



## Employment Opportunity: Child Care Health Consultant

The public health pandemic has identified new needs in the early childhood field. If you enjoy working to stay update-to-date on the latest public health guidance, have a strong commitment to support child care programs in adopting new health procedures and processes, and want to contribute to high-quality early learning environments - then check out the *NEW* Child Care Health Consultant position at Child Care Aware of Kansas!

For almost 30 years, Child Care Aware of Kansas has been working hard to develop programming and build systems that support young children, families, child care providers, and communities. Each team members' workday is different and packed full of opportunities. The Consultant works daily to coach and support child care programs (on-site and/or virtually) to implement procedures and practices to improve the health of their child care environment, distribute supportive resources and review grant applications.

### Educational requirements

Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood, Child Development, Human Services, Health Care or related field preferred. A minimum of an Associate Degree with 2 years' work-related experience in early childhood or health education preferred.

Experience in early childhood or health education required. Public speaking experience preferred. The successful candidate will work independently in a fast-paced environment and multi-task regularly.

### Location: Several positions will be hired around the state.

Position is full-time with benefits including: employee paid health, dental insurance, Cafeteria Plan, Simple IRA, vacation/sick leave, etc. Working hours are typically Monday-Friday, 8:00am-5:00pm; however, some evening and weekend hours are required. Ability to occasionally travel overnight. Travel around the state will be essential, vehicle expenses will be paid (either by use of an organization vehicle or mileage reimbursement) - must have a valid Kansas driver's license.

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**Child Care Aware® of Kansas** is a non-profit organization that serves as administrator to the statewide child care resource and referral (CCR&R) network in Kansas. The organization serves all 105 counties by:

- ensuring that **families** have access to affordable, high-quality child care across the state - through child care referrals and consumer education;
- supporting four regional CCR&Rs who work locally to support **child care providers**, programs and early learning staff - through statewide quality initiatives and professional development events;
- and being actively involved in both state and national advocacy efforts that work for positive changes that impact Kansas **communities**.

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To apply:

Send cover letter, including salary requirements, resume and references to:

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