**Searching for Child Care?**

**Think Small is a trusted resource for child care information with over thirty years of experience helping families search for care and early childhood education.**

Think Small has links to a database with thousands of licensed child care homes, centers, preschool programs, and school-age programs located in the seven-county metro area (Hennepin, Ramsey, Anoka, Dakota, Washington, Scott, and Carver counties).

# Help! I don't know where to start! Think Small hears from parents every day who are unsure about how to find child care. Finding the right child care is a lot of work.

* Think Small offers on-line tips and tools will give you valuable information about selecting child care.
* Think Small understands the steps it takes to make an informed choice and to feel comfortable with your decision. They have a detailed how-to list to help you find the best care for your child.
* Experts in the field are available to help you choose a child care provider. Call 651-665-0150.
* They also have information about State Early Learning Scholarships. Call 651-641-6604.
* Review the [www.ThinkSmall.org](file://PARIS/HSPHHOME/WFZ443/Forms/www.ThinkSmall.org) website for other valuable information.
* Use the free on-line child care provider database.

##  Two Easy Ways to Learn More about Your Child Care Options

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| **Call for a customized referral:** **651-665-0150** | **Self-serve on-line child care provider database:** **http://parentaware.org/** |
| * It is free.
* You will talk with an expert in the field.
* You will receive a list of child care options based on your search criteria.
* You will get information to help you choose the best care for your child.
* It is available Monday-Friday.
 | * It is free.
* You will be redirected to the Parent Aware website
* You will receive a list of child care options based on the criteria you select.
* It is available 24/7.
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