

# IPM FOR CHILD CARES: Peer-to-Peer Info Series

**Ask the experts! Join us to discuss...  
PEST MANAGEMENT: SPENDING WISELY**

## GET THE BIGGEST BANG FOR YOUR PEST CONTROL BUCK

Pest control activities are a necessary part of any well-run child care home or center. But what works and what doesn't? Join us and learn from other child care providers...

1. **How they are spending their limited funds to eliminate pests and save money;**
2. **How to contract with a professional pest control operator to receive asthma-friendly pest control.**

Pests and pesticides can trigger asthma and cause other chronic health problems. Don't throw your money away on ineffective and unhealthy control methods. Join us and learn how to do it better!

**Thursday, March  
28th, 2018**

**1:30 PM - 2:30 PM**

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- **Presentation by Ruth Kerzee, Executive Director of Midwest Pesticide Action Center**
- **Peer-to-peer learning: hear from child care professionals who use IPM for a healthy, safe, and pest-free child care environment**
- **Q&A with a licensed pest control operator**

**Register online: [bit.ly/MPACevents](http://bit.ly/MPACevents)**

Questions? Contact [rkerzee@pesticideaction.org](mailto:rkerzee@pesticideaction.org)



## WHY PEST MANAGEMENT MATTERS

Integrated Pest Management (IPM) is required by the State of Illinois and DCFS for all licensed child care centers and is the best way to control pests. However, most people don't know what it is or how to do it right.

This Info Series will provide you with the answers needed to protect children, staff, and property from the negative impacts of pests and pesticides.

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