

## Employee Communication – 5/8/2020

"Today was a big day! The counties served by The Learning Lamp will move to the yellow phase of Pennsylvania's COVID-19 Reopening Plan beginning on May 15. Our goal is to reopen some child care programs the following Monday, May 18. This will include the Jennerstown, Somerset, Westmont and Greater Johnstown Career and Technology Center locations. PreK Counts, preschool, and school-age care programs located within public schools (other than GJCTC) will remain closed, as will Ignite's programs. These will follow the PA Department of Education's schedule for reopening.

We anticipate a reduced demand for child care upon reopening. We will staff program based on the demand for care. We will do our best to bring employees back as quickly as we are able and with proper safety protocols in place.

The health of our employees and the children and families we serve is our top priority. We look forward to the day when we can all be back at work educating children and providing much-needed support for families and schools. We'll keep you updated as things progress. Have a great weekend!"

