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Overview

This bill modifies child care assistance program maximum rates for providers who are located within the boundaries of a city located in two or more counties.

DHS establishes maximum child care reimbursement rates, within statutory limitations, for each county or county price cluster based on a survey of child care providers. The cost of child care varies throughout the state. It also varies by the age of the child and the type of child care provider—family- or center-based.

Section

- 1 Subsidy restrictions.** Amends § 119B.13, subd. 1. Modifies child care assistance program maximum rates by setting the maximum rate for child care providers who are located within the boundaries of a city located in two or more counties at the maximum rate paid in the county with the highest maximum reimbursement rates or the provider's charge, whichever is less.