Facility
- Is information posted about ways to reduce the spread of the virus (avoiding people who are ill, covering cough, frequent handwashing)?
- Is hand sanitizer or a washing station available upon entry?

Social Distancing
- Are children in groups of 10 or less (including teachers)?
- Are siblings in the same group?
- Are there strategies for social distancing throughout the day?
- Are there additional precautions for when social distancing is not possible (adults wearing masks, staggered meals/outside times, no family-style meals, etc.)?

Sanitation
- Are there procedures for cleaning and sanitizing toys and materials?
- Are there procedures for cleaning and sanitizing heavily touched/trafficked areas?
- How frequently does cleaning and sanitizing occur?
- Have staff been trained on additional measures to protect from disease transmission?

Illness & Absences
- What is the screening process at drop-off?
- How often are children screened during the day?
- What is the procedure if a child becomes ill during the day?
  - What is the policy for tuition payment if a child is sent home with an illness?
  - When can a child return?
- What happens if someone in the program, or a family member, tests positive for COVID-19?
  - How long would the program be closed?
  - How would the program mitigate risk during the closure?
  - What is the tuition structure for any closure period due to possible exposure?
- Is there a written policy for COVID-19 related mitigation and illness?

The CDC has extensive guidance for child care programs to help limit the risk of spreading COVID-19 including sanitation measures, illness screening and response, and more. For more information visit: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html

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