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Good Afternoon,

Below please find comments and questions regarding the proposed changes to current child care regulations.

Regarding § 3270.27. Emergency plan. (5) **"Accommodations for infants, toddlers, children with disabilities, and children with chronic medical conditions."**

"Accommodations" is not specific enough. I went reviewed CCDBG (42 U.S.C.A. § 9858c(c)(2)(I)(i)(VII) and (U)). The CCDBG also states "accommodations". What does this mean? Does it refer to provision for the safe transportation of infants, toddlers, and children with chronic medical conditions? Does it refer to making sure that if we evacuate infants, toddlers, and children with chronic medical conditions that we also take food/formula/diapers/wipes/ and/or necessary medications?

Regarding § 3270.131. Health information., (a) The operator shall require the parent of an enrolled child, including a child, a foster child and a relative of an operator or a facility person, to provide an initial health report no later than [60] 30 days following the first day of attendance at the facility.

We work very hard to obtain initial health reports within 60 days from newly enrolling families. Currently, we ask for the initial health report at the time of enrollment, ask families again at 30 days after enrollment, ask families again at 45 days after enrollment, and then ask them at at each drop off and pick up for the last week leading up to the 60 days after enrollment mark. Very few have a health report returned to our office within 30 days. I believe it would be a hardship for our families to be excluded from care after 30 days if they fail to obtain an initial health report within 30 days.

Sincerely,

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