

Daycare and School Supports for Children with Diabetes

- Licensed daycares (home-based or centre-based) can apply for additional enhanced staffing funding to support the needs of children with diabetes up to the age of 12 (usually under the age of 5): includes before and after school programs run by licenced daycares or daycares run by the Region of Waterloo or County of Wellington. Daycare staff can not provide injections.
 - For KW/Cambridge – KW Habilitation <https://kwhab.ca/early-learning-child-care/>
 - For Guelph/Wellington – County of Wellington <https://www.wellington.ca/programmes-services/child-care-early-years/children-special-concerns-and-needs>
- Possible supports for summer camps offered by the Region of Waterloo/Region of Guelph Wellington or licenced daycares – contact to inquiry
- For children with complex medical needs in daycares (diabetes plus other complex conditions), connect with Ontario Health at Home – may be able to provide some supports
- Education for staff is still a gap in most of the region
- For School-Aged Children – Ontario Health at Home can provide nursing supports in schools, complete referral form.
 - <https://ontariohealthathome.ca/making-a-referral/>
 - <https://ontariohealthathome.ca/community-care/school-supports/school-support-services/>