## CHILD CARE VAW/ VMASS 12025 2026

The UAW/UMass Health & Welfare Trust Fund distributes funds across eligible Grad Employee & Postdoc families to defray the costs of on-campus or off-campus childcare. Submit pg 1 of your most recent federal tax return and your childcare planning form at portal.hwtf.org/ and we'll review & let you know what percantage reimbursement you can expect. We accept receipts on a rolling basis. Deadlines & eligibility specifics can be found at hwtf.org/family (scan QR code below).

## WHAT'S ELIGIBLE?

- Licensed infant, toddler, or preschool care (center or home-based)
- · Before or after school care
- Summer camps
- Organizational/center-based extracurricular activities (excludes private lessons)
- Tutoring, homework assistance, and online instructional programs
- Informal Friends, Family & Neighbors (FFN) care (limited by separate maximum)

## **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

We use your family size & income to identify your income level on the MA EEC Financial Assistance Parent Co-Payment Table (see our website). Our first priority is to provide the highest possible reimbursement to applicants in levels 1 to 11. There is a \$6000 per child annual maximum of which up to \$3000 can be used for

FFN care. Full details and deadlines at hwtf.org. The Trust Fund cannot guarantee that any applicant will receive funds or guarantee any particular reimbursement levels.







ANNUAL DEADLINES: 12/31, 5/31, 7/31

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