

New Campaign to Fund Child Care—Help the County Decide How to Shape It!

We're excited to share an exciting opportunity for early childhood advocates, educators, staff, parents and anyone else who feels strongly about the current child care situation in Alameda County. An early care and education coalition want to hear YOUR IDEAS on how to raise and use \$140 million to make quality early child care a reality for all families.

1. Wednesday, October 25th

6:30PM – 8:30PM

SEIU Local 1021 Oakland Office

447 29th Street, Oakland CA 94609

This discussion will be focused on **center-based child care**. Center-based providers and families with children in center-based care are encouraged to attend. All are welcome!

2. Thursday, November 2nd

6:30PM – 8:30PM

4C's of Alameda County

Sunflower Room

22351 City Center Drive, Suite 150, Hayward CA 94541

This discussion will be focused on **family child care**. Family child care providers and families with children in family child care are encouraged to attend. All are welcome!

3. Tuesday, November 7th

6:30PM – 8:30PM

Family Resource Center

Millennium Room

39155 Liberty Street, #A120, Fremont CA 94648

This discussion will be focused on **center-based child care**. Center-based providers and families with children in center-based care are encouraged to attend. All are welcome!

4. Wednesday, November 29th

6:30PM – 8:30PM

Banana's Oakland

5232 Claremont Ave., Oakland CA 94618

This discussion will be focused on **family child care**. Family child care providers and families with children in family child care are encouraged to attend. All are welcome!

Here at First 5, we're thrilled at the momentum around making quality, affordable early care and education available to families across the County. We're looking forward to giving our perspectives at these listening sessions and even more excited to hear the ideas, perspectives, and experiences of other stakeholders in the early childhood field. Hope to see you there!