

National Childcare Provision & Support Offers Autumn 2020

Parents and carers should also access their local Family Information Service, which is regarded as a first point of contact for updated information on childcare provision, using the childcare finder on the Coram Family and Childcare website.

NHS England and NHS Improvement



Summer Childcare Provision



Name	Offer	Region	Contact	Website
Bright Horizons Nurseries and Pre-schools	 We have more than 300 nurseries bringing fun, play and learning to children throughout the UK. We are pleased to provide the NHS with the following benefits: Free registration and priority bookings for all NHS staff Flexibility with session booking: book a specific number of sessions per month and use them when needed, subject to availability Half term holiday care for children up to 8 years old Please call 03717 053 523 to discuss availability and fees. 	National	Contact: 03717 053 523 quoting NHS05 0345 241 5309 for emergency childcare services	https://www.b righthorizons. co.uk/





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For more information about our nurseries, please call **03717 053 523** quoting "**NHS05**" and we will endeavour to accommodate your childcare needs.

NHS staff may also be able to **save up to 40%** on nursery fees when using a Bright Horizons nursery local to a hospital site.

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Busy Bees	Holiday care for children age 4 years and over. Free registration for NHS staff. Busy Bees will work with NHS organisations and local systems to block book half term provision or to open centres where there is need.	National	Contact: Jane.Jobson @busybees.c om Or: enrolments@ busybees.co m	https://www.b usybeeschild care.co.uk/

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Busy Bees has UK coverage with 355 nurseries located in England, Scotland and Wales. There are 19 holiday clubs in England. Busy Bees will work with NHS organisations and local systems to block book provision or to open provision where there is the demand and capacity to do so.

Our Offer:

- October half-term care for children aged 4* years and over, subject to availability
- Free registration
- Easy registration and admissions process for temporary placement (with no obligation to book permanently)**
- High quality care and education delivered by a dedicated, qualified and professional teams
- Safe and secure environment
- · Well resourced, high quality facilities
- · Access to Busy Bees exclusive home learning programme 'UP'
- Please contact: enrolments@busybees.com or 0330 333 8133

*For children aged under 4, please enquire directly at your local Busy Bees Centre to discuss how we can help. (T&C's apply)



^{**} minimum booking pattern maybe required at certain nurseries



Busy Bees

Centres offering Holiday scheme	Address
Gravesend	Windsor Road, Gravesend, Kent, DA12 5BW
Hexham	Maidens Walk, Hexham, NE46 1DR
Ipswich Pinewood	Marbled White Drive, Pinewood, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP8 3TL
Lancaster	Ovangle Road, Lancaster, LA1 5JR
Bitterswell	Hall Ln, Lutterworth, LE17 4LN
Nottingham Hospital	Gate 3, Hucknall Road, Nottingham, NG5 1PB
Nottingham Wollaton	Bramcote Lane, Wollaton, Nottingham, NG8 2NG
Chorley Brooke Street	Brooke Street, Chorley, Lancashire, PR7 3BS
Horsham	11 Bartholomew Way, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 5JL
Harrogate Hornbeam	Hookstone Road, Harrogate, HG2 8QT
	College Business Park, Kearsley Road, Ripon, North Yorkshire,
Ripon	HG4 2RN
Epson	12 The Parade, Epsom, Surrey, KT18 5DH
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Nottingham Toton	Minton Close, Off Swiney Way, Toton, Nottingham, NG9 6PZ
Leicester Blaby	170 Lutterworth Road, Blaby, Leicester, Leicestershire, LE8 4DP
•	Dolphin House, Riverside West, Smugglers Way, Wandsworth,
Wandsworth	London, SW18 1DE
Belper Alton Manor	Gregorys Way, Belper, Derbyshire, DE56 0HS
Hartham Park	Pinder Lodge, Hartham Park, Port Hill, Hertfordshire, SG14 1QS
Ashford Godington	Godinton Day Nursery, Lockholt Close, Ashford, Kent, TN23 3JR
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Rainham	Solomon Road, Rainham, Gillingham, Kent, ME8 8EB



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SearchChildcare – A free service from the charity PACEY (Professional Association for Childcare and Early Years)	Information, advice and support on registered childminding and how it can offer flexible, high quality care and early education, including atypical hours https://searchchildcare.org.uk October half term provision: Registered childminders (Ofsted in England, CIW in Wales) are trained professionals, able to care for a range of ages and more likely to be flexible for those working atypical hours. They can care for siblings and, over the October half-term can organise activities whilst maintaining Covid-19 hierarchy of controls. NHS staff can ask their local council about childminders in their area or search for registered childcare providers for free using SearchChildcare.	England and Wales	https://searchch ildcare.org.uk For further information please also open: Adobe Acrobat Document

PACEY





Helping to find childcare



These are uncertain times. And, especially if you're a critical key worker, you'll know that in order to do your job well, you need safe, registered childcarers to look after your children. Using SearchChildcare, you can search - for free - for registered, insured, childcare professionals who are open for key workers near you.

www.searchchildcare.org.uk







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Koru Kids	Koru Kids is a childcare service providing families across London with part-time and after school nannies. We have trained and vetted nannies to look after children at home, and can help NHS workers who are struggling to find childcare unique to their situation. Signing up is free and you can browse local nannies instantly. We are best known for service for children aged 4+, but we also have nannies that can look after children from 0 to 4 years old. Our nannies get lots of support including first aid training and enhanced DBS checks, and we manage all the paperwork. We take the hassle out of finding a nanny and any admin that goes with it. Due to Covid-19 we match nannies only for walking/cycling/driving commutes, to avoid public transport. Rates start from £13/hour with no upfront fees.	If your organisation is looking for something more specific and bespoke, please don't hesitate to contact us (support@koruki ds.co.uk) so we can solve your childcare woes.	London	www.korukid s.co.uk

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Kings Camp has been getting children active, having fun and making friends for three decades. Bookings are open for October half term:

- Camps are available to book as a 5 day package
- Prices vary by location (see website for details)
- Phone to book and obtain the NHS discount: 0114 2632160 (Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm)



Venue	Oct 19	Oct 26
Birmingham - Blue Coat School	Χ	X
Cardiff - Howell's School		Χ
Chester - The King's School		Χ
Reading - Queen Anne's School		Χ
Sheffield - Sheffield High school		Χ
Cheadle - Cheadle Hulme School		Χ
Halifax - The Grammar School		X
Loughborough – Loughborough	Χ	
Coventry - Bablake School		X
Bradford - Bradford Grammar		X
Cambridge - St John's Col		X
Nottingham - University of	X	
Yeovil - RNAS Yeovilton		X
Liverpool - King David High School		X
Cambridge - Kings College		X





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Place2Be	Childrens mental health charity, Place2Be, has launched a free programme of support and resources for keyworker parents and carers, including all NHS colleagues, to support the mental health and wellbeing of their children.	National	https://www.pla ce2be.org.uk/ https://www.pla ce2be.org.uk/nh s-webinar- series/
Cityparents	Cityparents offers a curated collection of positive and practical support for working parents, delivered through expert ledwebinars, advice, peer insights, online articles, blogs and podcasts. Now available free of charge to everyone in the NHS.	National	https://www.city parents.co.uk/

Place2Be



Place2Be have offered an online programme of expert support and resources to keyworkers, including all NHS colleagues.

These resources are available free of charge until 31 December 2020 and have been made possible through charitable donations, coordinated by a group of NHS doctors looking to support the mental health and wellbeing of keyworker children.

The programme consists of:

- Three webinars that cover: wellbeing and self-care; holding supportive conversations; understanding and managing anxiety in uncertain times
- An Art Room resource pack for children and parents and carers to craft and create together. The Art Room pack includes stories, instructions and activities exploring the ways in which parents and children can stay connected even when they're spending more time apart



Head over to Place2Be for <u>webinar joining details</u> and the <u>Art Room</u> <u>resource pack</u>

Cityparents



Free online access to the <u>Cityparents</u> platform for NHS staff until 31st March 2021 as part of the #OurNHSPeople Offer, available via <u>www.people.nhs.uk</u>

Comprehensive webinar programme covers a range of wellbeing, parenting and work topics

Online resources include blogs, podcasts and expert advice articles

Dedicated Covid-19 resources aimed at boosting your strength and resilience as a working parent and a new <u>inclusion</u> series, commencing October 2020

Positive and practical expert insights/perspectives to support you at home and at work

