



**Federation of Child Care Centers of Alabama**

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**Special Benefits for FOCAL Members**

- Discounted training fees and advance notice for regional and annual meetings.
- DHR approved credit toward State Minimum Standards training requirements.
- Quarterly newsletters with training announcements, provider news and networking, and FOCAL projects and programs.
- Free leadership training opportunities with Alabama Organizing Project.
- Business development training around the state at reduced rates.
- Policy alerts with up-to-date information on child care policy issues and legislative action.
- Limited technical assistance and support from FOCAL staff (child care facilities).
- Affiliation with a professional child care organization, required for CDA certification.
- Ability to vote for FOCAL Board of Directors and officers.
- Membership in a successful child advocacy organization that is regionally, nationally, and internationally recognized and respected.

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# Annual Membership Application

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (HOME/WORK/CELL) \_\_\_\_\_

FAX \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**FOCAL Membership Category**

**FOCAL Child Care Membership**     New Member     Membership Renewal

Center Director – \$125 ( I choose to pay in monthly installments of \$45 – \$40 – \$40 and I understand that I am not eligible for membership benefits until I have paid in full.)

Family Home or Group Home Provider – \$75 ( I choose to pay in installments of \$25 – \$25 – \$25 and I understand that I am not eligible for membership benefits until I have paid in full.)

Center/Home Staff – \$25

**FOCAL Parent Membership – \$5**     New Member     Membership Renewal  
 (parent with child enrolled in a FOCAL-member child care program)

**FOCAL Organizational Membership**  
 Please request membership application directly from the FOCAL Office.

**Youth Membership – \$5 (up to age 19)**     New Member     Membership Renewal

**SRBWI Supporter – \$10**     New Affiliation     Affiliation Renewal  
 Identify your county \_\_\_\_\_

**FOCAL Supporter – \$50**     New Affiliation     Affiliation Renewal

**Child Care Facility Affiliation**

For those affiliated with a child care center or home facility (center directors, family home and group home providers, center/home staff, and parents), please provide the following information.

NAME OF CENTER/FAMILY HOME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

FACILITY PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

FACILITY FAX \_\_\_\_\_

FACILITY EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

**Release for Photographs, Video Tape Recordings, Audio Recordings, and Quotes**

I hereby give the unqualified right to the Federation of Child Care Centers of Alabama, Inc. (FOCAL) to take pictures and/or recordings of me while attending/participating in any FOCAL sponsored event and to put the finished pictures/recordings to any legitimate use without limitations or reservations. I also give the unqualified right to FOCAL to use quotes from my works and to put these quotes to any legitimate use without limitations or reservations.

**Photo/Audio/Visual Release (please read and sign)**

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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Method of payment:  
 CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_     CASH     OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

Membership dates:  
 START \_\_\_\_\_ END \_\_\_\_\_