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Case Number:
Date:
DHS Office:
Specialist:
Phone:
Fax:
Specialist ID:

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Department of Human Services

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AUTHORITY: Public Act 280 of 1939.

COMPLETION: Mandatory.

CONSEQUENCE FOR NONCOMPLETION: Child care subsidy payments will not be authorized.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND CARE PROVIDER VERIFICATION

INSTRUCTIONS:

Due Date:

- Complete the form below.
- Read and certify that you agree to the statements on page 2. **Both the parent and provider MUST sign and date the form on page 2.**
- Return the completed form to your specialist in the local DHS office.
- You will be sent notification if care is authorized.
- The parent is responsible for child care expenses that are not paid by DHS, including expenses incurred while a parent's or provider's eligibility is being determined.

TO BE COMPLETED BY PROVIDER:

Child Care Provider or Child Care Center Director Name	Child Care Center Name (Centers Only)		County
Address (Number and Street)	City	State MI	Zip Code
Provider ID Number	Telephone Number ()		
Do you receive any other reimbursement for caring for any of the children listed below? <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES → If yes, for whom? _____ From whom? _____			
Where do you provide the child care? (Check all that apply.) <input type="checkbox"/> CHILD CARE CENTER <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP CHILD CARE HOME <input type="checkbox"/> FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME <input type="checkbox"/> HOME WHERE THE CHILD LIVES <input type="checkbox"/> MY HOME			

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List all children in the parent/substitute parent's family who are in your care.	Date of Birth	Date Care Began	Are you related to this child?	If yes, what is your relationship?
			<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES →	
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			<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES →	

PARENT/SUBSTITUTE PARENT:

- 1) I certify that my child(ren) receives care from this provider as of the date care began listed above.
- 2) I understand that the agreement for child care is an arrangement between myself and the provider.
- 3) I understand that DHS may request information from me in order to verify my provider's billing information.
- 4) I understand that I may be prosecuted for perjury or fraud if I intentionally leave out any information or give false information which causes child care benefits to be issued that my provider or myself are not entitled to, or more benefits than what my provider or myself are entitled to.
- 5) I understand and agree that if an overpayment is made to my provider for any reason, the extra payments received must be repaid, and future payments to my provider, can be reduced by up to 20%.
- 6) I understand that violation of program rules may result in a sanction of 6 months, 12 months, or a lifetime.
- 7) **I understand that if I choose an unlicensed provider, I am responsible for any child care charges for periods before my provider completes the Great Start to Quality Orientation.**

Parent/Substitute Parent Signature

Date

PROVIDER: I agree to all of the following:

- 1) **I understand if I am an unlicensed provider I will not be paid by DHS for any care I provide in periods before I complete the Great Start to Quality Orientation training.**
- 2) I understand I am considered self-employed, not employed by DHS, and that I receive a benefit that is issued on behalf of the parent by DHS.
- 3) I will maintain records showing the time of arrival and departure of each child served, certified by each child's parent/substitute parent on a daily basis, and I will retain these records for four years.
- 4) I may be required to return DHS payments if an audit or investigation finds that I do not have the required attendance records.
- 5) Parents of the children in care will have unlimited access to their children while in my care.
- 6) If I am overpaid for any reason, including as a result of an error made by the parent or the department, the incorrect payments received must be repaid, and the DHS may retain up to 20% of future payments and apply the retained portion to my overpayment balance until the overpayment has been repaid.
- 7) I am responsible for all use of the DHS electronic billing systems by anyone using my PIN.
- 8) I will immediately contact the DHS Central Reconciliation Unit at 1-866-990-3227 to request a PIN reset if I believe that a person not authorized by me to act as my representative has obtained my PIN.
- 9) If authorized, I will only report child care hours for hours when a child is present and in care.
- 10) I will not report hours for the following reasons: The hours a child is in school, absences for "no shows" such as when a child simply fails to attend or leaves child care without notice, vacation periods of the parent/substitute parent, child, or myself, "holding a spot" for a child.
- 11) I understand that I may be prosecuted for perjury or fraud if I intentionally leave out any information or give false information which causes child care benefits to be issued that the parent/substitute parent or myself are not entitled to, or are greater than what the parent/substitute parent or myself are entitled to.
- 12) I understand that violation of program rules may result in a sanction of 6 months, 12 months, or a lifetime.

Provider Signature

Date