

# VERMONT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

## Essential Persons List for Emergency Childcare

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- Staff and providers of childcare and education services (including custodial and kitchen staff and other support staff) who do not do their work remotely;
- Providers of healthcare including but not limited to workers at clinics, hospitals, Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs); nursing homes, long-term care and post-acute care facilities, respite houses, VNAs; designated agencies, emergency medical services;
- Criminal justice personnel including those in law enforcement, courts, and correctional services;
- Public health employees;
- Firefighters;
- Vermont National Guard personnel called to duty for this response; other first responders;
- State employees determined to be essential for response to this crisis by the State Emergency Operations Center; at this time, all State of Vermont employees are considered Essential Persons
- Active duty military staff
- Pharmacy staff
- Foster families with children through grade 8.
- 2-1-1 call center staff
- Critical infrastructure / utility workers - electrical, plumbing, telecommunications, water/ wastewater operators and staff
- State, Municipal, and Commercial Public Works or Sanitation crews
- Grocery and food supply workers
- Supply chain, postal, and delivery drivers
- Manufacturers of medical devices, equipment, testing equipment, and supplies
- Fuel distribution workers

This list will be updated frequently as this situation evolves.