The EHCC Baby Konnection provides care for children during Sunday morning service. It is our desire to enhance the learning and worship experience of parents or guardians by assuring them that each child is comfortable, safe, and happy. Caring adults, along with adult/teen assistants, staff our 0-4 year old rooms.

**Nursery Guidelines**

In order for your child to be happier, safer, and better cared for, the Nursery Committee has established the following guidelines:

- Notify the nursery volunteer of any allergies, special instructions, or medical needs.
- Please sign in your child. Please mark your child’s shirt and diaper bag with matching stickers, marking off its contents and filling in the appropriate blanks and information.
- Please provide pacifier clips to keep pacifiers from becoming lost, dropped, or exchanged.
- Separation anxiety: At this age, some children who are left in our care may tend to cry, but then are easily distracted within a few minutes. If your child continues to cry and our efforts to comfort fail beyond 10 minutes, we may come and get you. Parents are welcome to stay with their child if they so desire.
- Both nurseries open 20 minutes before each service or event and close promptly at its conclusion.
- Please do not leave the grounds while your child is in our care.

**Illness Policy**

Please help keep our nurseries a safe place for everyone by holding your child back if they are sick/contagious. A child with any of the following will not be permitted in the EHCC nurseries:

- Runny nose (colored discharge)
- Colored discharge from eyes
- Inflamed mouth or throat
- Coughing/sneezing
- Chest congestion/labored breathing
- Diarrhea/vomiting within the past 24 hours
- Fever within the past 24 hours
- Listlessness/unusual fatigue or irritability/excessive crying
- Open sores
- Contagious disease (i.e. Chicken Pox/pink eye)
- If your child is taking any antibiotics, he/she should have received treatment for at least 48 hours before coming to church even if the symptoms are no longer present.
- Our nursery policy prohibits volunteers from administering any medications.

**In Conclusion**

The EHCC Baby Konnection is staffed entirely by volunteers. We encourage anyone with a heart for children as well as all parents of preschoolers to serve in both the Infant and Toddler Nurseries. Thank you for your cooperation and for the privilege of ministering to your children. Our guidelines are meant to make our nurseries as healthy and safe as possible for everyone. Any questions, concerns, or suggestions you might have are welcome, and we invite you to contact Vanessa Hernandez (909) 226-6683.