If you are providing child care services during this time, you are not alone! Support and resources are available through the joint efforts of the following organizations.

**SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL HEALTH RESOURCES**

**Socio-Emotional Formation Initiative**

[Montclair State University](http://www.montclair.edu)

(973) 826-7971 or sefi@montclair.edu

- Short-term mental health support for children under age 18 and their families
- Support for program staff, how to work with challenging behaviors and strategies for including children with special needs
- Support for directors/administrators on managing stress, including webinars on the impact of stress and trauma, and emotional wellness for staff

**HEALTH & SAFETY RESOURCES**

**Child Care Health Consultants**

[www.cjfhc.org](http://www.cjfhc.org)

1-888-999-1780 or cchc@cjfhc.org

- Statewide email blasts and virtual huddles providing health & safety resources and information during COVID-19
- Professional development training that supports both best practice standards and state guidance, to keep healthy in childcare during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Health consultations and technical assistance for child care providers by phone, online and virtually

**RESOURCES FOR SCHOOL-AGE CARE PROVIDERS**

**NJSACC The Statewide Network for New Jersey’s Afterschool Communities**

[www.njsacc.org](http://www.njsacc.org)

(908) 789-0259 or sac@njsacc.org

- NJSACC’s COVID-19 Update Page provides links to important topics such as:
  - Up-to-Date Guidelines for School-Age Child Care and Afterschool Services
  - Toolkits & Resources for Safe Re-Entry in School Settings and Childcare Programs
- Virtual provider meetings to share resources and discuss the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on school-age programs/services
- Free online professional development: [https://njsacc.org/weblearning](https://njsacc.org/weblearning)
  - New Jersey Quality Standards for Afterschool (NJQSA) - Overview of the development and use
  - On the Road to Quality - Overview of how to use the NJQSA self-assessment tool and rating form
  - Positive Behavior Management - Techniques to encourage positive behavior in youth
  - Afterschool 101: Foundations of Successful Afterschool Programming on the NJ Workforce Registry, Event ID: 127465
- Quality Coaching and Targeted Technical Assistance Available to School-Age Providers

Please refer to [www.childcarenj.gov](http://www.childcarenj.gov) for information on training and technical assistance

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