

# CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES SUMMARY OF COVID-19 RELIEF AGREEMENT WITH CHILD CARE PROVIDERS UNITED-CA (CCPU)

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## General Provisions

### I. Economic Relief

#### ***One-Time Stipend***

- A flat one-time stipend amount of \$525 per child enrolled in a subsidized child care program will be provided to all subsidized childcare providers operating Alternative Payment Programs (Education Code section 8220 et. seq.), Migrant Child Care and Development Programs (Education Code section 8230 et. seq.), General Child Care (Education Code section 8240 et. Seq.), Family Child Care Home Education Networks (Education Code section 8245 et. seq.), Child Care and Development Services for Children with Special Needs (Education Code section 8250 et. seq.), and Child Care under the CalWORKs Program (Education Code section 8350 et. seq.). This funding is subject to the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Act (CRRSA) 2021 usage limitations and federal and state program eligibility requirements.

#### ***Non-Operational Days***

- An additional 16 paid non-operational days for voucher-based providers applicable from September 1, 2020, through June 30, 2021, to provide up to a total of 40 paid non-operational days in 2020-21. These additional authorized non-operational days will reimburse providers while they are closed for COVID-19 related reasons and will provide short-term child care to eligible children impacted by those closures. Eligible providers include those participating in alternative payment programs pursuant to Alternative Payment Programs (Education Code section 8220 et. seq.), Migrant Alternative Payment Programs (Education Code section 8230 et. seq.), Family Child Care Home Education Networks (Education Code section 8245 et. seq.), , and Child Care under the CalWORKs Program (Education Code section 8350 et. seq.). These additional non-operational days will be funded with unused funds allocated for non-operational days in SB 820. This funding is subject to the CARES Act usage limitations and federal and state program eligibility requirements.

### II. Miscellaneous

#### ***COVID Relief Workgroup***

- The state and the Union shall establish a workgroup to discuss the budget year uses for the remaining CRRSA funding (not already obligated) to address COVID-19 pandemic needs and network preservation. The purpose of establishing this workgroup is to expedite an agreement between the

parties regarding COVID-19 support for Family Childcare Providers to be presented with the Governor's 2021 May Revision.

### ***Dispute Resolution***

- Establishes a dispute resolution specific to this agreement.

### **III. Expiration**

- This agreement shall expire June 30, 2022 unless both parties agree in writing that it shall expire sooner.

### **IV. Fiscal**

- Fiscal Year 2020-21: \$144 million Federal Funds
- Total 1-Year Incremental Cost: \$144 million Federal Funds
- Total 1-Year Budgetary Cost: \$144 million Federal Funds

### **V. Agreement**

- The complete Tentative Agreement between the state and CCPU is posted at: <https://www.calhr.ca.gov/Pages/childcare-providers-labor-relations.aspx>.