



FACT SHEET: INCOME ASSISTANCE

Daycare Subsidy

- The Department of Family Services' Daycare User Subsidy is available to provide financial support to low-income families who reside in Nunavut, to make child care more affordable, while they pursue education or training opportunities outside the home.
- Applicants must reside in Nunavut and be 18 years of age or older with a child (or children) under the age of 12.
- The amount of support provided depends on a number of factors, including:
 - Financial need;
 - The age of the child that requires care;
 - Whether the daycare is licensed or unlicensed; and
 - Parental attendance in work, school or training.

Type of Daycare	Part-time Care	Full-time Care
Licensed Daycare	\$350/month per child	\$700/month per child
Licensed Family Day Home	\$300/month per child	\$600/month per child
Unlicensed Care Home	\$250/month per child	\$500/month per child

*The amounts listed above reflect maximum amounts allowable. As noted, the amount of subsidy available depends on the age of the children, the type of care, and the type of facility.