

# Understand your eligibility

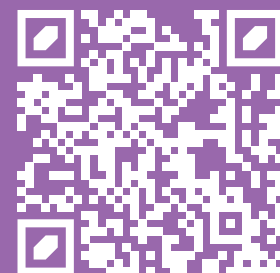
Eligibility is based on three factors:



## What if you don't appear to be eligible?

**Don't stop here!** Eligibility for the NH Child Care Scholarship Program depends on a lot of different factors and your family may still qualify.

*"When in doubt, reach out"* is more than just a motto. It's how Granite State families find affordable child care.



Scan here for the most current household income eligibility chart.

## Household income calculation

Household gross income\* is one of the factors that determines your family's eligibility for the Child Care Scholarship. To figure that out, we need to consider any wages that come into your household, along with other income sources like Social Security payments, spousal/child support, unemployment, pensions, VA payments, etc. We also need to consider household resources, like your checking/savings, stocks, annuities, and potentially other possessions.

Your family's gross income and household resources are weighed against household expenses like rent or mortgage, utility bills, medical expenses and dependent care, taxes, and more. A whole host of expenses qualify, so let us help you sort it out.

Lastly, we need to know your family size. How many individuals live in your household? Two, three, four ... more?

**\*Gross income** is the total amount earned before taxes or other deductions.

