## Common Sense Tips in Selecting or Researching a Florida Day Care Center for Your Child

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Tallahassee, Florida and many other Florida cities have a large number of day care and child care providers available to the public. A Google search of "Tallahassee Child Care" will provide over 500 results. This abundance of child care centers can be a bit overwhelming. Choosing the right child care facility is not an easy task, you need to ensure that the facility is the right one for your child, your schedule, and is in a convenient location to your residence.

Here are few simple ways to narrow down your selection:

1. Do a Google search of local day care centers or child care businesses. Read the reviews on each listing. Note: if a day care center has more than 2 negative reviews, it is generally wise to steer clear.

2. Call your local YMCA or other community center and ask what day care centers they would recommend. Ask for the manager of the YMCA or community center, they can usually offer great advice and counsel on this topic.

3. Visit the website Yelp.com, a popular review site on the Internet. This site will provide more reviews of the prospective facilities.

4. Finish with Google Maps, this will provide more details on the facilities produced by the Google search.

Picking a day care facility is a tough decision and should not be taken lightly. By following these methods, hopefully your day care center search will become easier as well as provide the most convenient and appropriate day care facility for you and your children. To read more on this topic see <u>Tips on picking the daycare</u>.