

Family Start-up Grant

The Family Start-up Grant (FSUG) helps fund start-up costs for licensed family and residential certificate child care programs. Programs are eligible to apply for a maximum of two start-up grants.



Eligibility

Awarded to licensed family and residential certificate child care programs who have:

- Become regulated
- Changed locations
- Increased enrollment capacity
- Closed longer than a year and reopen

The grant must be applied for within 12 months since the above changes.

Providers may be awarded a lifetime maximum of two start-up grants.

Maximum amount awarded is \$400, some exceptions apply. See application for full details.

Covered Expenses Include:

- Child Care Licensing Fees
- Business License Fees
- Fire and Kitchen Inspection Fees
- Fire Extinguishers, Smoke Detectors, First Aid Kits
- First Aid and CPR Training
- Food Handler's Permit Training
- Certain equipment and material requirements for licensure as documented by Utah Child Care Licensing. (A full list of covered expenses and amounts can be found on the application [here.](#))



Apply for the Family Start-up Grant [online.](#)

Questions?

Please contact your local [Care About Childcare agency](#) for assistance.