Some employees may face the challenge of finding someone to take care of their children when they are scheduled for a training session or meeting out of town for a period of time.

Finding quality, safe care is every parent’s first priority. This pamphlet is designed to make your search a little easier if you do need to take your child along while you are away.

The first step would be to contact the local NRCS and Conservation District office in the town that you will be at. They may know of a reputable place or have children of their own that attend a daycare that can accommodate drop-ins. You may also want to contact the person in charge of the training/meeting, as they may know of daycare available.

If they are unable to help you, the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare works with the IdahoSTARS program to provide information on updated lists of registered and/or licensed day care centers.

Visit their web site at: [http://www.idahostars.org/dnn/](http://www.idahostars.org/dnn/)

You can also contact the Idaho Careline by dialing 2-1-1, or: 1-800-926-2588. Ask for the regional Child Care Resource and Referral Office in the location where your training or meeting will be held.

This should give you a good start on finding a place where your children will be well cared for while you are at your training/meeting.

Child Care Options when at Trainings or Meetings

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