

Child Care Provider

There is new data out from the Child Care Coordinating Council of the North Country (CCCCNC) telling us that there is a severe shortage of childcare in Essex County. There are currently 4.3 children under the age of 6 that need childcare for every licensed childcare “slot”! 78% of households report that they either need childcare or are unhappy with their current childcare arrangement. They are calling it a childcare crisis in the North Country. It’s time to take care of our own community and start some quality childcare businesses in the Ticonderoga Area.

Childcare can be provided either in-home or in a commercial facility, and different regulations govern these types of facilities. Licensing requires a background check, some paperwork, and a 15-hour course (delivered in 2 weekend sessions).

If you are not ready to go it alone but would like to work in childcare, there are also people in our community interested in partnerships or need employees for a childcare business. Contact Ti-Alliance and we will connect you.

Financing, business planning services, website development support, and other start-up help can be accessed through Ti-Alliance and the Ti Area Chamber of Commerce.

