

CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR) PROVIDERS FOR CHILD CARE STAFF

Section 19a-79 of Connecticut General Statutes, as amended by Public Act 19-105, and Section 19a-79-4a of the Regulations for Connecticut State Agencies require at all times a child care center is in operation there shall be present at least one staff member who has current certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). Such certification shall be issued by the American Red Cross, the American Heart Association, the National Safety Council, American Safety and Health Institute, Medic First Aid International, Inc. or an organization using guidelines for CPR and emergency cardiovascular care published by the American Heart Association and International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation. The certification shall be appropriate for all of the children served in the child care program.

The following organizations offer training in CPR that is known to meet the above requirements for staff in child care programs regulated by the Connecticut Office of Early Childhood(OEC).

American Red Cross

Local Chapter 877-287-3327
Training Support Center 800-Red Cross/800-733-2767
www.ctredcross.org

American Heart Association

Local Number 203-294-0088
National Service Center 877-AHA-4CPR
www.Americanheart.org

American Safety & Health Institute

1-800-447-3177
www.emergencycare.hsi.com or customerservice@hsi.com

Ellis & Associates

1-800-742-8720
www.jellis.com

Medic First Aid

1-800-447-3177
www.emergencycare.hsi.com or customerservice@hsi.com

National Safety Council

1-800-621-7615 x2336
www.nsc.org