Little House in the Country Childcare Parent Agreement & Policies

During this difficult and stressful time, we at Little House in the Country Childcare want you to know that we value the safety and wellbeing of our families and our staff. For this reason, we ask that you take time to read through the following statements that we have put into place to keep everyone healthy and safe:

- If you meet any of the following criteria, we ask that you consider your well-being when picking up or dropping off a child at our program:
 - o If you are older than 60 years old,
 - o Are Pregnant,
 - Have underlying health conditions, including those with compromised immune systems or respiratory conditions like severe asthma.
- If any of the following pertains to you, please do not enter the building. If you are unsure of whether you should enter the building please call us and we will have a member of our staff meet you outside.
 - o Have symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, cough, shortness of breath),
 - o Have been in contact with someone with COVID-19 in the last 14 days, or
 - O Have returned from travel to areas with community spread of COVID-19 <u>as defined by the CDC</u> in the last 14 days.
- When picking up or dropping off a child(ren), we ask that you practice "social distancing" (6 feet) when possible and wear a mask at all times.
- We will be providing hand sanitizer for your use when signing your child in and out.
- Sanitizing wipes will be made available at the sign in sheets for you to clean the pen with.
- If your child becomes ill while in our program, you will be asked to pick-up your child within one hour of the program contacting you. Please have plans in place to ensure you or a designated person is available if this should occur. The child's temperature will be checked with 2 different thermometers to ensure accuracy.
- Please ensure we have your current contact information as well as emergency contact information.

For the safety of our staff and families all of our classroom toys and equipment are continually cleaned and sanitized throughout the day.

We thank you for helping us keep you and your child(ren) safe during this time. If you have any questions, please contact Tara Robertson, Nicole Piantanida or Janet Settle at 860-872-0252.	
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