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**Child Care
 Community Resources
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**City of Madison Child Care Assistance
 2018 Income Eligibility Guidelines**

Effective 4/1/2018

The City of Madison Child Care Assistance income eligibility guidelines are based on 185% of the federal poverty guidelines. The 2018 federal poverty guidelines were published on January 18, 2018 and the Child Care Assistance program is required to update the current eligibility guidelines accordingly.

These guidelines are used to both determine eligibility and in calculating a client’s assigned family share. Applicants earning less than the established 185% FPG are eligible for and referred to Wisconsin Shares Child Care Subsidy program. Applicants earning more than the established guideline are generally assigned a weekly family share.

Updating the guideline will decrease the families’ out of pocket cost and increase the City of Madison’s commitment to the currently enrolled families.

Below are the 2017 guidelines and the changes for 2018:

**2017 Child Care Assistance
 Eligibility Guidelines**

Family Size	Annual Gross Income	Weekly Gross Income
2	\$ 30,044	\$ 578
3	\$ 37,777	\$ 726
4	\$ 45,510	\$ 875
5	\$ 53,243	\$ 1,024
6	\$ 60,976	\$ 1,173
7	\$ 68,709	\$ 1,321
8	\$ 76,442	\$ 1,470
9	\$ 84,175	\$ 1,619
10	\$ 91,908	\$ 1,767

**2018 Child Care Assistance
 Eligibility Guidelines**

Family Size	Annual Gross Income	Weekly Gross Income
2	\$ 30,451	\$ 586
3	\$ 38,443	\$ 739
4	\$ 46,435	\$ 893
5	\$ 54,427	\$ 1,047
6	\$ 62,419	\$ 1,200
7	\$ 70,411	\$ 1,354
8	\$ 78,403	\$ 1,508
9	\$ 86,395	\$ 1,661
10	\$ 94,387	\$ 1,815