DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

CHILDREN'S DIVISION

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JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI

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MEMORANDUM

What's Inside:

Revisions to
Authorizing Designee,
Payment Designee,
Authorizing Worker
Duties Relating to Child
Care, and Case Record
Destruction

TO: ALL REGIONAL AND COUNTY CD AND FSD STAFF

FROM: CANDACE A. SHIVELY, DIRECTOR

CHILDREN'S DIVISION

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SUBJECT: REVISIONS OF THE CHILD CARE MANUAL POLICY RELATED

TO APPROPRIATE PROCEDURE FOR CHILD CARE

APPROVAL PROCESS AND CASE RECORD DESTRUCTION

DISCUSSION:

The purpose of this memorandum is to inform staff of revisions to the child care manual sections on <u>Authorizing Designee</u>, <u>Payment Designee</u>, <u>Authorizing Worker Duties</u>
<u>Relating to Child Care</u>, and <u>Case Record Destruction</u>. Primarily, language changes have been made to ensure policy is clearer for staff.

Children's Division and Family Support Division staff is instructed to refer to these sections when necessary to answer questions regarding appropriate procedures for child care approval processes and case record destruction.

NECESSARY ACTION

- 1. Review this memorandum with all Children's Division and Family Support Division staff.
- 2. Review revised Child Care Manual chapters as indicated below.
- 3. All questions should be cleared through normal supervisory channels and directed to:

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CHILD CARE MANUAL REVISIONS

<u>1235.000.00 - 1235.015.00</u> Authorizing Designee, Payment Designee, and Authorizing Worker Duties Relating to Child Care 1240.000.00 Record Destruction

FORMS AND INSTRUCTIONS

N/A

REFERENCE DOCUMENTS AND RESOURCES

N/A

RELATED STATUTE

N/A

ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

N/A

COUNCIL ON ACCREDITATION (COA) STANDARDS

N/A

CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES REVIEW (CFSR)

N/A

PROTECTIVE FACTORS

Parental Resilience-Yes Social Connections-No

Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development-No

Concrete Support in Times of Need-Yes

Social and Emotional Competence of Children-No

FACES REQUIREMENTS

N/A