



What is the Oregon Registry?

The Oregon Registry is a statewide program that records and supports the professional growth of people who work with and for children.

The Oregon Registry is a way for child care and education professionals – providers, directors, teachers, trainers, administrators – to collect and measure their training and education. More training documentation (certificates, credentials, degrees, etc.) equals a higher level, or Step, on the Oregon Registry.

Important: the Oregon Registry is different than the Central Background Registry (formerly known as the Criminal History Registry) or the Child Care Division Licensing. It is about growing as a professional, not licensing requirements or criminal background.

Why Participate?

The Oregon Registry:

- Recognizes the many training and college coursework hours you have received related to the childhood care and education field.
- Makes it easy to see what further training you need to become even better at what you do.
- May give you money related to different Steps you achieve.
- Connects you to others who care about children and families.
- Promotes the profession while recognizing you as a professional.

How to apply:

Visit the website for the Oregon Center for Career Development in Childhood Care and Education: www.centerline.pdx.edu or call toll free 1-877-725-8535.