

# Infant & Toddler Times



## Colorado Infant and Toddler Quality and Availability Grant Program (ITQAP)

This program was created by House Bill (HB) 13-1291 in May of 2013. The goal of the grant program is to improve quality in infant and toddler care, provide tiered reimbursement to high quality early childhood programs, to increase the number of low-income infants and toddlers served through high-quality programs, and to promote voluntary parental involvement. The Triad Early Childhood Council and Jefferson County Human Services are pleased to have been awarded funding for implementation of this program in Jefferson County. Implementation for this grant began in November 2013. Programs participating in the Triad Early Childhood Council ITQAP who are dedicated to improving the quality and availability for infants and toddlers:

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| All Precious Children—Arvada           | Oak Street CDC—Arvada                    |                         |
| Aspen Creek Academy—Littleton          | Kindercare—Coal Mine                     | Kindercare—Rooney Ranch |
| Children’s Center @ Red Rocks—Lakewood | Knowledge Universe—Littleton             | Little Harvard—Lakewood |
| Gateway Academy—Columbine              | La Petite Academy—Burgandy               |                         |
| Gateway Academy—Ken Caryl              | La Petite Academy—Westminster            |                         |
| Little Chicks and Hatchlings—Littleton |  |                         |
| Home Early Learning—Lakewood           | Wheat Ridge Learning Academy—Wheat Ridge |                         |
| The Sunshine House—Westminster         | Little People’s Landing—Arvada           |                         |



## The ABC's of Safe Sleep



**Alone**

*Not with other people, pillows, blankets, or stuffed animals.*



**on my Back**

*Not on the stomach or side.*



**in my Crib**

*Not on an adult bed, sofa, cushion, or other soft surface.*

