

JOB IMPACT STATEMENT

A full job impact statement has not been prepared for the regulations, which contain requirements imposed by federal mandates and which comply with the mandate of Section 446 of the Social Services Law that OCFS enact such regulations. The regulations will not have an impact on jobs and employment opportunities because they will not impact upon the number of staff authorized agencies must maintain to provide preventive, foster care or adoptive services. Rather, the regulations are designed to implement CONNECTIONS statewide, providing case workers with an automated set of tools in CONNECTIONS in order to enhance the delivery of child welfare services.