

2016 Standard List of Screening and Coordination for Authorized Childcare Facilities*

*Authorized daycare centers, Nintei Kodomo-en (centers for early childhood education and care), regionally based childcare programs

Attached form 1

| Reasons for guardians to require childcare | | | | Father | Mother | |
|--|--|---|---|---|--|-----|
| 1 | Working | Employees, self-employed (business owners) | Number of working days: 20 days or more | Monthly total working hours: 150 hrs or more | 100 | 100 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | 90 | 90 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 80 to 119 hrs | 85 | 85 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 79 hrs | 80 | 80 |
| | | | Number of working days: 16 to 19 days | Monthly total working hours: 150 hrs or more | 90 | 90 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | 80 | 80 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 80 to 119 hrs | 75 | 75 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 79 hrs | 70 | 70 |
| | | Number of working days: less than 16 days | Monthly total working hrs: 150 hrs or more | 80 | 80 | |
| | | | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | 75 | 75 | |
| | | | Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 119 hrs | 70 | 70 | |
| | | | Self-employed (assistants), home-workers | Number of working days: 20 days or more | Monthly total working hrs: 150 hrs or more | 80 |
| | | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | | | 75 | 75 |
| | | Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 119 hrs | | | 70 | 70 |
| | | Number of working days: less than 20 days | | Monthly total working hrs: 150 hrs or more | 70 | 70 |
| | | | | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | 65 | 65 |
| Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 119 hrs | 60 | | | 60 | | |
| Number of working days: less than 16 days | Monthly total working hrs: 150 hrs or more | 60 | | 60 | | |
| | Monthly total working hrs: 120 to 149 hrs | 55 | | 55 | | |
| | Monthly total working hrs: 64 to 119 hrs | 50 | 50 | | | |
| 2 | Pregnant, childbirth | Pregnant and scheduled to deliver within eight weeks or has given birth within the past eight weeks | | — | 100 | |
| 3 | Illness, disabled | Illness | Hospitalized | 100 | 100 | |
| | | | At-home treatment | Confined to bed constantly | 100 | 100 |
| | | | | Hospital care is required several times every month | 70 | 70 |
| | | | | At-home treatment other than those mentioned above | 50 | 50 |
| | | Disabled | People with grade 1 or 2 physical disabilities, grade 1 or 2 mentally handicapped persons, grade A intellectually handicapped persons | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Grade 3 to 6 hearing impairment | 70 | 70 | | |
| 4 | Caring for a family member living in the same household | It is difficult to take care of one's other child(ren) because of having to take a handicapped child(ren) to a center for orthopedically-impaired children. | | 80 | 80 | |
| | | Treatment and care at a hospital, etc. or treatment and care at home | | 70 | 70 | |
| 5 | Working to recover from the damage caused by a disaster | | | 100 | 100 | |
| 6 | Intensively seeking employment (including preparation to launch a business) | | | 50 | 50 | |
| 7 | School attendance | Undergoing job training or in school. Monthly school attendance hrs: 120 hrs or more | | 80 | 80 | |
| | | Undergoing job training or in school. Monthly school attendance hrs: less than 120 hrs | | 70 | 70 | |
| 8 | Abuse or domestic violence | Abuse (households for which a warning has been issued by the child guidance center's director, etc.) | | 999 | | |
| | | Domestic violence (households for which protection orders have been issued by a family court) | | 100 | | |
| 9 | Using daycare facilities before taking childcare leave, and daycare is needed even after the childcare leave | | | 70 | 70 | |
| 10 | Reasons similar to those above | Going to school to learn Japanese | | 50 | 50 | |
| | | B-type ongoing support for seeking employment Monthly working hrs: 120 hrs or more | | 80 | 80 | |
| | | B-type ongoing support for seeking employment Monthly working hrs: less than 120 hrs | | 70 | 70 | |
| | | If the guardian is scheduled to start job seeking after placing his/her child(ren) into a daycare facility | | 50 | 50 | |
| 11 | Out-of-jurisdiction care | Registered address is outside of Sapporo (*1) | | 30 | | |

Attached form 2

| | | Item | Points |
|-----------|--|---|--------------|
| 1 | Household types | Single-parent family | 110 |
| | | When the need for childcare is clearly recognized, but it is difficult to determine the number of points for a guardian. | 70 |
| | | Household with disabled person(s) | 10 |
| | | Household with disabled person(s) | 10 |
| 2 | | Households falling into daycare fee brackets B or C | 10 |
| 3 | | The main income earner is seeking employment (including preparations to launch a business), or will start job hunting after placing his/her child(ren) into a daycare facility, and the economic independence of the family (based on the guardian's income) is essential for the growth of child(ren). | 20 |
| 4 (*2) | | a) Use of the daycare facilities after maternity or childcare leave | 40 |
| | | b) In the case of child(ren) whose siblings are already attending daycare facilities | 40 |
| | | c) In the case of child(ren) whose siblings are already attending daycare facilities and will need to continue attending a daycare facility after maternity leave or childcare leave ends | 60 |
| | | Application for more than one child at a time | 20 |
| 5 | | Should the director of the Health & Welfare Department determine an urgent need to attend a daycare facility following a protection order by a family court due to the risk of domestic violence. | 100 |
| 6 | A children's nurse or other certified childcare giver is devoted to childcare duties at the childcare facility | 150 or more hours worked monthly | 60 |
| | | 120-150 hours worked monthly | 40 |
| | | 64-120 hours worked monthly | 20 |
| 7 (*3) | Change in facility | Beginning of business year | 10 |
| | | Difficulty in commuting to daycare facilities due to having moved or other reasons | 20 |
| | | Should the child(ren) need to change facility after exceeding the acceptable age for services or facilities (*4) | 500 (999) |
| | | Changing from daycare centers which are scheduled to close | 500 |
| | | In other cases where the director of the Health & Welfare Department recognizes the needs for continued daycare. | 500 |
| 8 | | Should the facility within a Nintei Kodomo-en (center for early childhood education and care) change from category 1 to category 2 | 999 |
| | | In the case that the child(ren) continue going to the same facility after its status changes from unauthorized to authorized. (*5) | 999 |
| 9 | | In the case that a child already enrolled in an authorized childcare facility becomes eligible for temporary care at a Child Consultation Center and leaves the facility, and after finishing temporary care wishes to return to the facility within a one month period. | 999 |

Notes

[Attached form 1]

*1 The points for item 11 are in general not added elsewhere, however, in cases where a childcare facility changes status from unauthorized to authorized, these points are added to item 8 in Attached form 2.

[Attached form 2]

*2 Points should only be added for only one corresponding item among a, b, and c; not compounded. Items b and c include cases where educational operations occur at the same facility.

*3 If the child is currently receiving daycare service from a workplace daycare as part of a parent's employee benefits, points from this category shall not be added to the score - the situation is instead counted as an application for new enrollment. However, it is possible to apply the points in item 9 of Attached form 1.

*4 Applies to young children who are at least 1 year 10 months of age at the time of transfer from an infant nursery center, and to those who are at least 3 years of age at the time of transfer from Community-based Childcare Programs or from category 3 authorized daycare centers. However, when children enter category 3 authorized daycare centers after having turned 3 years old, the points apply once screening and arrangements have been made for the start of use in the next business year.

When a day care facility (excluding Community-based Childcare Programs) has been changed into a joint facility (only those with the capacity to accept applicants) and that is the first choice of the applicant, 999 points are to be added to the score. (When choosing other joint facilities for the second choice or below, 999 are still added to the score.)

*5 Applicable only in cases when the child(ren) are enrolled in the facility as of the final day before its status changes from unauthorized to authorized, and the parents wish to continue enrollment of their child(ren) at the same facility as a first choice (excluding the designated number of children of workers for daycare service in the facilities).

Attached form 3

If multiple applicants have the same total score, the points relating to "changing facilities" in both attached forms will be deducted. If the scores are still the same, priority will be given in the order below.

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| 1 | Licensed professionals, such as nurses, working for daycare centers, etc. |
| 2 | Siblings are already attending the facility. |
| 3 | Households with a low annual income |
| 4 | Households in a low income-based tax bracket |
| 5 | The child for whom an application is being made is disabled. |
| 6 | Households with multiple children |
| 7 | Nuclear households |
| 8 | Comprehensively judged according to the situation of the households |