

ACCREDITATION

DVD: Accreditation: Professionalism in Child Care

By: Alberta Association for the Accreditation of Early Learning and Care Services

Edition: 2005/07

Booklet: Accreditation and Quality - Tips for Validator Visit

By: Unknown

Edition: Unknown

Summary: *“A validation day is very stressful. To reduce the stress, the best preparation is to help the staff have a vision of the day. The following information is used to educate the staff on what to expect and the items to have available to the validator.”*

Also includes information on: the day of the visit, during the tour of the center, reminders, and things to do while awaiting a validation visit.

Book: Alberta Child Care Accreditation Program Self-Study Guide for Family Child Care Agencies

Author: Alberta Association for the Accreditation of Early Learning and Care Services

Edition: Unknown

Book: Alberta Child Care Accreditation Program Self-Study Guide for Child Care Centres

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Hand Guide: Alberta Child Care Accreditation Funding Guide for Family Day Home Agencies

Author: Alberta Children Services

Edition: Unknown

Summary: To assist families in choosing the best child care for their children and to promote excellence in child care settings, Alberta Children’s Services had introduced the Child Care Accreditation Funding Program and new funding rates effective October 1, 2004. The new funding and increased rates of the accreditation model will help family day home agencies become accredited and support the recruitment and retention of trained, qualified staff and providers in the field of early childhood education and development and recognize the training



towards meeting the Provincial Safety Standard #10. This guide outlines the details of the new funding and includes funding application forms, supplementary forms, and information on how each family day home agency can apply to receive various types of accreditation funding.

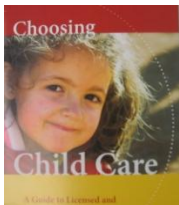


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Hand Guide: Choosing Child Care - A Guide to Licensed and Approved Child Care in Alberta

By: Unknown

Edition: Unknown

Summary: This child care booklet offers tools to help you in your search for the most suitable child care for your family. The Telephone Interview Planner and Child Care Program Visit Checklist, located in the centre of this booklet, can be removed to assist you in your search. As you begin this important journey with your child, remember - you know your family's needs better than anyone else. Start your search early and be prepared to spend time researching your options. Make your final decision only when you feel confident and comfortable with your choice.

Book: Accreditation of Child Care Centres

Author: Margaret Anne Golberg

Edition: Unknown

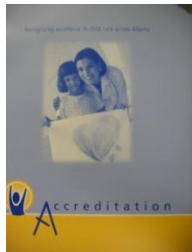
Summary: The accreditation of Alberta day care centres and family day homes is recommended in this report as an important means of identifying programs that offer quality child care. With the establishment of consistent quality criteria, child care providers are given a tool to measure and improve program delivery. Parents are offered an opportunity to make an informed choice as child care consumers. Community dollars can be invested wisely in programs that ensure positive outcomes for children. The accreditation system proposed establishes quality

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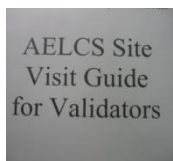
standards and methods for measuring and auditing the delivery of child care services Alberta.

Booklet: Validator/ Moderator Training Participant Materials
Author: Alberta Child Care Accreditation Program
Edition: March 2005



Portfolio: Accreditation
Author: Alberta Association for the Accreditation of Early Learning and Care Services
Edition: Unknown
Summary: Includes an application form, quality standards, pamphlet, review, and contact numbers

Binder: OSC Accreditation Manual Self-Study Guide
By: Canadian Accreditation Council
Edition: Unknown



Binder: AELCS Site Visit Guide for Validator
By: AELCS
Edition: September 2005
Summary: The success and credibility of the Alberta Association for the Accreditation of Early Learning and Care Services (AELCS) are dependent upon the performance of child care professionals who are engaged in the external assessment or validation of an applicant service: the Validator and the Moderator. AELCS depends upon the Validator and Moderators to assure the objectivity and quality of accreditation of licensed and contracted child services in Alberta.

Binder: Re-Accreditation Manual (C.C)
By: AELCS
Edition: Unknown
Summary: While it may be hard to believe, it is already time to prepare for accreditation. The re-accreditation review guide and process is smaller and shorter than the accreditation self study guide in recognition of the fact that, through the accreditation process, you have already demonstrated that your program meets the standards. In addition, you have provided reports each year to demonstrate that you continue to maintain or enhance the quality of services you provide to children and families.

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Binder: Self-Study Guide

By: AELCS

Edition: Unknown

Summary: The purpose of the accreditation initiative in Alberta is to raise the standard of child care in the province and improve best practices in early learning and child care services. IT is also being implemented to support families through the provision and identification of quality child care.