

Dear Y child care families:

This is an extremely challenging time and the growing concern of the coronavirus has made a tremendous impact on most of our nation's daily schedules, schools, daycares, businesses and lifestyles.

As you are aware we have suspended all childcare services until further notice following recommendations made by the CDC, local and state health departments. Many families are asking about tuition. Our policies are extensive however this is not something any of us imagined ever needing a policy for.

Your account does indicate that you have paid in advance, so at this time we have stopped future tuition autodraft payments effective today 3/17/2020. We are hopeful that the public is heeding the warnings in regards to the seriousness of this pandemic. We ask that families and friends execute the procedures outlined by the CDC, local and national governments by washing their hands, sanitizing surfaces, practice social distancing and do their best to prevent the spread of this virus.

We are hopeful that we will be able to open our facilities and child care centers and that school will resume in the near future. For now, the YMCA will be issuing system credits to your YMCA account for the weeks you have paid for which families may utilize for future weeks of care and or programming with the Y upon reopening.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter, we will keep families posted regarding when we can return to operation for our YMCA facilities, daycares and AM/PM school age child care.

Please continue to check your emails, our websites at meridenymca.org and nbbymca.org, and our YMCA Facebook pages for information going forward.

We hope you and your family continue to stay healthy during this time.

Sincerely,

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