  
Alicia Hundley



**REGISTER  
ONLINE!**

### You will learn:

- The Parts of the Brain and Their Functions
- Factors That Affect Brain Growth and Development
- Communication Milestones
- How Cognitive Development Unfolds
- How Social-Emotional Development Unfolds
- Basic Brain Anatomy
- Development of Play

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## Save the Date: TRAILS Open House

# Get the Scoop with TRAILS



Join us for a night of  
how TRAILS can  
benefit your program!



### What to look forward to:

- Meet N Greet your TRAILS team.
- Presentation about TRAILS.
- Showcase of inventory and van.
- Information on how to sign up.

### You're Invited!


August 1, 2023

5:30-7:30 pm

Choices CCR&R  
315 N Ohio Ave  
Clarksburg WV  
26301

Enjoy a scoop of ice cream!

### More information :

 Jennifer.S.Powell@wv.gov  
Ashley.N.Jobes@wv.gov

## Save the Date: Great Beginnings

**Great Beginnings**  
INFANT/TODDLER  
CONFERENCE



**Change the Date**  
**September 28, 29, and 30**

**Waterfront Hotel**

Two Waterfront Place

**Morgantown**

# Save the Date: Family Child Care Conference

## SAVE THE DATE(S)

FAMILY CHILD CARE CONFERENCE  
THE KEY TO QUALITY



**OCTOBER 7, 2023 HUNTINGTON WV  
AND**

**NOVEMBER 4, 2023 FAIRMONT WV**

Learn how to enhance the quality of your program!

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Contact your TRAILS team for more information



## Food and Fun

### Banana Sushi

**Ingredients:** 1 flour tortilla, 1 peeled banana, peanut butter, Nutella or jelly.

**Instructions:** Spread peanut butter on one half of the tortilla and Nutella or jelly on the other half. Place the banana on the tortilla and roll the tortilla to cover the banana as tightly as possible. Slice your “sushi” into 1.5-inch round rolls and serve. Be mindful of any allergies in your program and change ingredients as needed.



### Outdoor Painting

**Materials:** a clear or white shower curtain liner, string or twine, paint, and painting utensils.

**Instructions:** Hang the shower curtain from a fence or a clothesline. Make sure the bottom is secured to prevent it from blowing. Provide children with supplies to paint on the shower curtain. The shower curtain can be reused daily by spraying it off with a garden hose or by letting the children clean it off with a bucket of soapy water and sponges.



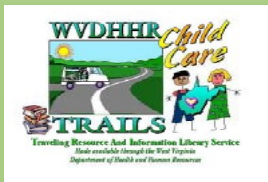
### Outdoor Sticky Mural

**Materials:** Contact paper, painter's tape, grass, flowers, and other natural elements.

**Instructions:** Use painters' tape to attach contact paper (sticky side out) to a surface. You can put up multiple for many children or one for an individual child. Encourage children to collect materials outdoors to stick on the contact paper and create their very own nature mural.



For more Food & Fun ideas, contact Ashley Jobs, TRAILS Early Childhood Specialist, at [Ashley.N.Jobs@wv.gov](mailto:Ashley.N.Jobs@wv.gov).



### Have You Checked Out TRAILS?

The Choices TRAILS van offers developmentally appropriate toys, games and books for the use of children in family childcare homes, centers, and facilities. To schedule an appointment to see all of the items TRAILS has to offer contact Jennifer Powell or Ashley Jobs at 304-485-2668.

### Child Care Food Program

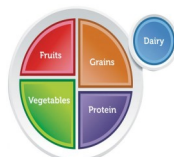
Wood County: 304-485-9238 ext 18

Harrison County: 304-905-9867

[www.frac.org](http://www.frac.org)

Benefits to child care providers include:

- Reimbursement for food costs
- Nutrition education & support
- Meal and snack planning
- Workshops & newsletters



**West Virginia WIC** provides nutrition & health education as well as other services free of charge to pregnant women, postpartum women, infants, and children up to the age of five.

[www.wvdhhr.org/ons](http://www.wvdhhr.org/ons)

### West Virginia Children's Health Insurance Program

[www.wvchip.org](http://www.wvchip.org)



Health care for children & expectant moms

Apply online at [www.wvinroads.org](http://www.wvinroads.org)

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[www.wvdhhr.org/choices](http://www.wvdhhr.org/choices)



**Choices Child Care Resource and Referral  
Child Care Providers' Newsletter and Professional Development Information**

Choices Child Care Resource and Referral is a program of River Valley Child Development Services. This program is being presented with financial assistance as a grant from the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources.

Visit us on the Web: [www.wvdhhr.org/choices](http://www.wvdhhr.org/choices).