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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Child Care Providers  
**FROM:** Office of Child and Family Services  
**DATE:** April 2, 2020  
**TIME:** 12:30 PM  
**SUBJECT:** Supplemental Guidance from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention on Child Care

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**\*SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS OCFS RESPONDS TO RAPIDLY CHANGING ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS\***

The Office of Child and Family Services (OCFS) received updated guidance, specifically for child care providers, from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Written in collaboration with the Offices of Child Care and Head Start for a variety of child care settings, expanded guidance includes information regarding:

- Social distancing;
- Child pick up and drop off procedures;
- Cleaning and disinfecting of toys and bedding;
- Safely caring for infants and toddlers; and
- Food preparation and meal service

The Guidance document can be found at the following link: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html>

OCFS updates are posted on our Child and Family Services COVID-19 Response webpage: <http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ocfs/COVID-19-response.shtml>