

## Child Care Assistance

### ***Community Action For Improvement***

Provides HEAD START and Early Head Start

These programs offer free early childhood education and family services to eligible families.

CAFI Head Start will be offered for children ages 0-5 years old, including children with disabilities.

706-806-9006 [headstart@cafi-ga.org](mailto:headstart@cafi-ga.org)

Application:

<https://www.childplus.net/apply/en-us/59A10307B4679B7A3DB94F746131A81B/6E43C32445FCEA5B8762D2C499C7E402>

### ***Bright From The Start***

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning

Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning is responsible for meeting the child care and early education needs of Georgia's children and their families.

PROGRAMS all of these can be found on the website:

<https://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/Default.aspx>

- [Child and Adult Food Care Program Information](#)
- [Childcare and Parent Services \(CAPS\)](#)
- [Child Care Services](#)
- [Head Start](#)
- [Inclusion Services](#)
- [Pre-K](#)
- [Provider Training](#)
- [Summer Food Services Program Information](#)
- [Child Care Resource & Referral System \(CCR&R\)](#)

### ***Child Care Assistance CAPS***

CAPS is a parental choice program! Families have the right to make their own choices regarding the type of care, the location of care and the frequency of care. You may apply at their website and will find more information.

<https://caps.decal.ga.gov/en/>

### ***Quality Care for Children - Emergency Child Care Assistance Program***

Quality Care for Children's Emergency Child Care (ECC) program assists families who are experiencing crisis situations by providing access to resources for quality child care.

<https://www.qualitycareforchildren.org/emergency-child-care>