



YOUR *Early Years* hive SNAPSHOT

22 April 2024

Upcoming task	Who should do it?	What do I need to do?	When do I need to do it?
National Childcare Scheme (NCS) Returns	Services offering NCS 2023/24.	Complete weekly attendance returns for the previous week on the Returns page of the Early Years Hive.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 15-19 April returns due Tuesday 23 April. • 22-26 April returns due Tuesday 30 April.
Nurturing Skills Learner Fund (NSLF) Registrations and Employment Record	Services with early years educators interested in pursuing early learning and care (ELC) qualifications.	Ensure staff in the service are aware of this opportunity and the training webinars.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two training webinars are scheduled for Thursday 25 of April. Links to register available on the Early Years Hive. • A recording and PowerPoint slides from one webinar will be available once the training is complete.
Scheduled Maintenance to the Early Years Hive	All Early Years Hive users.	Note that the portal will be unavailable for a short amount of time during this maintenance.	Provisionally scheduled for 2 May.

The above tasks are for general guidance only. You may have additional tasks outstanding. Please check the announcements page and notifications page of the Early Years Hive regularly.

You might have missed:	Who is it relevant to?	Where can I find it?
Access and Inclusion Model (AIM) Level 7 compliance checks begin on 22 April and training webinar materials available for viewing on the Early Years Hive	Services in receipt of AIM Level 7 payments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer to the Early Years Hive announcements section for full details. • Refer to the resources section for compliance support documents. • Training webinar recordings and PowerPoint slides available under 'recorded webinars' in the Training Videos section of the Early Years Hive. Q&A document also available here in due course.