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Rule Analysis for Legislative Review

Proposed Rules Relating to Child Care Copayments
DWD 56.08
CR 08-020

Basis and Purpose of the Proposed Rules

The federal Department of Health and Human Services required that Wisconsin have the same copayment amount for parents who receive child care services from a certified provider and parents who receive child care services from a licensed provider by April 1, 2008. The Department increased the copayments for certified care to the same level as licensed care by emergency rule effective March 30, 2008. This is the corresponding proposed permanent rule.

Public Hearing Summary

A public hearing was held on April 11, 2008. A summary of the hearing comments and the Department's responses is attached.

Response to Legislative Council Staff Recommendations

There were no Legislative Council comments.

Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

The proposed rule affects small businesses but does not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small businesses as defined in s. 227.114 (1), Stats.

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