



# ARE YOU LOOKING TO START YOUR OWN BUSINESS?



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## Attend an Information Session for **HOME-BASED CHILDCARE PROGRAM FOR WOMEN (HCCP)**

**JOIN US to know about our HCCP program:  
– developed by women for women –**

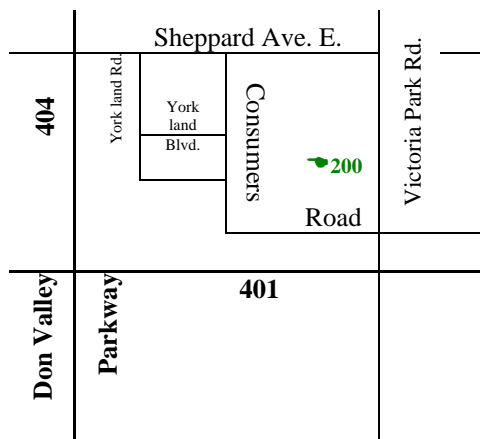
### Community MicroSkills Development Centre

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### MicroSkills

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In our HCCP program you can:

- Learn about myths and realities of Self-Employment
- Discover techniques to balance business with personal and family needs
- Develop skills to be a self-employed childcare practitioner
- Participate in a practicum in an established childcare setting
- Access our Business Resource Library, computers and internet for business research
- Prepare a small business plan and access support during your business start-up
- List your home-based childcare business in a childcare registry
- Participate in workshops and Networking opportunities with other women entrepreneurs

### Program Duration

The program offers 14 weeks of classroom training and 6 weeks of practicum

### Start date: TBA

### Who can apply?

- Women considering self-employment who are interested in providing home childcare services
- Women motivated to formalize their skills in providing home-based childcare
- Women with home childcare experience

### How to apply?

- Call Halima at 416 247-7181 ext. 2272
- Walk in to fill out an application form 9:30-3 pm, Monday to Friday, or
- Attend information sessions at 200 Consumers Rd, 9th Floor every Wednesday at 10:00 am