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CHILD CARE SUBSIDY PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS

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RE: CHILD CARE SUBSIDY INFORMAL PROVIDER HOLIDAY PAYMENTS

PROGRAM AFFECTED: CHILD CARE SUBSIDY

ORIGINATING OFFICE: OFFICE OF CHILD CARE SUBSIDY, MARYLAND STATE

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Informal child care providers are not automatically paid for the six holidays to which formal child care providers are entitled. The holidays are: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. However, if an informal child care provider provides care for a child on a holiday and can document that care was provided, payment can be made for that day. Documentation includes, but is not limited to, verification from the customer that he or she participated in their activity on the holiday.

Direct policy or procedures inquiries to Myra White-Gray, Assistant Bureau Chief for Child Care Subsidy, at 410-767-7863 or myra.white-gray@msde.state.md.us. Direct system inquiries to the MSDE/CCATS Help Desk at 410-767-7816 or MSDECCATS@msde.state.md.us.

cc: Office of Child Care Subsidy Staff

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