

Child Watch Rules

General Rules

1. Child Watch is for the exclusive use of YMCA family members only.
2. Children may attend Child Watch for a maximum of 3 hours per day.
3. If you are late picking up your child there is a charge of \$5.00 per child for every 15 minutes.
4. We will only release a child to the parent who signed them in unless previous notification has been given.
5. Children can only be dropped off and picked up by an adult (someone 18 years or older).
6. Parents must remain on the YMCA grounds while children are signed into Child Watch.
7. If a child continually cries up to 15 minutes the parent/s will be paged.
8. Only bottles/cups labeled with your child's name will be given to them.
9. Only toddler snacks and bottles/cups are allowed in Child Watch.
10. Shoes must be worn at all times while in the center and outside in the play area.
11. If your child is walking, closed toed athletic shoes must be worn in order to participate in activities in the gym/playground.
12. Children over the age of 12 will not be permitted into Child Watch.

Misbehavior Policy

If your child repeatedly misbehaves and is disrespectful towards other children and/or caregivers, we will interrupt your workout to handle the situation. You will be called to Child Watch if your child, after being warned, continues to act inappropriately. If after repeated misbehavior, your child cannot be controlled and is seen as a threat or constant distraction to the other children and staff, you will receive a letter of suspension. Your child's privileges will be suspended for a pre-determined amount of time.

We realize these guidelines seem strict, but please remember that we are trying to keep your children safe and well. The Waco Family YMCA reserves the right to refuse service for matters of health, hygiene and behavior.

For any questions, please call Cathy Montemayor at 776-6612 ext 215.



Waco Family YMCA

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YCHILD WATCH™

We build strong kids, strong families, strong communities.

Hours of Operation Effective 1/2008

Monday-Thursday

8:00 am to 1:00 pm
3:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Friday

8:00 am to 1:00 pm
3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Saturday

8:00 am to 6:00 pm

Sunday

1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Child Watch Caregivers

Erin A.	Leah M.
Alison B.	Hannah M.
Sheila B.	Jose M.
Lyssa B.	Lisa P.
Cameryn B.	Stephen P.
Kimberly C.	Alyssa R.
Melissa F.	Ben R.
Beth F.	Kylie S.
Brittany G.	Felicia T.
Bo H.	Max T.
Brittani H.	Katrina T.
Jenna J.	Annie W.
Jennifer J.	Teressa W.
J J.	Marie W.
Dana M.	Catherine W.

Youth Director

Cathy Montemayor
(254)776-6612 ext 215

Youth Coordinator

Sherri DePriest
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All About Child Watch

Child Watch is for exclusive use by members of the YMCA with a family membership. It is a drop-in service and a convenient alternative to day care designed to allow parents the opportunity to exercise worry-free. The children enjoy playing outdoors on the playground, participating in arts and crafts, gym time and other activities. Children can relax and enjoy socializing with other children. All Child Watch employees are first aid and CPR certified. Please see the back panel for Rules and Regulations of Child Watch.



Child Watch Activity Rules

1. All activities are introductory.
2. All activities are designed to let children have fun while staying active.
3. All programs have limited availability. (only ten children per one staff can be taken at a time).
4. We reserve the right to cancel any activities.



Information Concerning Activities

Your children will have the opportunity to interact with other children and the Child Watch staff using different areas of the YMCA.

The different areas of the YMCA that will be utilized are listed below:

Playground
Gym
Child Watch
Youth Classroom

During your child's visit, he/she will be placed into one of the following age groups:

6 weeks to 1 year old (not walking)
2 to 4 years old (walking)
5 to 12 years old (potty trained)

Once they are put into an age group, they will be with the same caregiver during their stay. This caregiver will then lead their group to different areas of the YMCA for fun and games. The 0 to 1 year olds will remain in Child Watch the entire stay.

We do ask that you please let your child's caregiver know if there is an activity you **DO NOT** want your child to participate in.

Requirements for Admission into

Child Watch

Infants : Infants, beginning at 6 weeks

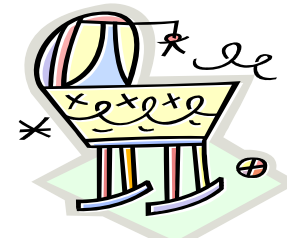
To not be considered an infant and not be placed in the 0 to 1 age group, your child must pass the following criteria:

- Able to follow verbal commands given by the staff.
- Be potty trained or wearing a pull-up in order to go to different areas of the YMCA

*****These rules are in place for the safety of your children. If there was an emergency evacuation we must be able to get all the kids out of harms way as quickly as possible.**

Diapered Children : Child Watch staff will check diapered children every hour for soiled diapers. The parent is responsible for sending their own diapers, wipes, etc.

If a child soils his/her clothes, we will page the parent to Child Watch to change their child's clothing.



Illness Guidelines

1. If your child has had diarrhea or vomiting in the past 24 hours, **please keep him/her at home.**
2. If your child is running even a low grade fever, **please keep him/her at home.**
3. If your child appears to have red, itchy eyes (possible pink eye), **he/she will not be admitted into Child Watch.**