

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO CHILD WELFARE MASTER CONTRACT(S)

(FY2016 Appropriation Bill - Public Act 84 of 2015)

Not Less than 30 Days before the change takes effect

Section 240: *The department shall notify the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on the department budget, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the house and senate policy offices of any changes to a child welfare master contract template, including the adoption master contract template, the independent living plus master contract template, the placing agency foster care master contract template, and the residential foster care juvenile justice master contract template, not less than 30 days before the change takes effect.*



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The amended Adoption (A), Independent Living Plus (ILP), Placing Agency Foster Care (PAFC), Residential Foster Care Abuse-Neglect (RFCAN), Residential Foster Care Juvenile Justice (RFCJJ), Residential Foster Care Short Term Assessment (RFCST) and Treatment Foster Care (TFC) master contracts, and revised General Provisions (now referred to as Standard Terms) have been posted to the MDHHS public website in the Master Contract Templates section at: http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_7199---,00.html.

Changes were made to these master contracts as a result of the new court plan related to Dwayne B. v. Snyder, et al., 2:06-cv-13548. References to the Modified Settlement Agreement (MSA) were removed and the Implementation, Sustainability, and Exit Plan (ISEP) added.

Changes were made to Child Placing Agency agreements (A, ILP, PAFC, and TFC) and the Standard Terms to reflect language revisions in regards to Public Act 53 of 2015.

Concurrently, templates were revised to update the contract formats, and Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) organizational name changes resulting from the merger of Michigan Department of Human Services (MDHS) and Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH). Minor adjustments were made to program language. Financial audit requirements and cost reporting language sections were modified.