

A Child Care Provider's Guide to entering referral information on Bright Futures Information System

To enter your child care referral information into Bright Futures Information System you will need a user name and password. Then follow these steps:

- 1) Log in to Bright Futures Information System
- 2) On the bottom right of the first screen click on **Referral Agreement**
- 3) Click on **Update Referral Status**
- 4) Click on **Active**
- 5) Click **Submit** (This will allow other people to see the information)
- 6) Click on **Program Information**
- 7) Click on **Update Information** at the bottom of the screen.
 - a. Information that is required in order to save:
 - i. Guidance
 - ii. Program
 - iii. Supervision
 - iv. Ages Willing to Serve
 - v. Non Profit Program: Yes/No
 - vi. Religious Activity: Yes/No
 - vii. Sibling Discount: Yes/No
 - viii. Subsidy Provider: Yes/No (this means are you willing to accept payments from the Child Care Subsidy Program)
- 8) When complete click **Submit**
- 9) Click **Referral Agreement Menu**
- 10) Click **Provider Schedule and Services**
- 11) Click **Update Information**
 - a. Information that is required in order to save:
 - i. Meals or Snacks served

12) Click **Submit**

13) Click **Referral Agreement Menu**

14) Click **Vacancy and Capacity**

15) Update this information

16) Click **Submit**

Then to see what the public can view about your program go to www.brightfuturesinfo.org. Under **Trying to Find a Child Care Provider?** Click **advance search**. Search for your program and click **Details**.

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