

MAKE SURE

providers practice regular hand washing with young children.

Make sure your childcare program HAS PLENTY OF

tissues, soap, paper towels, safe disinfectants, and hand wipes.

MAKE SURE providers
HAVE strict policies about
SENDING SICK CHILDREN
HOME and keep them
home until they are no
longer contagious.

PREVENT

Spreading the FLU Virus in Childcare

Programs:

Make sure there are SEPARATE SINKS for handwashing and food preparation.

FIND OUT if your childcare program PLANS TO CLOSE in the event of a flu outbreak.

Make sure the kitchen areas, bathrooms, changing tables, playrooms, drinking fountains, doorknobs, computers, and toys ARE THOROUGHLY SANITIZED AND CLEANED EVERY DAY.



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