

# Child Care Family and Group facilities: Child-To-Staff Ratios

- ❖ Family Day Care (FDC)-3-6 children with 1 caregiver (no more than 3 children under age 2)
- ❖ Group Day Care (GDC)-7-12 children (no more than 6 children under age 2) with 2 caregivers any time there are 7 or more children present
- ❖ Care exclusively to children under age 2
  - (FDC)-4 children under age 2 with 1 caregiver
  - (GDC)-8 children under age 2 with 2 caregivers. Must have two caregivers when there are more than 5 children present.
- ❖ Child/Staff ratios
  - Family: 6:1 with up to 3 children under age two
  - Group: 12:2 with up to 6 children under age two
    - Must have 2 caregivers any time there are more than 6 children
  - May not exceed number on registration certificate at any time
- ❖ Overlap
  - ONLY 3 hours a day
  - Children must be at least 3 years old
  - Family Day Cares
    - Allowed 2 overlap children
  - Group Day Cares
    - Allowed 4 overlap children