

Cloth Diaper Policy and Procedure

To prevent disease transmission, child care staff need to ensure proper infection prevention and control practices are in place when changing diapers. During these pandemic times, additional policies and procedures have been put into place in order to maintain the safest environment for our children and employees.

Due to this an additional diapering measures will be implemented for the duration of this pandemic in order to address potential health risk the use of cloth diapers can bring to a daycare.

Children currently using cloth diapers are encouraged to use disposable diapers at the daycare. If reuseable cloth diapers are used, soiled diapers should be properly handled and stored to minimize the risk of disease transmission.

Diapering Procedure:

Soiled cloth diapers are not to be rinsed or cleaned at the daycare facility and should be handled a little as possible. Place the soiled cloth diaper and its contents (without emptying or rinsing) in a plastic bag or into a plastic-lined, hands-free covered diaper pail to give to parents/guardians or laundry service.

Provider Information:

Parent must also provide to us the cloth diaper supplier information which includes:

- Name of cloth diaper service
- Address of the service
- Telephone number of the service

By providing the contact information of the diaper service, a public health inspector can assess the service to ensure it meets infection prevention and control requirements.