

## Child Care Health Consultant- Primary Endorsement Requirements

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A Child Care Health Consultant is a professional who provides support, resources, and technical assistance to early childhood professionals—including caregivers, teachers, supervisors, directors, and administrators—achieving and maintaining health and safety standards<sup>1</sup>.

### Growing Futures Membership

Must be a current member of Growing Futures

### Education and Licensure

Must be verified on the individual's education tab in Growing Futures and meet one of the following requirements:

- Licensure as a Registered Nurse by the North Dakota Board of Nursing
- Licensure as a Practical Nurse by the North Dakota Board of Nursing
- Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree in Public Health, Community Health, or Maternal and Child Health

### Endorsement Duration

The primary endorsement is valid for three (3) years.

### Required Training

The following training must be verified on the individual's Growing Futures Learning Record as completed *prior to* application for this endorsement.

Training Details	Hours	Training Sponsor
Getting Started	15	ND Department of Health and Human Services
Safe Sleep or SIDS	1	ND Department of Health and Human Services
Relationship Based Professional Development Event Entry	1.5	ND Department of Health and Human Services

<sup>1</sup> Caring for Our Children, (CFOC) is a collection of national standards that represent the best practices, based on evidence, expertise, and experience, for quality health and safety policies and practices for today's early care and education settings. The most up-to-date version of the standards may be accessed at <https://nrckids.org/CFOC>.