

Job Impact Statement

1. Nature of Impact:

The New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) does not anticipate that this rule will have a negative impact on employment opportunities at child care programs in any region of New York State. This regulatory change is necessary to prevent further closure of the child care programs.

2. Categories and Numbers Affected:

It is estimated that there are 15,106 licensed/registered child care programs and 276 enrolled legally-exempt group child care programs.

3. Regions of Adverse Impact:

This rule applies to licensed/registered and enrolled legally-exempt group child care programs. There are no regions where this rule will have a disproportionate adverse impact on employment opportunities.

4. Minimizing Adverse Impact:

OCFS does not anticipate an adverse impact.