

## **RULE §745.37 What specific types of operations does Licensing regulate?**

The charts in paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) of this section list the types of operations for child day care and residential child care that we regulate. Maternity homes, child-placing agencies, and foster homes verified by a child-placing agency are included in the residential child-care chart.

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(2) Types of Child Day-Care Operations on and after September 1, 2003.

Attached Graphic

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Figure: 40 TAC §745.37(2)

<b>Child Day-Care Operations</b>	<b>Description of Operation</b>	<b>Type of Permit</b>
(A) Listed Family Home	A caregiver at least 18 years old that provides care in her own home for compensation, for three or fewer children unrelated to the caregiver, birth through 13 years, for at least four hours a day, three or more days a week, and more than nine consecutive weeks. The total number of children in care, including children related to the caregiver, may not exceed 12.	Listing (A caregiver who is subject to regulation as a listed family home may instead become a registered family home.)
(B) Registered Child-Care Home	The primary caregiver provides regular care in the caregiver's own residence for not more than six children from birth through 13 years, and may provide care after school hours for not more than six additional elementary school children. The total number of children in care at any given time, including the children related to the caregiver, must not exceed 12.	Registration
(C) Licensed Child-Care Home	The primary caregiver provides care in the caregiver's own residence for children from birth through 13 years. The total number of children in care varies with the ages of the children, but the total number of children in care at any given time, including the children related to the caregiver, must not exceed 12.	License

(D) Child-Care Center	An operation providing care for seven or more children under 14 years of age for less than 24 hours per day at a location other than the permit holder's home.	License
(E) Employer-Based Child Care	A small employer providing care for up to 12 of the employees' children that are under 14 years of age, for less than 24 hours per day. The care is located on the employer's premises and in the same building where the parents work.	Compliance Certificate