

## Incentive Guidelines for Family Child Care Providers

2024-2025

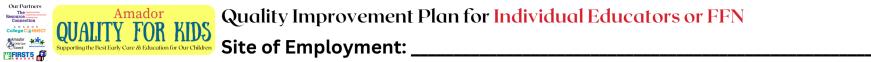
Program Element	Participation	<u>Incentive</u>
All Participants	<ul> <li>Create Annual Quality Improvement Plan (QIP)</li> <li>Create 3 QIP goals approved by Q4K</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>\$250 stipend for completion of the 3 approved goals</li> <li>Family Engagement Kits (as available)</li> <li>Recognition in Newsletter, Website, Facebook, etc.</li> <li>Playground Stencils with paint or chalk provided.</li> </ul>
Ages and Stages Questionnaires (ASQ- 3 and ASQ-SE2)	<ul> <li>Attend ASQ3/ASQ-SE2 training</li> <li>Distribute ASQ's to families, track, provide appropriate referrals and follow-up</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Receive ASQ Questionnaire Kit</li> <li>Site support for ASQ implementation</li> <li>\$250 stipend for achieving 70% ASQ return rate. Return data sheets January 15th and May 15th.</li> <li>Participants will also receive an entry in a drawing for a site wide party such as a Pancake Bar, Muffin Making Kit, Infused Water Kit, etc. (January and May)</li> </ul>
"Let's Get Moving Amador" 2024-25 Campaign	<ul> <li>Create intentional moments in your day for children to move their bodies. Complete monthly log listing 3 favorite movement activities and 3 new movement activities. Logs must be received no later than the 15th of the following month.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>\$50 stipend per month will be paid quarterly.</li> <li>Bonus Incentive: <u>comment</u> on the Q4K Facebook monthly post for a chance to win an incentive.</li> </ul>
Professional Development	• Complete 25 hours of Professional Development by attending workshops, training, etc. that align with your goals.	• \$400 per participant one-time (per fiscal year) stipend upon completion of 25 hours per provider and/or participating assistant.



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Continuing Education	<ul> <li>Complete up to 12 ECE units to qualify for Child Development Associate Permit.</li> <li>Completion of Education Plan prior to classes</li> <li>Working toward A.A. or B.A. in Child Development or similar programs, including general education college units.</li> <li>Participants must receive a grade C or better.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>\$400 for 3 ECE units, up to \$1,600 for completion of 12 units working towards a child development permit, A.A. or B.A.</li> <li>Pay cost to acquire, maintain or upgrade Child Development permit</li> </ul>
Infant Care	• Caring for Infant and Toddlers and attending appropriate training for infants and toddler care.	• Infant/Toddler kit
Dental Care	<ul> <li>Implement the Brush in a Box Program and education into daily routine.</li> </ul>	• Each site will receive a Brush in a Box Toolkit, ongoing support, supplies, education and more.
Environment Improvement	<ul> <li>Set-up an outdoor learning environment where children can safely navigate and explore. Ex: Mud kitchen, outdoor art/creative space, garden, shade structure, sensory exploration (sand box, sensory table, sound/music station), climbing structure, safe infant space, etc.</li> <li>Each site must create a proposal that is approved by Q4K prior to purchase. And submit documentiation for completed improvements</li> </ul>	• Up to \$500 material reimbursement will be awarded.
Referrals	• Refer another Family, Friend or neighbor provider for participation in Quality for Kids	<ul> <li>\$50 stipend for successful FFN participant referral</li> <li>\$50 stipend when the referred FNN provider to attends a workshop or training</li> </ul>



## Quality Improvement Plan for Individual Educators or FFN

2024-2025

Name:

Date:

Check the items below for your sites goals this year. Please leave completion dates blank. If you have any additional goals please write them below.

<u>Program</u> <u>Element</u>	Participation	<u>Office use only</u>
All Participating:	Quality Improvement Plan          3 QIP Goals         1.         2.         3.	Completion Date: Completion Date:
Ages and Stages Questionnaires (ASQ-3 and ASQ-SE2)	Attend ASQ3/ASQ-SE2 training Distribute ASQ's to families, track, provide appropriate referrals and follow-up. Complete ASQ's for the children in your care (FEN only)	Completion Date: Completion Date: Completion Date:
"Let's Get Moving Amador" 2024- 25 Campaign	Complete monthly movement logs.	Completion Date(s): 1st quarter: 2nd quarter: 3rd quarter: 4th quarter:
Professional Development	Complete 25 hours of Professional Development. Proof of completion for all 25 hrs. with completed Professional Development tracking form submitted.	Completion Date:



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<u>Program</u> <u>Element</u>	<u>Participation</u>	<u>Office Use Only</u>
Continuing Education	<ul> <li>Completion of Education Plan prior to classes.</li> <li>Complete up to 12 ECE units to qualify for Child Development Permit.</li> <li>Working toward A.A. or B.A. in Child Development or similar programs, including general education college units.</li> <li>***Participants must receive a grade C or better. ***</li> </ul>	Completion Date: Completion Date: Completion Date:
Infant Care	Caring for or training with the intent to care for infants. ( <u>FFN only</u> )	Completion Date:
Health and Safety	Complete pre-approved Health and Safety Course. ( <u>FFN only</u> )	Completion Date(s): 1st quarter: 2nd quarter: 3rd quarter: 4th quarter:
Imagination Library	Participate in the Imagination Library for the children in your care. ( <u>FFN only</u> )	Completion Date:
Referrals	Refer another Family, Friend and Neighbor provider to participate in Quality for Kids program. Successful referral of Successful referral of	Completion Date: Completion Date: