

# Pay by Enrollment Provider Portal Manual

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## 1. Introduction

This Training Document details the specific actions to follow to utilize the Provider Portal for the Pay By Enrollment (PBE) system. The portal allows on-program childcare providers to view and manipulate site closures and child attendance data; and creates payment partnerships between the provider site and Tyler Technologies for subsidy voucher payments from the State of Indiana to providers.

## 1.1. Scope

This manual is intended for use by childcare providers who accept children on the CCDF and OMW-PK programs for operation of the Provider Portal for the Pay by Enrollment (PBE) system.

## 1.2. Terminology

This document contains the following terms, acronyms, and abbreviations.

Term	Explanation
TCC	TCC Solutions
CCDF	Child Care and Development Fund
OMW-PK	On My Way Pre-K
I-LEAD	Indiana-Licensing and Education Access Depot
AIS	Automated Intake System
PPP	Parent Provider Portal
PBE	Pay by Enrollment
CCMS	Childcare Management System



# 2. Creating & Accessing your Access Indiana Account

The following process is intended primarily for new providers. Existing providers already have I-LEAD and Access Indiana accounts. As a provider, you will log into I-LEAD in order to access the Provider Portal.

If you	Then
Already have an Access Indiana account (most existing providers)	Login to I-LEAD and proceed to step 14 on page 14 of this document.
Do not already have an Access Indiana account (new providers)	Proceed to the next step.

1. Open a web browser and navigate to https://secure.in.gov/apps/fssa/childcare/portal/home.

Result: The I-LEAD login page is displayed.

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2. Click the green "Login" button.

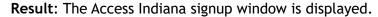
**Result:** The Access Indiana login page is displayed.



If you	Then
Already have an Access Indiana account (most existing providers)	Proceed to the directional selection at the end of step 14 of this section on page 14.
Do not already have an Access Indiana account (new providers)	Proceed to the next step.



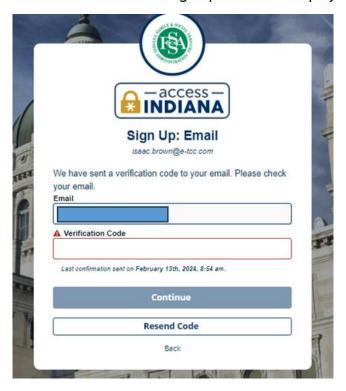
3. Click the "Don't have an Access Indiana account?" link.





- 4. Enter the email address associated with your provider site in the "Email" field.
- 5. Click the "Send Verification Code" button. A verification code will be sent to the email address specified in the prior step.

**Result:** The Access Indiana Sign Up window is displayed.







6. Enter the code provided in the automated email and click the "Continue" button.





7. Enter your desired password in the in the "Password" field.

Note: Passwords must meet the following required security criteria:

Must contain digits (0-9)

Must have one of the following: !@#\$%^&\*-\_+=[]{}|\:',?/`~"();.

Password must be at least 8 characters.

8. Re-enter your desired password in the "Confirm Password" field.





9. Click the "Continue" button.

Result: The Indiana Access Profile window is displayed.

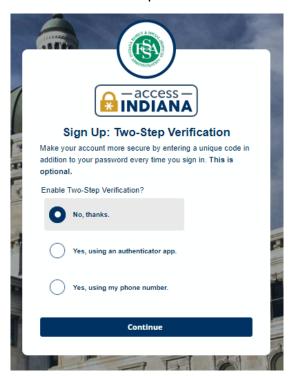


10. Enter information for the required fields (First Name, Last Name, & Phone Number).



### 11. Click the "Create Account" button.

Result: The Access Indiana Two-Step Verification window is displayed.



**Note:** While two-step verification is a good security measure for a user account, enabling this feature is optional.



12. Choose an option and click the "Continue" button.

Result: The Access Indiana Recovery Email window is displayed.

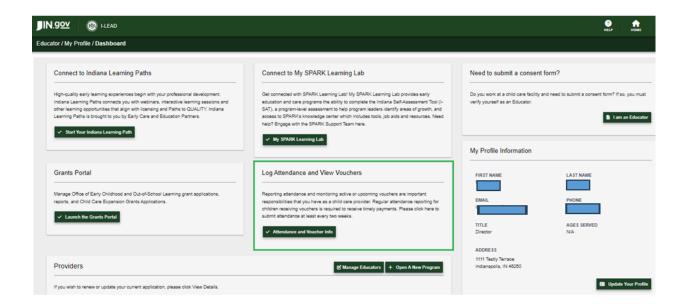


**Note:** Similar to the prior step, this provision is optional.



## 13. Choose an option and click the "Continue" button.

Result: The Educator dashboard is displayed.





14. In the "Log Attendance and View Vouchers" section, click the "Attendance and Voucher Info" button.

**Result:** The Provider Portal home page is displayed.



#### **CHILD CARE VOUCHER PROGRAM - PROVIDER PORTAL**

ABSENCES

Record the Absences for the children on the provider roster.

CLOSURE DAYS

Enter the Closure Days
for the provider.

PAYMENTS

Register with the payment vendor, Tyler
Technologies, and enter or update your
banking information to setup and receive your
payments. After registration, login here to see
a history of payments and payment details

DATA ENTRY SETUP

Use this link to specify how you will enter your Absence and Closure data into PPP.

If you	Then proceed to
Wish to set up your provider information for the first time	Section 3 or page 15 of this document.
Wish to perform or view Data Entry Setup to choose whether you will enter attendance through this provider portal or through one of the three State preferred CCMS vendors	Section 4 or page 19 of this document.
Wish to view or set up payment information or enter / update banking information	Section 5 or page 21 of this document.
Wish to view or manage Absences	Section 6 or page 24 of this document.
Wish to view or manage Closure Days	Section 7 or page 31 of this document.

# 3. Provider Setup

The following process is intended for initial provider setup in the provider portal. If you have already established your childcare sites in the provider portal, you may skip this section. If in the course of your business you open new provider sites, you may revisit this section.

- 1. Refer to the email you received from OECOSL with your invitation to link your provider site. If you did not receive this email, please call 1-800-299-1627 or visit Brighterfuturesindiana.org/I-Lead.
- 2. Click the "Accept Invitation" button at the bottom of the message.

**Result:** The Portal Invitation Login Screen is displayed.

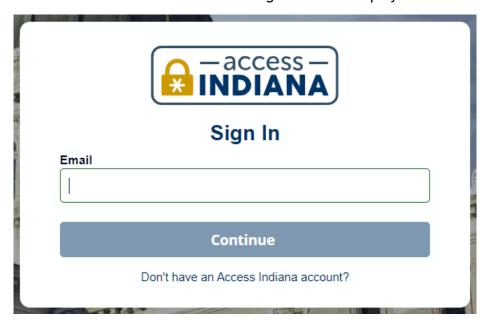
n order to accept inv	itations, you must be logged in to I-LEAD with a state account. Click the 'Login' button below to logi or register.
	Login and Accept Invitation Decline
Need to resend	the invite?
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If your invitation ha	as expired, please enter your email here to receive a new invitation.





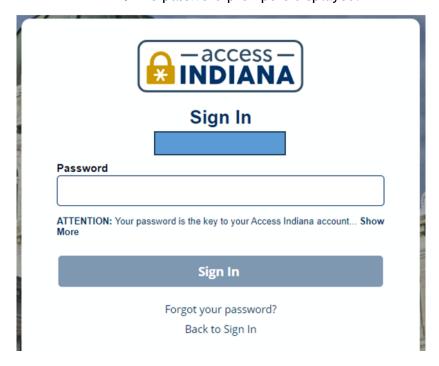
3. Click the "Login and Accept Invitation" button.

Result: The Access Indiana Login screen is displayed.



4. Confirm or enter your email address in the "Email" field and click the "Continue" button.

**Result:** The password prompt is displayed.

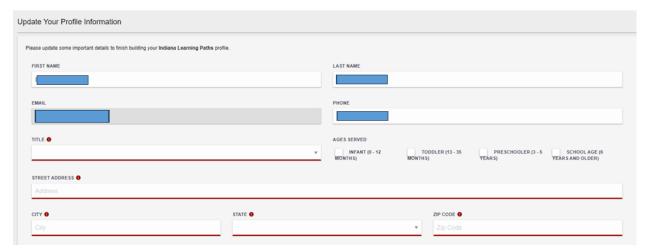






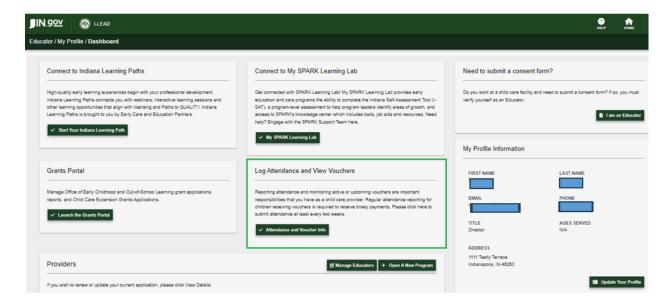
5. Enter your password in the "Password" field and click the "Sign In" button.

**Result:** You will receive a notification in the bottom-right corner of the screen indicating that your invite was accepted, and the "Update Your Profile Information" window is displayed.



6. Fill out all required fields and click the "Update Your Profile button in the bottom-right corner of the window.

Result: The Educator Dashboard is displayed.





7. In the "Log Attendance and View Vouchers" section, click the "Attendance and Voucher Info" button.

**Result:** The Provider Portal is displayed.



If you	Then proceed to
Are setting up a new provider site	The next section of this document.
Wish to perform or view Data Entry Setup to choose whether you will enter attendance through this provider portal or through one of the three State preferred CCMS vendors	The next section of this document.
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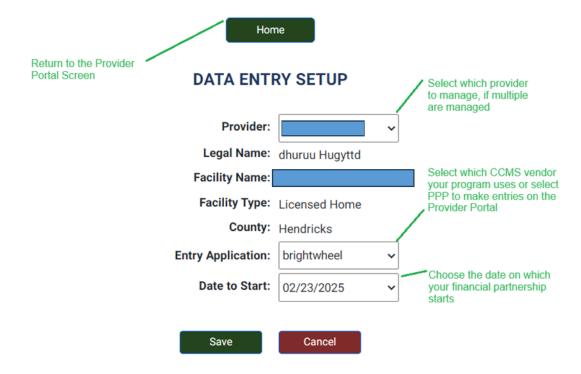
## 4. Data Entry Setup

In the provider portal, the tile labeled "Data Entry Setup" is used to select which method of submission the provider wishes to use to submit absence and attendance data. By default, all programs are set up to use the provider portal as their way to submit attendance to the State. However, providers may also choose to use one preferred CCMS vendors to submit attendance to the State instead.

1. Click the "Data Entry Setup" tile.

**Result:** The Data Entry Setup window is displayed. Take note of the elements of the page below.

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2. With the provider site selected and verified in the Provider field, choose the appropriate Child Care Management System (CCMS) partner that you'd like to use for absence entries. from the "Entry Application" field.

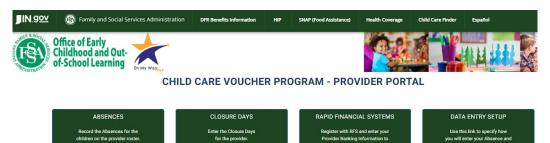
**Note:** Utilization of a Childcare Management System vendor is not required. You may leave this selection at the default option of PPP if you wish to manually enter your absences. If you are using a CCMS vendor, you may have instructions related to their software application, from the application vendor, separate from this guide. Make sure to follow this documentation to complete your setup.





- 3. By default, the start date for your section will always be the start of a service period. Choose a future date at which your data entry selection should be effective; and click the "Save" button. You will receive notification that your entry has been saved.
- 4. Click the "Home" button.

**Result:** You are returned to the Provider Portal Screen.



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# 5. Payments Setup

All providers will need to register each site with Tyler Technologies. This includes creating an account with Tyler Technologies by following the instructions below and entering your bank information.

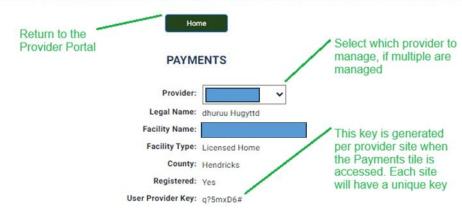
#### IMPORTANT: Providers will not be paid until this step has been completed.

1. Click the "Payments" tile.

**Result:** The payments page is displayed. Take note of the elements on the page below.

#### CHILD CARE VOUCHER PROGRAM - PROVIDER PORTAL

Service Period 03/10/2024 - 03/23/2024, due on 04/06/2024. Please enter and review absences for this service period and submit.



(Copy the above Provider Key to paste when registering with the payment vendor, Tyler Technologies.)

PAYMENT VENDOR LOGIN

Login to Tyler Technologies to view setup
and your history of payments.

Register with Tyler Technologies and enter
your provider's banking information to set
up and receive your payments. Once registered,
this link will be disabled.

**Note:** Write down or copy your user provider key, as it is needed for payment registration. The "Payment Vendor Registration" tile will allow you to perform first time setup with Tyler Technologies. The Tyler Technologies "Payment Vendor Login" tile will allow you to log into your vendor account to view your payment history, see payment detail reports, and manage your banking information. These sections are not discussed in this document. Please refer to your supplemental documentation relevant to your payment vendor.





2. Click the "Payment Vendor Registration" tile.

Result: The Bank Information page is displayed in a new browser tab.

Submit Provider Banking Information					
Use this form to submit your provider banking information to Tyler Technologies for the first time.					
> When entering your license number, please enter all fields including any letters or dashes that may be in your license number.  > For your provider key, you will enter the code provided when you login to your Provider Portal.					
If you have any questions about this form or about your CCDF/OMW payments, please contact your CCDF policy consultant. You can find your CCDF policy consultant contact information at <a href="https://www.in.gov/fssa/carefinder/files/CCDF">https://www.in.gov/fssa/carefinder/files/CCDF</a> Consultant. Policy map off if you need assistance with submitting your banking information for payment, please contact Tyler Technologies at (844) 959-7997.					
Please note: banking information must be submitted/updated at least two (2) business days prior to a payment date to be effective with that payment.					
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By checking this box and clicking	ccept, you agree to and accept the <u>terms</u>				
	and arbitration provisions associated with	Next →			
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3. Fill out all fields, select the Checkbox to accept the terms and conditions, and click the "Next" button.

**Result:** The Registration Success confirmation window is displayed, and you will receive a welcome email for confirmation.







- 4. Close the browser tab and return to your original tab.
- 5. Click the "Home" button.

**Result:** You are returned to the Provider Portal Screen.



#### CHILD CARE VOUCHER PROGRAM - PROVIDER PORTAL

ABSENCES

Record the Absences for the children on the provider roster.

CLOSURE DAYS

Enter the Closure Days
for the provider.

RAPID FINANCIAL SYSTEMS

Register with RFS and enter your
Provider Banking Information to
setup and receive your Payments
or Login to RFS to view setup
and history of payments.

DATA ENTRY SETUP

Use this link to specify how you will enter your Absence and Closure data into PPP.

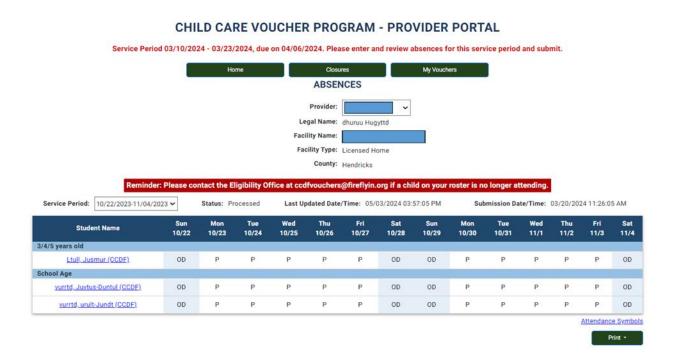
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Wish to view or manage Absences	The next section of this document.
Wish to view or manage Closure Days	Section 7 or page 30 of this document.
View or perform Data Entry Setup to choose whether you will enter attendance through this provider portal or through one of the three State preferred CCMS vendors	Section 4 or page 19 of this document.



# 6. Managing Absences

1. Click the "Absences" tile.

**Result:** The Absences window is displayed.



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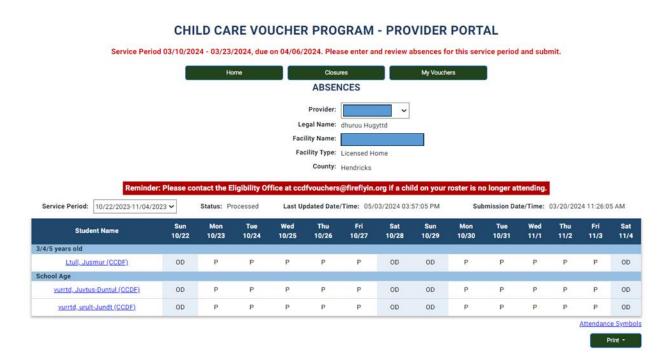
2. Click on a Child's name to view a complete list of their vouchers.

Result: The Vouchers window is displayed. This is a read only area.

#### CHILD CARE VOUCHER PROGRAM - PROVIDER PORTAL Home Absences Closure Days Return **VOUCHERS** PROVIDER Provider #: Legal Name: dhuruu Hugyttd Facility Name: Facility Type: Licensed Home Location Address: 55231 Htwintiin nq, qwFNuGuN, 46112 County: CHILD DETAIL Child Name: vurrtd, Juvtus-Duntul Date of Birth: Anniversary Date: VOUCHER DETAILS Case Funding **Voucher Begin Voucher End** Market Total Age Group 9289606 07/31/2022 12/17/2022 \$ 130.00 \$ 77.00 \$ 26.00 \$ 520.00 \$ 53 20 CCDF School Age \$110.00 21 9570271 CCDF 12/18/2022 12/31/2022 \$150.00 \$ 39.00 \$ 78.00 \$ 40 Other

3. Click the "Return" button.

**Result:** The Absences window is displayed.

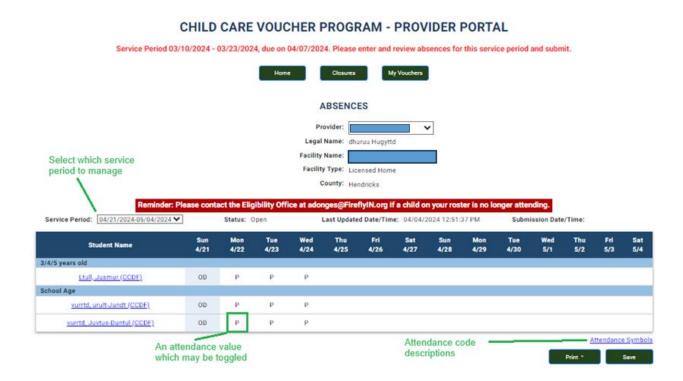


4. To make attendance or absence changes to an unsubmitted service period, select a service period in the "Service Period" drop-down box.



5. To manipulate a day for a child in the grid, click on the entry for that child on the day you wish to alter.

**Note:** Each click on a value will toggle it to the next available value. For example, clicking a cell with a value of "P" (Present) will toggle that value to "AB" (Absent). Clicking a cell with a value of "AB" will cycle the value to "OD" (Off Day) and clicking a cell with a value of "OD" will return the value to "P".



**Note:** Attendance code descriptions are referenced below and are accessible form the "**Attendance Symbols**" link in the screenshot of the prior step of this procedure.





#### Attendance Symbols

PC (Paid Closure) - Providers get 11 Paid Closure Days per calendar year which can be used for provider Vacations, Sick Days, Inclement Weather Days, Emergency Closures, Staff In-Service, or Holidays. Providers will need to enter 5 Paid Closures if they are closed for the entire week.

OD (Off Day) - Off Days should be used when the provider does not operate, or the child is not regularly scheduled to attend on this day (for example, the child only attends Mon-Thurs). These days are paid and do not count against the child's excessive absence total.

NP (Non-Paid Closure) - Any day your program would normally be open, but no children are in attendance. This would be used for weeks that already have attendance recorded, and providers will still be paid.

P (Present) - This is used when a child attended any amount of time during a given date.

AB (Absent) - Absent should be used when a child is regularly scheduled to attend but was not in attendance at all on a given date (pre-planned or not) for a child's vacations, sick days, emergencies, etc. Children are allowed up to 45 absence days, across all providers they attend, per enrollment year.



**Note:** If you use a CCMS provider such as Alliance CORE powered by Early Learning Ventures, brightwheel, or Playground, this screen will be read only in the provider portal. Please refer to the application guide provided by your CCMS vendor. Only those using PPP as their Entry Application will be able to change attendance from this screen.



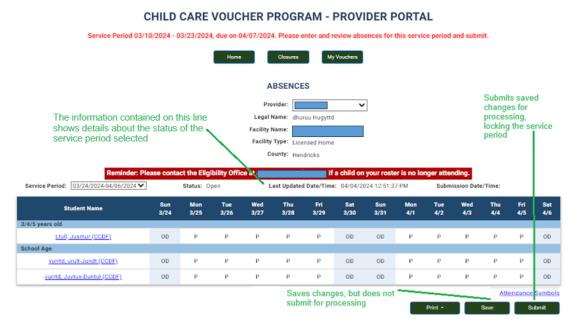


- 6. Once you have made your necessary attendance alterations, you may click one of the two following buttons.
  - a. Save This button will save your changes but will NOT submit them for action.

**Note:** If you use a CCMS provider such as Alliance CORE powered by Early Learning Ventures, brightwheel, or Playground, you will not see the Save or Submit buttons. Data is managed through your CCMS.

**IMPORTANT:** Once submitted, the service period is locked for editing! Ensure that your entries are correct before clicking the "Submit" button.

a. Submit - This button will submit your changes for processing. Only submitted absences pages will be available for payment via the Payments portal. No payments will be initiated that haven't had the service period submitted. You must wait for a service period to end before you will be able to submit attendance or absences for that service period. Submissions are due two weeks after the service period ends. If you do not see a submit button on this screen it is likely because either the service period has already been submitted or the current date falls within the service period begin and end dates.



**Note**: The first unsubmitted pay period will be paid. Additional pay periods will not be paid until unsubmitted service periods are caught up.

Note: Printing is detailed in Section 8 of this document. If you wish to print, go to page 34.





### 7. Click the "Home" button.

**Result:** You are returned to the Provider Portal Screen.



If you	Then proceed to
Wish to view or manage Closure Days	The next section of this document.
View or perform Data Entry Setup to choose whether you will enter attendance through this provider portal or through one of the three State preferred CCMS vendors	Section 4 or page 19 of this document.
View or setup Payment information or enter/update banking information	Section 5 or page 21 of this document.



## 7. Managing Closure Days

1. Click the "Closure Days" tile.

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**Result:** The Closure Days window is displayed. Take note of the elements of the page below.

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#### Service Period 03/10/2024 - 03/23/2024, due on 04/07/2024. Please enter and review absences for this service period and submit. Return to the Provider Go to the **CLOSURE DAYS** Select a provider. Provider: if multiple providers are Legal Name: dhuruu Hugyttd Select a Date for Adds a closure which to add a Facility Type: Licensed Home Select the type of closure Type are selected closure to add County: Hendricks Running totals by Date: Type: Select a calendar closure type for ear to add a closure SAVED CLOSURES provider Paid Closures: 01 of 21 Calendar Year: 2024 Date Type 05/06/2024

- 2. To add a closure, enter a date in the "Date" field by manually typing the date, or, clicking on the Calendar icon next to the field.
- 3. Choose a closure type, from the "Type" drop-down menu.

Result: Closure information is populated.



**Note:** Closures can be added before or after the closure, as long as they are added before submitting the service period.

**Note**: A provider is allowed 11 paid closures per year. After 11 paid closures have been recorded, only the Non-Paid-Closure option will be available. Providers can use non-paid closure days at any time, and do not have to exhaust paid closure days prior.

**Note:** Closures are not managed in the CCMS system like other attendance and absence data. Closures must be added in the PPP.





4. Click the "Add" button.

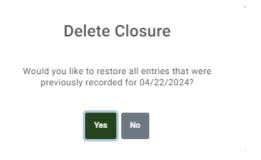
**Result:** A record for your specified closure is added to the grid, and the type of closure is iterated above.

CHILD CARE VOUCHER PROGRAM - PROVIDER PORTAL

#### Service Period 03/10/2024 - 03/23/2024, due on 04/07/2024. Please enter and review absences for this service period and submit. Absences **CLOSURE DAYS** Provider: Legal Name: dhuruu Hugyttd Facility Name: Facility Type: Licensed Home County: Hendricks Date: Type: SAVED CLOSURES Calendar Year: 2024 Paid Closures: 01 of 21 Non-Paid Closures: 02 Date Type 05/06/2024 PC 04/22/2024 04/08/2024 NP

5. To delete a closure, click the "**Delete**" button beside the closure's entry. You will only be able to delete closures that occur during service periods that have not been submitted. Once a service period has been submitted, a closure cannot be deleted.

**Result:** The Delete Closure confirmation window is displayed.



6. Click the "Yes" button.

**Result:** The selected entry is removed.

7. Click the "Home" button.

Result: You are returned to the Provider Portal Screen.



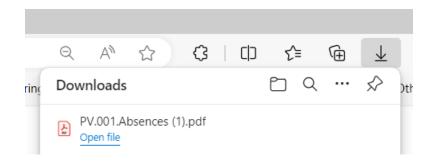


# 8. Printing

Note: Options to Print can be found on the "Absences" and "My Vouchers" pages.

- 1. Click the "Print" button.
- 2. From the drop-down menu, choose a format for the report, PDF, or Excel.

**Result:** The report will render, and when ready; will appear in your browser's downloads folder.



**Note:** In the above example, the Print button was utilized from the absences page. Depending on which report your print, your report name may differ from the example above.

