



MISSISSIPPI CHILD CARE ADVISORY COUNCIL

(3-year term)
As of 02.23.23

SUPREME COURT DISTRICT I			
Category	Representing	Name	Term Expires (#)
Professional Organization	Mississippi Department of Human Services	Chad Allgood, Ph.D. Co-Director, Division of Early Childhood Care and Development MS Dept. of Human Services PO Box 352 Jackson, MS 39205 Hinds Co. Email: chad.allgood@mdhs.ms.gov Ph: 601-359-4663 (W)	06-30-24 (1)
Professional Organization	Metropolitan YMCAs of Mississippi	Stella Patino 690 Liberty Road Flowood, MS 39232 Rankin Co. Email: spatino@metroymcams.org Ph: 801-389-5241	06/30/24 (1)
Professional Organization	The Mississippi Head Start Association	Nita Norphlet-Thompson, M.Ed. 1002 Utica Road Crystal Springs, Ms 39059 Copiah Co. Email: nthomps@bellsouth.net Ph: 601-953-5406	06/30/25 (1)
Provider	Preschool/School Age Program – Pilgrim Rest After School Program	Tumutual Norton 463 West Place Madison, MS 39110 Madison Co. Email: tumutualn@gmail.com Ph: 601-605-0103 601-856-2609 (W)	06-30-24 (1)
SUPREME COURT DISTRICT II			
Provider	Saint Mary Academy, Inc.	Mary Thompson 8166 Highway 98 East McComb, MS 39648 Pike Co. Email: Thompsonmccomb@aol.com Ph: 601-684-6567 Cell: 601-876-8883	06-30-24 (1)
Provider (Will Recruit for this Area)	Rogers Child Care Learning Center	Cora Lee-Vone Rogers 500 5 th Avenue Lumberton, MS 39455 Lamar Co. Email: rogerschildcare@bellsouth.net Ph: 601-550-4252 601-796-3990	06-30-23 (2) Term About to End
Provider	Little People’s Christian Academy	Lori A. Rolison – Chairperson (Effective February 2023) 17309 Summerdale Drive Saucier, MS 39574, Harrison Co. Email: Director@LittlePeoplesMS.com Ph: 228-697-5300 (Cell) 228-832-5146	06-30-24 (2)

Professional Organization	<i>The Mississippi Low Income Child Initiative</i>	Roberta Avila, M.Ed., M.S. 149 St. Charles Avenue Biloxi, MS 39530 Harrison Co. Email: ravila@mschildcare.org Ph: 228-229-8552	06-30-25 (1)
SUPREME COURT DISTRICT III			
Professional Organization	VACANT	Recruiting for this Vacancy	06-30-25
Professional Organization (Will Recruit for this Area)	Mississippi Early Childhood Association (MsEC)	Cathy Grace, Ed.D. 1502 Winter Valley Drive Tupelo, MS 38801 Lee Co. Email: cwgrace@olemiss.edu	06-30-23 (2) Term About to End
Provider	Open Arms Christian Learning Center	Michelle A. Pugsley 1075 Williams Road Caledonia, MS 39740 Lowndes Co. Email: Ladypug65@yahoo.com Email: openarmsclc@gmail.com Ph: 256-566-6581	06-30-23 (1)
Provider	Kiddie Korner Learning Center	Tonya Jones 113 Redbud Dr Batesville, MS 38606 Panola Co. Email: jonesoutdoors82@gmail.com Ph: 662-654-1662	06-30-23 (1)

Provider: A licensed child care provider, i.e., either an owner of a licensed child care facility or an employee of a licensed child care facility.

Professional Organization: An individual officially representing a child care professional organization, a child advocacy group, child care association, or state agency that provides child care funding, education, or services.