



## Mission Statement

BACI Children's Services will recognize the intrinsic value of every child; provide quality, inclusive child care and endeavor to meet the individual needs of all children; maximize children's opportunities to grow physically, socially, cognitively and emotionally; recognize and value the diversity among families and children; encourage and recognize family and community contributions and recognize the value of our staff and support their growth through training opportunities.

## Our Philosophy

We believe that play is the essence of our child care programs. Through play, children learn to take appropriate risks and accept challenges. BACI values our partnership with families, working together by sharing ideas, needs and concerns.

We believe that our child care programs are enriched by the contribution of individual children and families, and that every child has the right to develop to their fullest potential.

## Building Caring Communities

The Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion (BACI) is a grassroots, non-profit organization that has spent over 60 years providing innovative services for children, youth and adults with disabilities and their families.

We currently serve over 1,000 individuals and their families in Metro Vancouver by providing various training, development, social and recreational opportunities.

With our 5 integrated child care centres and Infant Development Program, we support over 400 children of all abilities and their families.

For more information on BACI, please visit [www.gobaci.com](http://www.gobaci.com).

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# Children's Services

## Child Care Programs



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Center, this program offers the children the unique ability to have ongoing social interactions with the seniors that enrich and broaden a sense of community in the children while they're having fun. It is a Universal Child Care Prototype Site. For more information on programs and fees, please call 604.437.0171.



## Child Care Centres

The Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion (BACI) operates 3 Child Care centres and 2 Out-of-School Care centres supporting children of all abilities in Burnaby. BACI has provided child care services for over 30 years.

Our 3 Child Care centres provide inclusive programs that strive for healthy and optimal growth and development for all children. Staff recognize all children as unique individuals with a variety of strengths, needs, talents and interests. We believe that children learn through play, curiosity, experimentation and exploration. We provide developmentally appropriate programming and activities that promote inclusion, multiculturalism and learning.

### Fairhaven Children's Center

**4375 Rumble Street, Burnaby, BC V5J 2A2**

Fairhaven opened in 1996 and offers both an Infant-Toddler and 3-5 Program. Located on the ground floor of Fair Haven Seniors'

### Little Eagles Children's Centre

**3755 Banff Ave, Burnaby, BC V5G 3Z9**

Little Eagles opened in September 2022 and provides an Infant-Toddler and 3-5 Program. For more information on programs and fees, please call 604.336.9484.

### Variety Cariboo Children's Centre

**7200 Cariboo Road, Burnaby, BC V3N 4A7**

Variety was opened in 1991 and provides both an Infant-Toddler and 3-5 Program. For more information on programs and fees, please call 778.888.4738.

### Infant-Toddler & 3-5 Programs

The inclusive Infant-Toddler programs provide licensed care for 12 children up to 3 years of age. The 3-5 Program offers licensed care for 25 children aged 3 to kindergarten. The child-to-staff ratio for infants and toddlers is 1 staff to every 4 children, and the ratio for children aged 3 to 5 is 1 staff for every 8 children.

Our Infant-Toddler and 3-5 Programs are open from Monday to Friday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm, except on statutory holidays. For more information, go to [www.gobaci.com](http://www.gobaci.com).

## Licensed Programs

Our child care centres are licensed as group child care facilities by the Community Care Facilities Licensing Board and operate under the Provincial Child Care Facilities Regulations.

## Staffing

Our staff are trained and certified in Early Childhood Education, with many staff specializing in Infant and Toddler Training and Special Needs Training. All staff are certified in First Aid and CPR and have completed a Criminal Record Search.