



My Plan to Support The North Country's Working Families

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A Commitment to Child Care & Affordability

As a father, Assemblyman Simpson knows parents shouldn't have to choose between their jobs and quality care for their children. By investing in families and supporting providers, we can make child care more accessible and affordable for all.

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More tax incentives for families & providers:

- Child and Dependent Care Credit: Provides an average of \$345 to help cover care expenses for kids and dependents.¹
- Empire State Child Credit: Delivers an average of \$480 per family to support raising children.²
- Earned Income Tax Credit: Boosts working families with an average of \$1,301, aiding those juggling work and child care.³



Strengthening Early Childhood Education:

- Generate an additional \$30 million in state aid for⁴ Universal Pre-K by increasing the reimbursement rate.
- Expand partnerships between schools and child care providers.⁴



Expanding Access:

- Support non-traditional child care hours (nights & weekends).⁵
- Allow in-home child care options for multiple families.
- Enable alternative child care models using waivers.⁶



Child Care Assistance Program:

- \$500 million for child care assistance vouchers
- \$500 million to support and retain child care workers

(<https://www.wvlp.com/news/advocates-say-new-yorks-childcare-program-needs-1-billion-more/>)

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