

Infant Program



The Learning Leaf
Child Development Center
A Loving Place to Learn & Grow

- **Ages:** 6 weeks- 12 months
- Combination of **RIE** & **Reggio Emilia Approach** to teaching and care.
- Developmentally Appropriate, High Quality Care:
- **A Soothing Environment.** We will ensure your baby's comfort with subtle lights that aren't too bright, uncluttered classrooms, and soft, ambient music is played during nap time.
- **Personal Touches.** Infant classrooms will contain objects that are familiar to each child, like family photographs.
- **Secure Open Spaces.** Babies need to move on firm surfaces without being in a device or carrier in order to strengthen their muscles and motorskill development. Your baby will be able to explore toys and objects that interest them in open but safely secured spaces.
- **Defined Areas.** The classrooms will be divided into separate areas for sleeping, playing, eating, and changing diapers. That way, everything and everyone stays clean and safe, and playing infants don't disturb sleeping ones.
- **4:1 Teacher to Child Ratio.** Each infant classroom will have 8 babies with 2 Teachers monitoring the children at all times. Teacher aides will also be present to ensure that this ratio is always met.
- **Detailed Daily Reports** & Hi Mama and Kinderlime apps will be used for Parent-Teacher communication. Teachers will provide information to parents about each baby's diapering, eating, sleeping, daily activity, and picture updates throughout the day.
- **Safety & Security.** Video Monitoring. The Director will be monitoring the classrooms at all times with constant classroom check-ins as well as through video cameras in the classroom.