



# QualityCounts

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## Application for Participation in Quality Counts

<b>1. CENTER INFORMATION</b>		
Center Name:	FEIN Number:	
Date Center Opened:	DSS License Number:	
Director Name(s):		
Owner Name (if different from director):		
Street Address:	City:	Zip:
Mailing Address:	City:	Zip:
Center Phone #:	Additional Phone #:	
Center Email Address:	Operating Hours:	
Is your program open year-round? If not, please explain.		
Spartanburg County School District majority of children will attend: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7		
<b>2. ABC PROGRAM and/or NAEYC ACCREDITATION</b>		
Does your center participate in the ABC Program: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If yes, what is your current ABC level: <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> B+ <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> A+		
Number of ABC voucher children currently enrolled at your center:		
NAEYC Accreditation: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>3. STAFF/CENTER DEMOGRAPHICS</b>		
Number of staff that work at least 20 hours a week with children birth – 5 Years:		
Number of children age birth – 5 Years (excluding Kindergarten) currently enrolled:		
Number of infant classrooms (birth – 12 months):		
Number of toddler classrooms ( 12 months – 2 years, 6 months):		
Number of preschool classrooms (2 years, 7 months – 5 years, excluding Kindergarten):		

<b>4. ENVIRONMENT RATING SCALES EXPERIENCE</b>
How experienced are you with the Environment Rating Scales (ITERS-3 and ECERS-3)? Check all that apply:
<input type="checkbox"/> Never heard of the Environment Rating Scales.
<input type="checkbox"/> Have heard of the Environment Rating Scales, but never used them.
<input type="checkbox"/> An outside source has assessed the center using at least one Environment Rating Scale.
<input type="checkbox"/> Center has used at least one Environment Rating Scale for self-assessment.

**All centers must have a *No Corporal Punishment* policy to be eligible for participation in Quality Counts. Please attach a copy of your policy to this application.**

<b>Print Name:</b>	<b>Title:</b>
<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

Please contact Tammy Compton, Quality Counts Director, at (864) 327-4911 or tcompton@1steps.org with any questions.

**Applications should be mailed to:**  
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