

# CODE OF ETHICS

**This center supports, without reservation, the Code of Ethics of the  
GEORGIA CHILD CARE ASSOCIATION**

In fulfilling the responsibility to meet the total needs of the child, the child care provider recognizes the total needs, dignity, and importance of the child; for now and the future, and

**SHALL** provide a clean and esthetic environment while teaching the child the importance of keeping tangible work or play items properly placed or organized, and

**SHALL** provide each child with a degree of individual attention necessary to bring about a “fun” atmosphere, and

**SHALL** make every effort to protect the child from conditions harmful to learning or to health and safety, and

**SHALL** conduct business in a professional manner to ensure that the child is not exposed to unnecessary embarrassment or disparagement, and

**SHALL** keep information obtained in the course of professional service in total confidence, unless disclosure serves professional purposes or is required by law, and

**SHALL** not misrepresent the center with which he/she is affiliated, and shall take adequate precautions to distinguish between his/her personal and institutional or organizational views, and

**SHALL** display total conduct which tends to enhance the public confidence in the ability and integrity of the Child Care Provider as a profession, and

**SHALL** at all times and in all situations demonstrate a top priority in keeping the present and future well being of the child protected through professional actions and love of the child.

