

Children's Services Social & Community Services Department Halton Region 1151 Bronte Rd Oakville ON L6M 3L1

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RE: Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care System (CWELCC) 2025-26 Application Process Updated Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) and Application Form

Dear Operator,

On January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Halton Region hosted a webinar to provide a detailed overview of Halton's CWELCC Application process for enrollment or expansion in 2025 and 2026 and other key information.

## Frequently Asked Questions - Update

In follow-up to the webinar, please find enclosed an updated copy of frequently asked questions that includes additional questions and answers received from interested applicants and during the webinar. This document will be made available at Halton.ca. For additional questions please e-mail childcareservices@halton.ca.

## **Application Process – Update for Operators Seeking to Expand Multiple Centre Sites**

If your organization is applying for CWELCC enrolment for multiple sites or expanding currently enrolled sites and enrolling new sites, please send an e-mail to childcareservices@halton.ca to receive a multi-site application form. This multi-site application form will better enable operators to provide responses for operational readiness specific to each site.

As a reminder, completed applications to be considered for new/additional CWELCC spaces must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST) on January 31, 2025 firm. No extensions to this deadline will be granted.

Thank you for your potential interest in enrolling or expanding in the CWELCC System in Halton Region.

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**Attachments:** Frequently Asked Questions - Updated