

Sample Questions For Telephone Calls To Group Child Care Providers:

Date: _____

Facility: _____

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

General Questions:

(Note: all group child care centres must be licensed by their local health authority. The license must be displayed in a visible location.)

- I need part/time or full/time _____ child care, starting on _____. My child is _____ (months/years old). Do you have any space available? _____
- What are your hours? _____.
- How many children are in your program? _____ What are their ages? _____
- How many child care providers are on staff? _____ What is the staff to child ratio? _____
- What kind of training does the staff have? _____
- How long have the staff worked at the centre? _____
- Do you transport children off your facility? _____ If yes, do you walk the children or are they transported by vehicle? _____
- What safety precautions do you use when transporting children? _____
- Are parents welcome to visit whenever they wish? _____
- Do you have liability insurance? _____
- What activities and equipment does your program have to offer? _____

- Can you describe to me a typical day at your centre? _____

- Do you welcome children who require extra support in your program? _____
- Why/or why not? _____
- What are your fees? _____

- Any other questions specific to your child e.g. health concerns, allergies, naptimes, etc
