Early Childhood

Young children are the foundation of our community. Carroll County is fortunate to have a variety of quality programs available to families for the care and education of their young children.

The intent of this brochure is to provide residents of Carroll County with a list of resources when looking for child care, preschool, or early childhood services.

lowa's early childhood mission is:

Every child beginning at birth will be healthy and successful.











What can Carroll County offer your child

from birth to 5 years of age?

Carroll County Early Care & Education Services

Additional Information and Resources available at http://www.partnerships4families.org







Child Care

Preschool

Early Childhood Services

Child Care Resource & Referral

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) provides resources, education and advocacy to support quality child care. They assist families in finding care that meets their needs and talk to parents about quality indicators such as ChildNet and the lowa Quality Rating System (QRS). Child Care Consultants provide on-site consultation to all preschools, centers, homes and before and after school programs. CCR&R also provides professional development to child care professionals and provides data to community leaders.

800-945-9778 • www.iowaccrr.org

Non-registered home providers can care for five or fewer children at one time (including their own) and are not required to be registered. They are mostly unregulated.

Registered home providers may care for six or more children at one time and agree to meet minimum health and safety standards. There are three categories of registration, based on size of house, education level and years of experience.

Child Care Centers and Preschools are either licensed by the lowa Department of Human Services, or regulated by the lowa Department of Education (if in a school building). These programs must be in compliance with standards set forth by their respective departments.

Carroll Area CCC & Preschool

Their mission is to provide the highest quality childcare and educational services available, including the provision of food, rest, play, citizenship, habit training, and general supervision to children 2 weeks - 10 years of age.

712-792-1375

Breda Day Care Center

An early childhood education program for young children 2 weeks to 10 years old. Located at 406 North 3rd Street in Breda.

712-673-KIDS (5437)

Manning Child Care Center

Serving children 6 weeks to 12 years, in a quality early childhood environment. 712-655-KIDS (5437)

Tracey's Tots Day Care Center

Children will enjoy daily crafts, music, story time, recess, nutritious snacks and hot meals and transportation are provided. Children from age 2 weeks to 12 years.

712-792-3288

ABCD Preschool

1912 Lois Ave Carroll **712-792-3117**

Carroll Area CCC & Preschool

113 W 7th St Carroll **712-792-1375**

Early Steps to Learning

708 N Adams Carroll **712-792-1811**

Carroll Community Preschool

Multiple locations Carroll 712-792-8030

Little Lamb Preschool

St Paul Lutheran Carroll 712-792-4354

Coon Rapids-Bayard Pre-K

CRB Building Coon Rapids 712-999-2208

Glidden-Ralston Preschool

G-R Elementary Glidden 712-659-3863

IKM-Manning School District

Manning Building Manning 712-655-3761
Irwin Building Irwin 712-782-3126

Zion Lutheran Preschool

1204 Center St Manning **712-655-2352**

Head Start & Early Head Start 712-792-9266 Ext 400

New Opportunities, Inc Head Start 3-5 provides center based preschool services for children 3-5 years old. Classrooms are located in Carroll, Coon Rapids.

Early Head Start is a comprehensive home visitation program for income eligible families.

H.O.P.E.S.-Healthy Opportunities for Parents to Experience Success:

A home visitation program for families with children prenatal to 3. http://www.co.carroll.ia.us/PublicHealth/public_health.htm 712-794-5623

Carroll County Nest: An Education and incentive program for prenatal women. 712-794-5623

WIC Women Infant and Children 800-642-6330
Immunizations St. Anthony Carroll County Public Health. 712-794-5408

Child Health Specialty Clinics Medical services for children with special needs. http://childhealthspecialtyclinics.org 712-792-5530

Heartland AEA/ Early Access lowa's interagency system of early intervention services for children with or at risk of developmental delays. It is a central point of entry for families to obtain information and services that will be beneficial for their child's development.

800-377-8115 or 712-792-3102

Parent Time Out / Crisis Child Care Gives parents a break from parenting. 800-999-5101 or 712-792-6440

FRC Waiver Program Serving children and adults with special needs. 800-999-5101 or 712-792-6440

Department of Human Service located at 608 N Court, Suite C in Carroll. 866-202-5968

New Opportunities Family Development Center Services for income eligible households. *www.newopp.org* **712-792-2832**

Partnerships 4 Families Preschool Assistance

Partnerships 4 Families Early Childhood Iowa Area offers Preschool Tuition Assistance for families at some preschools. 712-775-7926

Carroll County Early Childhood Task Force Meets on a quarterly basis to discuss the needs of young children in Carroll County. Please call Partnerships 4 Families, 712-775-7926 for time and location. Also contact P4F if you would like your early childhood service listed in this brochure. 10-14