

CPR Certification and Renewal

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the need to maintain appropriate social distancing, the American Heart Association and the American Red Cross have canceled in-person CPR training. Therefore, OECOSL will temporarily allow child care providers to complete the online component of the CPR certification through AHA and ARC. Documentation of completion of the online component needs to be placed in the child care provider's official files.

The online certification is available here: <https://cpr.heart.org/en/courses/heart saver-cpr-aed-course-options> and <https://www.redcross.org/take-a-class>. You must enroll in a BLENDED learning class.

When in-person classroom skills sessions resume then child care providers will be required to obtain this training to meet your annual CPR requirements.

OECOSL recommends infant and toddler rooms always be staffed with a person who has full (includes live skills check) current Infant CPR certification.