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DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT INFORMATIONAL TRANSMITTAL
DATE: OCTOBER 25, 2023
SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF COPAYMENT WAIVERS
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The purpose of this Informational Transmittal is to inform the Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies that the New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Family Development (DFD) is extending its waiver of all copayments for families in the Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP) through June 2024.

The Fiscal Year 2024 State Budget (P.L.2023, c.74) provides funding for continued CCAP copayment waivers through June 30, 2024. Accordingly, DFD will continue to pay the total reimbursement rate to providers, including the families' copayment portion, through June 30, 2024.

Providers must continue to not collect copayments from families through June 30, 2024. However, families who select child care providers that charge more than the maximum reimbursement rate will still be responsible for paying that difference.

Please bring this information to the attention of appropriate staff at your agency. If you need additional guidance, please contact your Child Care Supervisor assigned to your county.

Sincerely,

Natasha Johnson

Natasha Johnson
Assistant Commissioner