Organizational License Pilot Continuation

2023-25 Decision Package

Current licensing processes make it difficult for organizations with multiple child care center and school-age sites to license and maintain new programs due to inefficiencies and redundancies in the system. The 2021-23 operating budget created a pilot project to determine the feasibility of a child care license category for multi-site programs to occur from July 1, 2021 – July 1, 2024. The project was initially funded through June 30, 2023. Funding is needed to continue the pilot in the third year of the work, and for one year of implementation activities.

OVERVIEW:

Fund Third Year of Pilot:

- 文 Pilot evaluation, data gathering, reporting, rulemaking
- Continuing pilot workgroups
- 📀 Same level of funding as the first two years of pilot

Fund Implementation Year:

- Implementation and scaling activities while supporting existing pilot participants
- Development of internal trainings for licensors, outreach materials, training for prospective providers
- 📀 Complete IT system integration

DCYF Strategic Priority Alignment

- Create a high-quality integrated B-8 system
- Improve quality and intention of our practice
- Improve quality and availability of provider services

COST:

2023-25 BIENNIUM – \$324,000

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