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CPC Early Childhood Learning & Wellness Services Launches Family Child Care Networks

Chinese-American Planning Council, Inc. (CPC) announces the launch of its Family Child Care (FCC) Networks. CPC, working in partnership with the New York City (NYC) Department of Education, will significantly expand family child care through this new offering, while promoting family child care as a highly respected and valued model within the early care and education system in NYC.

CPC Family Child Care Networks are a component of the Early Childhood Learning & Wellness Services (ECLW), which acquired the highly acclaimed Quality Assurance from Child Care Aware of America and is a founding member of the NYC Child Care Resource and Referral Consortium. Each FCC Network supports a system of Family Child Care Providers (FCCPs) who provide home-based family child care services at their home. The new FCC Networks will support in three boroughs, Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens.

CPC will operate three new FCC Networks:

1. CPC Brooklyn FCC Network at Brooklyn Community Center
4101 8th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11212
2. CPC Manhattan FCC Network at Manhattan Community Center
165 Eldridge Street, New York, NY 10002
3. CPC Queens FCC Network at Queens Community Center
133-14 41st Avenue, Flushing, NY 11355

The goal of CPC's FCC networks is to promote children's holistic development with high-quality learning in safe, healthy home environments; to help families access child care that meets their diverse needs; to ensure that Family Child Care Providers (FCCPs) are supported to perform at their best and are monitored to ensure program compliance; to increase the capacity of FCCPs to provide children with a high-quality education through training on child care regulations, research-supported curricula, and responsive caregiving.

Parents searching for child care for children aged 6-weeks to 3 years old and licensed Family Child Providers interested in joining CPC's FCC Networks should call CPC Early Childhood Learning & Wellness Services at (212) 941-0030.

About CPC

Chinese-American Planning Council (CPC) is the nation's largest Asian American social services organization. Founded in 1965, CPC promotes the social and economic empowerment of Chinese American, immigrant, and low-income communities of New York City.

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