

Dear University Category 1 Parents,

UKids - Child Care Programs and UKids - Guardsman Way want you to know that we've got you covered. If you need a SAFE, CLEAN, and HEALTHY environment for your child, we are fully prepared offer full-day child care from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm on weekdays through this transitional period. We will have limited spaces in our child care with availability for children 6 weeks to 8 years old (up until their 9th birthday) for children who are healthy and symptom-free.

To ensure that everyone in our facility is healthy and happy, we are going to be requiring a quick forehead scan for all students who attend to confirm that temperatures are 100 degrees or lower, and we are going to require hand sanitizer and hand washing upon entering our facility. Children who show any symptoms during the day will need to be picked up immediately and will not be allowed to attend any of our programs until 48 hours after they are symptom-free. A doctor's note will be required to return. This will be strictly enforced for everyone's health and safety.

The students will be doing lots of activities during the week including lots of games, educational activity, arts and crafts, and other activities. Breakfast, lunch and an afternoon snack will be provided.

**If you have questions, please call 801-587-7932. To enroll your child, go to [childcare.utah.edu](http://childcare.utah.edu) to fill out the "Waitlist Application." Be sure to indicate on the application that you are a U of U Category 1 staff member.**

We love this community and we love the families who work here. We are not going to let closings have a negative effect on your ability to go to work and make a living.

At UKids - Guardsman Way, we are taking all precautionary measures to guarantee a fun, safe, and healthy training environment for you and your child. In fact, we are going above and beyond the CDC's recommendations of deep cleaning, disinfecting, and sanitizing and have instituted the following protocols:

- We will spray germ killing disinfectants daily.
- Extra staff members will be wiping down all surfaces.
- We will have hand sanitizer located at the entrance.

We will also be enforcing proper hand-washing and sanitizing throughout the day.

Our commitment is to be here for you when you need us the most and try to maintain a sense of normalcy all while being aware of the current and ongoing situation with COVID-19. Common sense is key, so we'll keep doing what we do best and make adjustments as the need arises.

Thank you for your support of UKids - Guardsman Way and the University Community! We are truly grateful.

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Best regards,  
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