

Care for Children of Families of Emergency Workers

- School districts and charter schools should provide care to, at a minimum, district- and charter-enrolled students aged 12 and under who are children of emergency workers critical to the State’s response to COVID-19.
- School districts and charters will handle the verification of students, which may include securing a letter from the employer or showing an employment badge.
- The Governor encourages school districts and charters to also provide extended care – before and after school hours – to students of emergency workers.

Healthcare staff as described below:

- Health care providers and systems, including hospitals and clinics
- Post-acute and long-term care facilities, including nursing and assisted living facilities
- Other health systems and organizations, such as:
 - Home Care workers
 - Personal Care Assistants
 - Ambulance/emergency
 - Direct Care and Treatment

Other emergency staff, including:

- First responders
- Firefighters
- Personnel providing correctional services
- Essential Court personnel
- Minnesota State Veterans Homes staff
- State and local public health agency employees
- MNsure Navigators
- County financial/eligibility workers
- County case managers
- Or any county staff in emergency management or health and human services