



## Rural Child Care Innovation Program

Becker County, MN

Progress Update – August 27, 2020

Becker County joined the Rural Child Care Innovation Program in 2018. Becker County has moved through the formal RCCIP process and continues to have a group of leaders throughout the community who are addressing the needs of providers in their area. During the initial COVID stay at home order and continuing today they have worked with local suppliers to gather and provide child cares in the area with essential supplies, delivering to 29 providers.

Connections were made through the process that have allowed community leaders and providers direct contact to each other and their needs. Training has been provided and continued conversation regarding expanding childcare and supporting the needs of providers is ongoing.