



Office of Children
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July 28, 2015

Al Dirschberger, Ph.D., Commissioner
Erie County Department of Social Services
Rath County Office Building
95 Franklin St. – 8th Floor
Buffalo, NY 14202-3959

Dear Commissioner Dirschberger:

This letter is in response to your request to amend Erie County's 2015 Child and Family Services Plan Annual Plan Update. Erie County proposed to amend Appendix L: Erie County will not provide child care funds to families with income up to 200% of the State Income Standard when child care services are needed because the child's caretaker is physically or mentally incapacitated.

This request has been approved and is effective July 28, 2015. If you have any questions about this approval or the child care section found in your district's 2012-2016 Child and Family Services Plan, please contact Mr. Michael Miller at (518) 408-3395 or Michael.Miller@ocfs.ny.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janice Molnar".

Janice M. Molnar, Ph.D.
Deputy Commissioner
Division of Child Care Services