

PUTTING YOUR CHILD FIRST, EVERYDAY

At Sitrin, we believe that group child care works best when provided in a friendly, comfortable atmosphere—one that will make your child feel right at home. Like you, we put your child first...every moment he or she is with us.

PLAYING TO LEARN

Play is a valuable learning tool. It allows your child to learn, create, and form meaningful relationships. By involving children in engaging hands-on learning experiences, the Sitrin Child Care Center uses play to accomplish a range of educational goals.

OUR PROGRAM

Licensed by the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, Bureau of Early Childhood Services, the Sitrin Child Care Center offers a total of 64 full-time slots for children ranging in age from 6 weeks to 5 years. The Center provides professional, quality child care for the entire community, as well as for the children of Sitrin employees.

AGE GROUPS

We provide care for children in the following age groups:

Infants	6 weeks to 15 months
Waddlers	15 to 24 months
Toddlers	2-year-olds
Rompers	3-year-olds
Preschoolers	4- to 5-year-olds

STAFF-TO-CHILD RATIOS

Sitrin Child Care adheres to the regulations established by the State of New York.

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Finding new opportunities to make a difference for our residents, patients, employees, and community since 1951.

The Help. Sitrin's mission is to provide patients, residents, and their families with the help they need to live well.

The Hope. Sitrin's advanced care and treatment offers hope and positive results for those recovering from medical conditions, procedures, or injuries.

The Healing. Sitrin's advanced treatment programs and highly trained staff promote the healing of body and spirit for every individual under our care.

Inpatient Care

Short-Term Rehabilitation
Long-Term Skilled Nursing Care
Residential Services

Outpatient Care

Specialty Physician Clinics
Psychology
Physical Therapy
Occupational Therapy
Speech-Language Pathology
Dentistry

Community Programs

Adaptive Sports
Child Care
Residential Options
Mobile Dental Clinic
Wellness Programs

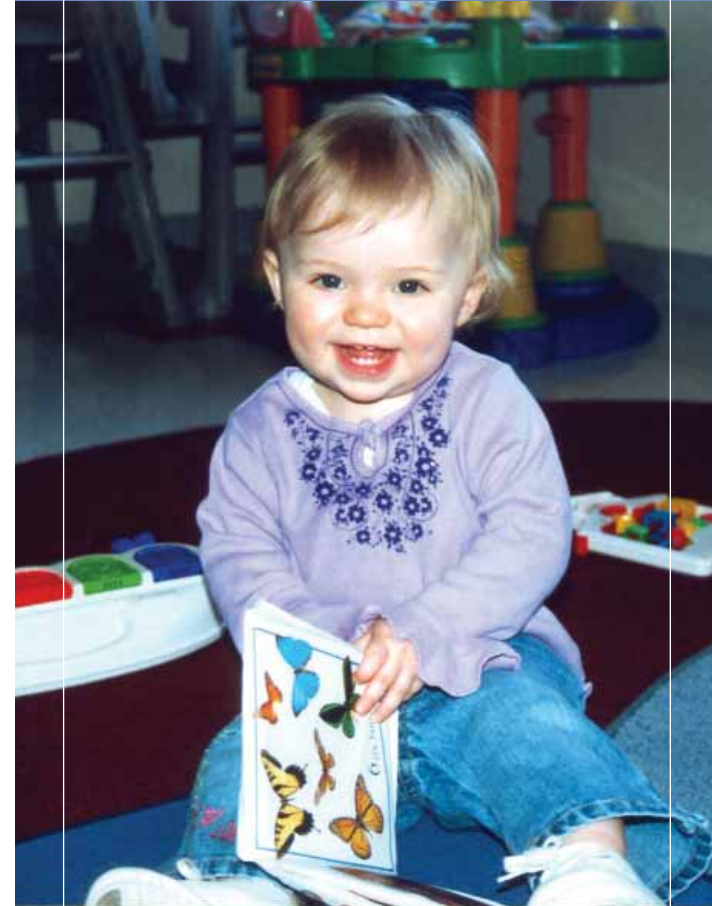
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THE SITRIN ADVANTAGE

EDUCATION/KINDERGARTEN READINESS

Our program is structured to provide education and school readiness for enrolled children, based on area school requirements.

COMPUTER LEARNING

Our preschool and romper classrooms are also equipped with workstations that provide computer learning opportunities through age-appropriate software.

NUTRITIOUS MEALS

Sitrin Child Care provides a nutritious lunch, as well as snacks in the morning and afternoon. A registered dietician oversees our full-time cook, who prepares a healthy menu for the children each day.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Intergenerational Program

Older children may choose to take part in an Intergenerational Program with residents of the Health Care Center and registrants in our Adult Day Health Care program, participating in arts and crafts projects, horticulture, music/movement activities, stories, a variety of celebrations, and outdoor activities.

Patients As Reading Partners

Patients of Sitrin's short-term inpatient medical rehabilitation program take part in our Patients As Reading Partners program with the children of the Child Care Center.

Special Visitors

Visitors and events are featured throughout the year, including demonstrations from local firefighters and police, the Utica ZooMobile, and special holiday guests. In addition, children participate in celebrations year-round, which their parents and grandparents are welcome to attend. There is also a music program for older children.

OUR STAFF

Teachers and Assistants

Our teachers and teacher assistants are selected on the basis of their education, experience and training in child development, as well as their patience, warmth and sensitivity.

Screening

Every staff member undergoes a rigorous screening prior to employment.

Safety Training

Teachers and teacher assistants are required to be certified in Infant/Child CPR and Basic First Aid, as well as attend ongoing workshops and training programs. We also have several staff members trained in medication administration.

LOCATION

The Center is located on a private road, which is perfect for walks. We have a large playground with rubber mat surfacing to help cushion little ones during their outdoor activities. Shaded areas are also available for those sensitive to the sun.

BUILDING SECURITY

Your child's safety is our priority. Visitors are closely monitored and must pass through security to enter the building.

OPERATING HOURS

7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

ELIGIBLE AGES

Children as young as 6 weeks of age are eligible for our program.

VACATIONS & SNOW DAYS

We are open during school vacations and snow days.

TUITION SUBSIDY

The Center accepts the childcare tuition subsidy offered by the Department of Social Services. Families are encouraged to contact their county office to determine their eligibility.

TO LEARN MORE

If you would like more information about Sitrin Child Care, or wish to receive an application (application is also available on our website) or a tour of our facilities, please contact our Program Director at: **(315) 733-1900**.

