Purpose of Proposed Changes

- OAC Chapter 3301-37 (PS) and OAC Chapter 3301-32 (SACC)
- Child Care and Development Block Grant Act (CCDBG)
- Department PS Rules must meet or exceed JFS Law
- Department SACC Rules must meet or exceed JFS Rules
- Administrative Rule changes every five years
Rules – A New Look

- The PS and SAAC Rules will have a new look
- The areas in rule that are also in law will be removed
- We will develop a guidance document to aid in the understanding of the new look
Proposed Changes

• New Health and Safety Requirements

• New staff in-service Requirements
Health and Safety Requirements

• Provide families with information about Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) or Healthchek.

• Provide families with information regarding the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Part C Assessments and Screenings (for programs serving infants and toddlers).
Health and Safety Continued

- Handling and storage of hazardous materials and disposal of bio contaminants
- Prevention of shaken baby syndrome and abusive head trauma
- Prevention of SIDS and safe sleep practices
- Prevention/response to emergencies due to food and allergic reactions
Staff Requirements

- At least one staff member with CPR certification must be onsite at all times.

- All staff members counted in ratio must have a “Pre-Service Orientation” within 30 days of starting employment.
Staff Orientation Training

The training has been organized into eight modules:

**Module One:**
Active Supervision of Children

**Module Two:**
Emergencies and Evacuations

**Module Three:**
Classroom Routines and Responsibilities

**Module Four:**
Child Abuse Reporting & Child Management Techniques

**Module Five:**
Medication Policies

**Module Six:**
Communicable Disease Policies

**Module Seven:**
Field/Routine Trip Safety

**Module Eight:**
Parent Information & Licensing Rules and Laws
Miscellaneous Program Changes

- Prohibits the use of screen time during meal/snack
- Requires programs to provide mothers with a place to breastfeed
New Definitions

• **Eligible Community School** – means any community school that meets the criteria of being highly rated

• **Publically Funded** – means any funding received from the Department and/or JFS to operate a preschool program
Feedback on Proposed Changes

- A group of stakeholders will be identified and provided with the opportunity to provide feedback on the proposed changes
- The draft rules will be posted for public comment
- State Board Adoption
Licensing Resources

Visit education.ohio.edu for additional information and licensing resources.

The Preschool and SACC Rules are available
http://education.ohio.gov/PreschoolLicensing
http://education.ohio.gov/SACCLicensing

Watch for updates from
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Questions?

Thank you for all you do on behalf of Ohio’s youngest learners!

Send questions to OELSR.Licensing@education.ohio.gov