# **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>.

## **Early Childhood Workforce Registry Membership**

Must be a current member of the Registry

### **Education and Licensure**

Must be verified on the individual's education tab in the Registry 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 Registry 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
North Dakota 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

The most up-to-date version of the standards may be accessed at <a href="https://nrckids.org/CFOC">https://nrckids.org/CFOC</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;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.