

Subject Family child care orientation

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Overview

Under Minnesota Rules, part 9543.0040, a county licensing agency may require prospective family child care providers to attend an informational meeting prior to licensure. This bill requires the commissioner of human services to develop a standard orientation presentation to be used at county informational meetings.

Summary

Section	Description
1	<p>Orientation for family child care providers. Amends § 245A.16 by adding subd. 9. Paragraph (a) requires the commissioner to consult with family child care license holders to develop a standard orientation presentation for county licensing family child care informational meetings. Specifies that the presentation must include an overview of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the process for initial licensure;• background study requirements;• licensing requirements;• training requirements;• the variance process; and• other appropriate topics. <p>Paragraph (b) requires counties that require information meetings to use the orientation presentation and provide county-specific information.</p> <p>Paragraph (c) allows a family child care provider who relocates within Minnesota to a different county to only attend the county-specific portion of the information meeting, if required, under specified circumstances.</p> <p>Makes this section effective July 1, 2020.</p>
2	<p>Appropriation. Appropriates money in fiscal year 2020 to the commissioner for professional video services to develop the orientation presentation.</p>



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