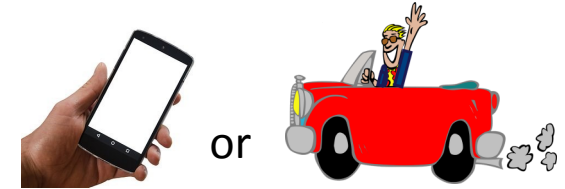


## What is Child Care Subsidy?

Child Care Subsidy is a Department of Social Services program that approves or denies applications and issues payment to the child care provider.

## How Do I Get Help Paying for Child Care?

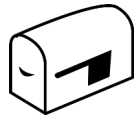


### Get an Application

Call Cattaraugus County Dept. of Social Services (716) 373-8070 and ask to speak to the CHILD CARE SUBSIDY UNIT

Or

Pick one up... 1 Leo Moss Drive,  
Olean, NY 14760



or



Mail or drive the completed **PARENT** application to the Department of Social Services Child Care Subsidy Unit for approval. Processing may take 30 days.

If you plan to have a **friend or relative** provide care and they **are not** a registered or licensed provider **they also need to be approved**. They will complete the **PROVIDER** application. (**Legally Exempt**)

Mail it to ACCORD Child Care Services, 19 South Street Belmont NY 14813 or drop it off at the office for Brittany Fowler.  
(585) 268-7605 ext. 1250

If you don't know who will be your child care provider,

call ACCORD's Child Care Referral Program for help.  
(585) 268-7605 Ext. 1228



You will be notified by mail of the status of your application. If you are **DENIED**, you will be responsible for your child care expenses. If you are **APPROVED** based on your income, payment will come from Social Services and mailed directly to your provider.

The remaining child care expenses will be your responsibility.