

SUPERVISION POLICY

Supervision Policy for _____
(Provider's Name)

- The family day care home provider will ensure that all persons responsible for the care of children will supervise all children based on their age, needs, and abilities at all times.
- Children will always be kept within actual sight and sound supervision of the family day care provider and all responsible persons, and will be near enough to intervene if needed.

Supervision Guidelines

- ✓ Children will **never** be left alone or unattended.
- ✓ Children must be supervised, when sleeping.
- ✓ Caregivers will always ensure that they can hear and/or see infants while they are sleeping.
- ✓ Caregivers will know children's activities **at all times**; inside and outside of the home.
- ✓ Equipment such as cribs, high chairs, and swings, should be limited to use for intended purposes: sleep, feeding and limited exercise.
- ✓ Infants and toddlers will not be confined for long periods of time.
- ✓ Infants will be protected from older children.

Provider's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

**This policy is not a requirement of Arlington County Code Chapter 59 Family Day Care Homes