

Marin County Child Care Commission
Access and Coordination Committee - Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, March 6th, 2018 – 4 to 6 pm

Marin County Office of Education – 1111 Gallinas Ave. San Rafael. **Board Room (w/ remote access option)**

Committee members: Commissioners Andrade-Wolf (Chair), Lau, Fierro, Romo, Sanchez, Uryu

For remote participation

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Dial-in number: (712) 770-4010 | Access code: 917821

1. Check in / Agenda Review/ Quick Business (15)

1.1. [Review of August 2017 Committee meeting minutes](#)

Document attached: Draft Minutes

1.2. Election of Committee Chair for 2018 (Action Item)

2. Hot Topics (60)

2.1. Committee's 2017-2018 Strategic Workplan – Access & Coordination (Action Item)

Action: Review, complete, and approve plan

Document attached: Draft workplan

2.2. 2018 Local Priority Report

- Review of 2017 Report & Data Collection

Documents attached: Zip Code Priorities for Infant-Toddler, CSPP, and School-Age

- Plans for 2018

2.3. Our 2018 Countywide Needs Assessment

- Working with [Mission Analytics](#)

- CDE Requirement

Document attached: Needs Assessment Form

3. Updates (30)

3.1. Marin County Subsidy Pilot Plan

3.2. Legislation and studies related to Quality & Workforce

- Review of Legislation Matrix (attached) and recommendation of up to three bills for Commission to follow (ACTION)

Document attached: Needs Assessment Form

3.3. Local Issues

- Marin Learning Center

- Out-of-School-Time (OST) Programs – Needs Assessment

3.4. Federal & State Legislation

4. Child Care for Working Families Act

5. Other Updates/Current Issues/Announcements (15)



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MARIN CHILD CARE COMMISSION – ACCESS & COORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

A regular meeting of the Marin County Child Care Commission Quality & Workforce Committee was held on **Tuesday, August 22, 2017 – from 4 to 6 pm** at the Marin County Office of Education – 1111 Las Gallinas Ave. San Rafael.

- Call to order** Meeting was called to order at 4:25 pm
Roll Call. Members present at roll call: *Ana Andrade-Wolf, Jason Lau, and Arleen Uryu*
Staff present: *Ericka Omena Erickson, Coordinator*
Number of commissioners needed to reach a quorum: 5. Quorum was not reached. All votes on action items will be considered recommendations for the full committee at the next meeting.
- 1. Check In/ Agenda Review/ Last Meeting Notes** *M/s/c Andrade-Wolf/Lau, the matter passed 2-0 to approve the minutes from the last committee meeting held in May 2017. Commissioner Uryu abstained as she was not present at the meeting.*
- 2. Hot Topic: Our 2017-2018 Strategic Workplan – Access & Coordination** Committee members reviewed the activities implemented in 2016-2017 and discussed the potential strategies for 2017-2018. Notes from the planning session were incorporated in the 2017-2018 Strategic Workplan attached.
- 3. Updates** Coordinator Ericka O. Erickson shared updates related to the following *legislation and studies on Access & Coordination*. Other timely information in the Coordinator Updates.
- *Marin Learning Center – Issue: Potential change of facilities with the sale of the building. Executive Committee will consider submitting letter to the Board of Supervisors on the issue of continuity of care.*
 - [AB 435 \(Thurmond\)](#) – Child Care Subsidy Plans – *Last letter of support submitted on Aug. 17th. Bill is now in the Senate Appropriations Committee.*
 - [AB 273 \(Aguiar-Curry\)](#) – Child Care Services: Eligibility – *Additional letter of support to be submitted this week. Bill is now in the Senate Appropriations Committee.*
 - [AB 60 \(Santiago and Gonzalez\)](#) – Subsidized Child Care and Development Services: Eligibility Periods – *Bill was incorporated as part of the 2017-2018 State Budget as a trailer bill and approved.*
 - [Promoting Affordable Childcare for Everyone Act \(PACE Act\)](#) – *Updates from Congressman Jared Huffman’s office will be shared at the upcoming Commission’s General Meeting*
- 4. Other Updates/Current Issues/Announcements** None

Adjourn - M/s/c Uryu/Andrade-Wolf; the matter passed 3-0 to adjourn the meeting at 6 om

These minutes were reviewed and approved by the Committee at the Commission’s General Meeting held on Tuesday, September 5th, 2017.

STRATEGIC WORKPLAN 2014 – 2019

Part 4: 2017 – 2018

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Access & Coordination DRAFT Workplan (CREATED ON 08/22/17)



Strategic Goal #1: MC4 will advocate for access to high quality child care for all families living in Marin County

ACCESS & COORDINATION COMMITTEE

Objective #1: Key stakeholders will have increased knowledge of early care and education and out of school time needs in Marin County

Expected Outcomes (In order of priority):

Outcome 1. Board of Supervisors will seek out the Commission as a key informant on community issues

Measure 1 - As community issues impacting families are discussed, the Commission is sought out for guidance and/or position

Outcome 2- Stakeholders will utilize the information provided by the Commission in their own strategic decision-making

Measure 2 - As funds become available for expansion, Commission recommendations impact allocation decisions

Outcome 3- The Commission will be viewed as a leader in the community on issues related to access and quality

Measure 3 - Increase in new partnerships, increase in the number of meetings the Commission is asked to participate in

Strategies (In order of priority)	Resources Needed	Person(s) Responsible	Due Date	Date Completed	Outcomes/Notes
<p>1. Engage in ongoing information/data collection/analysis/dissemination on issues of access and quality.</p> <p>1.1. Seek out quantitative and qualitative data elements, especially the annual zip code priorities, numbers of children with special needs, feedback from providers and from partner organizations on issues identified in our Master Plan (e.g. curriculum, assessment, facilities, professional development, parent/family needs, concerns and engagement, challenges accessing care, minimum wage, Transition Kindergarten -TK).</p>	<p>- Budget for data collection (time, subscriptions, technology needs) and analysis</p>	<p>Coordinator, Access and Coordination Committee Members</p>	<p>Zip codes: April 2018</p> <p>Continuou s as needed and <i>in response to legislative priorities</i></p>	<p>May 2018</p>	
<p>2. Enhance communication and collaboration among ECE stakeholders.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve our website (include video/audio/infographics) and launch a quarterly 	<p>- Web tools (e.g. Wordpress, Constant Contact, Mail Chimp)</p>	<p>Coordinator, Access and Coordination</p>			

<p>e-newsletter (Include as staple elements topics such as the Marin Strong Start)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support planning and coordination of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Week of the Young Child (April 16th to 20th) (e.g. Engage elected officials in Job Shadow Site Visits) National Month of Work and Family (October) (e.g. Interviews with political candidates, Op. Ed pieces) 	<p>- Staff and Commissioners' time</p>	<p>Committee Members</p>			
<p>3. Develop and publicize recommendations/position statements to address <u>emerging policy priorities</u> for the County. (e.g. transit hubs, and housing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support Marin Strong Start Support/spread the word about Worthy Wages Campaign Continue to monitor housing-related public decisions (local and state) to ensure consideration of early education in the discussions. 	<p>- Email distribution list of key stakeholders</p> <p>-Staff and Commissioners' time</p>	<p>Coordinator, Access and Coordination Committee Members</p>			

Zip Code Priorities for CA State Preschool (CSPP) Full and Part-Day

County: Marin

LPC Contact: Ericka Erickson

Phone: 415-499-5827

Email: eerickson@marinschools.org

County Code	Zip Code	Priority (1,2 or 3)
21	94903	1
21	94941	2
21	94947	2

Zip Code Priorities for Infant Toddler Full-Day Care (CCTR)

County: Marin

LPC Contact: Ericka Erickson

Phone: 415-499-5827

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County Code	Zip Code	Priority (1,2 or 3)
21	94903	1
21	94947	1
21	94941	2
21	94901	2
21	94945	2
21	94949	2
21	94960	2

Zip Code Priorities for School-Age Care (CCTR)

County: Marin

LPC Contact: Ericka Erickson

Phone: 415-499-5827

Email: eerickson@marinschools.org

County Code	Zip Code	Priority (1,2 or 3)
21	94901	1
21	94941	1
21	94903	1
21	94947	1
21	94960	1
21	94945	1
21	94920	1
21	94939	1
21	94904	1
21	94925	1
21	94965	2
21	94949	2
21	94930	2
21	94933	2

LOCAL CHILD CARE PLANNING COUNCIL (LPC) COUNTY NEEDS ASSESSMENT TEMPLATE (revised Nov 2014)

County:	County Code:	Date Submitted:
Contact:	Phone:	Email:

DEMOGRAPHICS

Section 1: Number of Children in the County by Age Cohorts			Section 2: Percent of Children K-12 by Race/Ethnicity		Section 3: Child Population (grades K-12) by Threshold Languages		
Ages	1a. Number	Age Totals	Ethnicity	%	Language	3a. Number	3b. %
<1		1.b 0-2 yr old	Hispanic or Latino		Spanish		
1			American Indian/Alaskan Native		Vietnamese		
2		1.c 3 & 4 yr old	Asian American		Cantonese		
3			Pacific Islander		Hmong		
4			African American		Filipino		
5		1.d 5-12 yr old	White, Not Hispanic		Korean		
6-12			Multiracial/ethnic		Mandarin		
Total:			Not reported		Other		
					Other		
					Other		

Section 1 Source: Census; American Community Survey from American Institutes of Research Databrowser

Section 2 Source: CA Dept of Ed; Dataquest

Section 3 Source: CA Dept of Ed; Dataquest

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SPECIAL NEEDS				
Section 4: Number of Children Who Have an Individuallized Family Services Plan (IFSP) or an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) by Age Group			Section 5: Number of Children Served in child Protective Services	
Age Group	4a. with IFSP	4b. with IEP	5a. In the CPS Sytem by Age Group	5b. Referred for Child Care by Age Group
0-2				
3 & 4				
5-12				

Section 4 Sources: local Regional Centers, COEs and SELPAs

Section 5 Sources: County Child Welfare Department

INCOME				
Section 6: Number of Children in Families Receiving CalWORKS by Age and Stage				
Age Group	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	
0-2				
3 & 4				
5-12				
Section 7: Estimated Number of Children by Income Category, by Age				
Age Group	7.a At or Below Federal Poverty (Eligible for Head Start)	7.b At or below 70% State median income (Eligible for State Subsidy)	Above 70% SMI	
0-2				
3 & 4				
5-12				
Section 8: Number of Children in Migrant Families (60% or more of income is from migrant Work)				
Children in Migrant Families 0-12				

Section 6 Source: CDE 801A Enrollment Data on AIR Databrowser

Section 7 Source: Census and AIR Databrowser

Section 8 Source: County Office of Education or CDE

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DEMAND FOR CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES			
Demand Populations	Ages 0-2	Ages 3 and 4 yr olds	Ages 5-12 yr olds
Section 9: Number of Children in families with working parents who are at or below 70% SMI			
Section 10: Number of children with all parents in the workforce (all income levels)			
Section 11: Number of 3 & 4 yr olds with at least 1 non-working parent (all income levels)			
Section 12: Number of 3 & 4 yr olds with at least 1 non-working parent in family at or below 70% SMI			

Section 9-12 Source: Census / American Community Survey analysis by AIR Databrowser

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CAPACITY

Section 13: Licensed Capacity for Age Groups

Spaces	13a. Infants (0-2)	13.b Preschool (3 & 4)	13.c School-Age (5-12)
Licensed Centers			
Licensed Family Child Care Homes*			
License-Exempt Centers**			

* Spaces by age for FCCHs may be an estimate rather than actual

** Number of spaces in License -exempt are self-reported or estimated

Section 13 Sources: CA Community Care Licensing, Resource & Referral Agencies

COST OF CARE: COUNTY REGIONAL MARKET RATES ALLOWED FOR STATE SUBSIDY

Section 14: Weekly Regional Market Rates by Age and Type of Care

Center Regional Market Rates	Center Full-time Maximum	Center Full-Time Average	Center Part-Time Maximum	Center Part -Time Average
Infant/Toddlers				
Preschool				
School-Age				
Family Child Care Home Regional Market Rates	FCCH Full-time Maximum	FCCH Full-Time Average	FCCH Part-Time Maximum	FCCH Part -Time Average
Infant/Toddlers				
Preschool				
School-Age				

Section 14 Source: CA Dept of Education

CHILDREN ENROLLED IN STATE AND FEDERAL CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT SUBSIDY PROGRAMS

Section 15: Children served in Subsidized Child Care and Development Subsidy Programs (point in time)

Funding /Program Type	Infant Toddlers (0-2)	Preschool (3 & 4 yr olds)	School-Age (5-12)
Full-Day Center (CCTR)			
CA State Preschool (CSPP) Full-day			
CA State Preschool (CSPP) Part-day			
FCCH Networks			
Migrant			
Handicap Program			
Alternative Payment (voucher)			
CalWORKS Stage 1			
CalWORKS Stage 2			
CalWORKS Stage 3			
Head Start			
Early Head Start			
Other			

Section 15 Sources: CA Dept of Education on AIR Databrowser and, for Stage 1, County Social Service Agency

UNMET NEED

Section 16: County Unmet Need By Type of Care and Age Group

Type of care needed	Infant Toddler (0-2)		Preschool (3 & 4)		School-Age 5-12	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
16a. Full-time care for working parents						
16b. Full-time care for working families eligible for State subsidy						
16c. Part time Preschool for enrichment / school readiness (all incomes)						

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16d. Part time Preschool for enrichment/ school readiness and eligible for state subsidy						
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LEGISLATION BEING CONSIDERED BY THE CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE – SECOND LEGISLATIVE SESSION OF 2017-18

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
California Assembly Bills								
	AB 11 (McCarty & Bonta)	Would require, consistent with federal law, that screening services under the Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) program include <i>developmental</i> screening services for individuals zero to 3 years of age, inclusive, in compliance with the periodicity schedule and the standardized and validated screening <i>tools</i> that are established by the Bright Futures/American Academy of Pediatrics Recommendations for Preventive Pediatric Health Care and by any future updates to those recommendations. The bill would also make legislative findings and declarations relating to child development.	Children Now, First 5 CA Association	Bryan C. Singh 916.319.2007		AAP-CA, CDF-CA, Common Sense kids Action, Family Connections, Family Voices of CA, First 5 LA and several other First 5s (Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Kern, Kings, Lake, Marin, Merced, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Placer, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Tehama, Ventura) , Help Me Grow Orange County and Ventura County, LA Trust for Children's Health, MCAH Action, The Children's Partnership, WCLP, and more	California Right to Life Committee	Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 1/3/18 Amended: 1/10/18 In Senate Committee on Rules
	AB 605 (Mullin)	<i>Would require the CDSS to adopt regulations on or before 1/1/9, to develop and implement a birth to entering first grade license option for day care centers. Lists proposed regulations to address age appropriate transitions from one age group to another, continuity of care, and more.</i>		Miriam Farouk 916.319.2022 Miriam.farouk@asm.ca.gov		Advancement Project, CAPP, CAEYC, CCDAA, CA Head Start Association, Child Care Resource Center, Children NOW, LACOE, PACE, and more		Introduced: 2/14/17 Amended: 3/23/17 In Senate Committee on Rules

¹ Levels of interest are assigned by the Joint Committee on Legislation based on consistency with the Public Policy Platform accepted by the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care and Development and consistent with County Legislative Policy for the current year. Levels of interest do **not** indicate a pursuit of position in either direction. The Joint Committee will continue to monitor all listed bills as proceed through the legislative process. Levels of interest may change based on future amendments.

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
Watch	AB 676 (Limón)	<i>Would require the Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation to establish and maintain an Early Educators' Occupational Safety and Health Training Program relating to occupational health and safety risks specific to early education professionals that includes specified components, including a discussion of the risks of chemical and biological hazards, infectious diseases, and physical hazards and stress, and how to identify and minimize those risks and more. Would require an early educator to attend that training within 6 years of it first being offered, or within 3 months of the person becoming an early educator, whichever occurs later. Would also establish the Early Educators' Safety and Health Education Fund and specify that moneys in the fund may be expended, upon appropriation by the Legislature, by the commission to establish and maintain the training. Would become operative on 7/1/18.</i>	UDW/AFSCME Local 3930	Bryn Sullivan 916.319.2037 Bryn.Sullivan@asm.ca.gov		AFSCME, CA Labor Federation, CA State PTA, Courage Campaign, Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee, SEIU, United Domestic Workers of America- AFSCME Local 3930/AFL-CIO, Voices for Progress Education Fund	A Creative Beginning, Anaheim Family YMCA, Baby World Child Care Ctr, Burbank Community YMCA, CA State Alliance of YMCA's, CCDAA, Camp Pendleton Armed Services YMCA, La Cañada Flintridge Community Center, Santa Monica Family YMCA, YMCA of Greater Long Beach, YMCA of Metropolitan LA, and more	Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 3/27/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/29/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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2	AB 992 (Arambula)	<p>Would establish the CalWORKs Baby Wellness and Family Support Home Visitation Program and require that the CA Department of Social Services <i>allocate</i> funds to counties for the purpose of implementing or contracting with home visitation programs to provide voluntary home visiting programs.</p> <p><i>Parent/caregiver to be advised in writing to opt in to home visiting program and that it is not a condition of CalWORKs eligibility.</i></p>	Black Women for Wellness, Children's Defense Fund, Children Now, Western Center on Law and Poverty	<p>Marla Cowan</p> <p>Marla.Cowan@asm.ca.gov</p>		<p>Advokids, AAP-CA, CAPP, CWDA, Courage Campaign, Nurse Family Partnership, Parents as Teachers, United Ways of CA, Women's Foundation of CA</p>		<p>Introduced: 2/16/17 Amended: 3/28/17 Amended: 5/26/17</p> <p>In Senate Committee on Human Services</p>
Two-year bill	AB 1250 (Jones-Sawyer)	<p>Would establish specific standards for the use of personal services contracts by counties. Would allow a county or county agency to contract for personal services currently or customarily performed by employees when specified conditions are met. Among other things, the bill would require the county to clearly demonstrate that the proposed contract will result in actual overall costs savings to the county and also to show that the contract does not cause the displacement of county workers.</p>	AFSCME, AFL-CIO; CA State Council of the Service Employees International Union		Oppose	<p>Association for LA Deputy Sheriffs; CA Association of Professional Employees; CA Compost Coalition; CA Labor Federation; CA Professional Firefighters; CA School Employees Association; CTA; CA Teamster Public Affairs Council; LA County Probation Officers Union; The LACounty Professional Peace Officers Association; The Organization of SMUD Employees; UNITE; Utility Workers Union of America, and many more</p>	<p>Advent Group Ministries; Alameda County Community Food Bank; Alameda County Industries; Alliance Supporting Persons with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities; Alternative Family Services, Amador Valley Industries; American Staffing Association; Aspirinet; Associated Builders and Contractors Inc., Association of Community Human Service Agencies; Aviva Family and Children's Services; CAPP, CCALA, and many more</p>	<p>Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/4/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 4/25/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/21/17 Amended: 9/25/17</p> <p>In Senate Committee on Rules</p>

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	AB 1694 (Stone)	Existing law requires foster care providers to be paid a per child per month rate, established by the CDSS, for the care and supervision of the child placed with the provider. Existing law prohibits foster care payments from being considered income of the foster parent or child for purposes of determining eligibility and benefits for specified state or federal programs unless required by federal law as a condition of the receipt of federal financial participation. This bill would repeal the above-describe prohibition on foster care payments from being considered as income.						Introduced: 6/5/17 Amended: 1/12/18 In Senate Committee on Appropriations
	AB 1744 (McCarty)	Would amend existing law pertaining to the After School Education and Safety and the 21st Century Community Learning Centers and the 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens programs to include within the education enrichment element pupil assistance to prevent and reduce substance use and improve school retention and performance.						Introduced: 1/3/18
1	AB 1754 (McCarty, Friedman, Eduardo Garcia, and Bonta)	Pre-K for All Act of 2018 would require the state to provide all 4-year-old children of low-income working families with access to early care and education programs.						Introduced: 1/3/18 Committee on Education

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	AB 1767 (Cervantes)	Would establish the California Kickstart My Future Loan Forgiveness Program to provide student loan forgiveness awards for the purpose of alleviating the burden of federal student loan debt for recent graduates meeting specified requirements.						Introduced: 1/4/18 Committee on Higher Education Hearing: 3/13/18
Watch	AB 1883 (Weber)	Would require, for purposes of determining eligibility for child care and development services, that the income of a person who is on state or federal active duty, active duty for special work, or Active Guard and Reserve duty in the military not include the amount of the basic allowance for housing provided to that person if the allowance is equal to the lowest rate of the allowance for the military housing area in which the person resides. In addition, would require an alternative payment program to have no less than 12 months, instead of 36 months, to expend funds allocated to that program in any fiscal year, and require the CDE to contract with alternative payment programs, instead of local contracting agencies, for services provided throughout the state.	CAPPA, WCLP					Introduced: 1/17/18 Committee on Human Services Hearing: 3/6/18
	AB 1914 (Flora)	Would further specify persons prohibited working or otherwise being present at a community care facility, including, among other crimes, the willful and unlawful use of personal identifying information.						Introduced: 1/23/18 Committee on Human Services Hearing: 3/6/18

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
Watch	AB 2001 (Reyes)	Would amend existing law pertaining to Family Child Care Home Education Networks (FCCHENs). Would require assessment tools used to ensure that services are of high quality and are educationally and developmentally appropriate be appropriate to family child care home settings and that developmental profiles include observations by providers. Would also require providers requiring those providers to adopt and use a curriculum and to provide age- and developmentally-appropriate educational activities for children.	CCCRRN	Melissa Cosio 916.319.2047 Melissa.Cosio@asm.ca.gov				Introduced: 2/1/18 Committee on Human Services Hearing: 3/6/18
	AB 2023 (Caballero)	Would amend existing Personal Income Tax Law that authorizes a credit for household and dependent care expenses necessary for gainful employment. This bill would allow a payment to the taxpayer in excess of that credit amount for a taxpayer with an allowable credit in excess of tax liability as of 1/1/2019.		Enedina Garcia 916.319.2030 enedina.garcia@asm.ca.gov		CCCRRN, CDF-CA		Introduced: 2/5/18 Committee on Revenue and Taxation Hearing: 3/12/18
Spot Bill	AB 2168 (Thurmond)	Would make non-substantive changes to existing law requiring that all identification, evaluation, and assessment procedures for individuals with exceptional needs who are younger than 3 years of age be provided pursuant to the California Early Intervention Services Act and other specified law.						Introduced: 2/12/18

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Spot Bill	AB 2210 (McCarty)	Would make non-substantive changes to existing law requiring the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to administer general child care and development programs with funds appropriated for these purposes,						Introduced: 2/12/18
1	AB 2292 (Aguiar-Curry)	Would increase the adjustment factor for infants who are 0 to 18 months of age from 1.7 to 2.1, and toddlers who are 18 to 36 months of age from 1.4 to 1.7, and are served in a child day care center, and for infants and toddlers who are 0 to 36 months of age and are served in a family child care home from 1.4 to 1.7. In addition, would establish in the CDE the Classroom Planning and Implementation Grant Program, to be administered by the SPI to reflect additional start-up costs of opening new general child care and development centers and California state preschool program classrooms or converting existing classrooms to serve a different child age group.	CCDAA, CCRC, First 5 CA	Puja Navaney 916.319.2004 Puja.Navaney@asm.ca.gov				Introduced: 2/13/18
	AB 2326 (Rubio)	Would modify the exemption for welfare-to-work requirements under CalWORKs to a parent or other relative who has primary responsibility for personally providing care to a child 24 months of age or under, without limiting the exemption to one child or one instance. The exempt parent or caregiver may voluntarily participate in the welfare-to-work program.						Introduced: 2/13/18

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
NEW	AB 2370 (Holden)	Would require, as a condition of licensure, the inclusion of lead exposure prevention to health and safety training. In addition, would require the licensed child care facility to request documentation demonstrating that the child had received a blood lead screening test from the child's parent or guardian.						Introduced: 2/14/18
	AB 2398 (Mullin)	Would amend the law pertaining to the Child Care Facilities Revolving Fund in the State Treasury that provides funding for loans for the renovation, repair, or improvement of an existing building to make the building suitable for licensure for child care and development services, and for the purchase of new relocatable child care facilities for the lease to local educational agencies and contracting agencies that provide child care and development services by extending the repayment period to up to 20 years.						Introduced: 2/14/18
NEW	AB 2514 (Thurmond)	Would establish the Pathways to Success Incentive Grant Program with the goal of providing pupils in preschool, transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, and grades 1 to 12 with dual language immersion programs, developmental programs for English learners, or early learning dual language learners programs. Would require the CDE to award 10 incentive grants of \$300,000 each for 3 years to school districts to implement the program						Introduced: 2/14/18

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
NEW	AB 2560 (Thurmond)	Would state intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to place a fee on vendors that contract for goods and services with the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to be used for oversight of corrections contractors and fund early education in order to reduce incarceration rates.						Introduced: 2/15/18
NEW	AB 2622 (Dahle)	Would amend existing law pertaining to the After School Education and Safety (ASES) Program to allow a program that operates at a school site located in an area that has a population density of less than 11 persons per square mile to end operating hours at or before 5 p.m. rather than 6 p.m.						Introduced: 2/15/18
NEW	AB 2626 (Mullin)	Would amend Provisions contained in the Child Care and Development Services Act as follows: 1) redefine 3- and 4-year old children as those who will have their 3 rd or 4 th birthday respectively on or before December 2 of the fiscal year in which they are enrolled in a State Preschool program; 2) delete the requirement that at least ½ of the children enrolled at a preschool site by 4-year-old children; 3) extend initial eligibility for families seeking employment, experiencing homelessness or incapacitated to up to 12 months and limit the services to no more than five days per week at 6½ hours per day; and 4) require the CDE to establish timelines for interagency of contract fund transfers.						Introduced: 2/15/18

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NEW	AB 2680 (Jones-Sawyer)	Would require the Department of Justice to adopt a consent standard form for use by an employer, whether public or private, seeking the consent of an applicant for employment to conduct a conviction history background check. Would also require an employer to use the form. Would specify that a violation of its provisions would not be subject to the misdemeanor provision.						Introduced: 2/15/18
NEW	AB 2702 (McCarty)	Would require the CDSS to create a Web-based application process for submitting completed trustline applications to the department, and to make the application available to county welfare departments, local child care resource and referral agencies, and employment agencies, among others. Would allow consumers to search and locate the registration status of trustline applicants and registered trustline child care providers.						Introduced: 2/15/18
Spot Bill	AB 2960 (Thurmond)	Would make non-substantive changes to provisions requiring the SPI to ensure that eligible children with exceptional needs are given equal access to all child care and development programs and adjusting reimbursement rates used to assist agencies in developing and supporting appropriate programs for these children.						Introduced: 2/16/18
Spot Bill	AB 3007 (Garcia)	Would express the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would provide support and services to the children of incarcerated parents.						Introduced: 2/16/18

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Spot Bill	AB 3097 (Salas)	Would make technical, non-substantive changes to provisions relating to trustline registry.						Introduced: 2/16/18
Spot Bill	AB 3210 (Carrillo)	Would make non-substantive changes to the administration of funds for subsidized general child care and development programs						Introduced: 2/16/18
Spot Bill	AB 3225 (Burke)	Would make technical, non-substantive changes to provisions of the CA Children and Families Act of 1998 and would update obsolete references to the Board of Equalization.						Introduced: 2/16/18
California Senate Bills								
Watch	SB 55 (Jackson)	Would extend the DASH (Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program) <i>until 1/1/23</i> . DASH, administered by the California Department of Education (CDE), recognizes after school programs that meeting healthy eating and physical activity requirements, inclusive of staff training.		Brandon Darnell		AAP, American Heart Assoc, American Stroke Assoc, A World Fit For Kids!, CA Assoc for Health, Physical Ed, Recreation and Dance, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, , CA State PTA, LA's Best, LACOE		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/15/17 In Assembly Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
2	SB 78 (Leyva)	Would, commencing with increases to the minimum wage implemented in 2018-19 and each year thereafter, require the Department of Finance (DOF) to annually adjust the total program funding amount for each minimum wage increase using a specified calculation, provided that the adjustment for the After School Education and Safety (ASES) Program. Requires additional funding adjustments per state law. <i>Amendment reflects technical correction.</i>	California Afterschool Advocacy Alliance	Phillip Vander Klay 916.651.4020 Phillip.VanderKlay@sen.ca.gov		After-school All-Stars Los Angeles, Arc, CA Afterschool Network, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CCDAA, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, CA School-Age Consortium, CA Teaching Fellows Foundation, CalSac, EduCare Foundation, Fight Crime: Invest in Kids, LA's Best, and more	California Teachers Association	Introduced: 1/11/17 Amended: 4/4/17 Amended: 4/25/17 Amended: 5/26/17 In Assembly Committee on Education Hearing cancelled at author's request

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)
	SB 424 (Allen)	Would establish the California Regional Environmental Education Community Network under the direction and control of a 5-member governing board appointed for the purpose of facilitating the implementation of high quality environmental literacy in California public schools. <i>Would make implementation contingent upon the appropriation of funds in the annual Budget Act or another statute.</i> Limited to K-12 education.	Ten Strands			Audubon CA, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CA Black Health Network, CA Institute for Biodiversity, CA Pan-Ethnic Health Network, CALPIRG, Heal the Bay, & many more		Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 4/24/17 Amended: 5/26/17 In Assembly Committee on Education
1	SB 837 (Dodd)	As a condition of receipt of apportionments for pupils in a transitional kindergarten (TK), beginning in the 2020–21 school year, would require progressively younger 4-year-old pupils to be admitted to TK maintained by a school district or charter school, until, in the 2022–23 school year and each school year thereafter, all 4-year-old pupils are admitted.						Introduced: 1/8/18 Committee on Education
	SB 982 (Mitchell)	Expresses legislative intent to enact legislation relating to the CalWORKs grant and makes findings and declarations connecting poverty with child and family well-being.						Introduced: 2/1/18 Committee on Rules
	SB 1004 (Wiener & Moorlach)	Would amend the Mental Health Services Act by requiring counties to expend Mental Health Services Act prevention and early intervention funds on, among other things, childhood trauma prevention and early intervention defined as a program that targets children exposed to, or who are at risk of exposure to, adverse and traumatic childhood events.						Introduced: 2/6/18 Committee on Health

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/27/18)	
NEW	SB 1359 (McGuire)	Would merge CalWORKs Child Care Stages 2 and 3 and continue family eligibility for subsidized services up to 85% of State Median Income.						Introduced: 2/16/18	
	SCR 41 (Pan)	States Legislature's support for a Bill of Rights for the Children and Youth of California that resolves that all children and youth under 21 years old residing in CA to live in a just, safe and supportive society and are entitled specified rights.						Introduced: 4/18/17 Committee on Rules	
California Budget Bills (including Trailer Bills)									
	AB 1806 (Ting)	Budget Act of 2018						Introduced: 1/10/18 Corrected: 1/19/18 Committee on Budget	
	SB 839 (Mitchell)	Budget Act of 2018						Introduced: 1/10/18 Corrected: 1/19/18 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	
		Omnibus Education Trailer Bill	(See www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/2018-19GBEducationOmnibusTrailerBill.pdf ; pages 1-37 for early care and education items)						Posted: 1/30/18
		CalWORKs Home Visitation Initiative	(See www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/CalWORKsHomeVisitingInitiative.pdf)						Posted: 1/30/18

To obtain additional information about any State legislation, go to <http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billSearchClient.xhtml>. To access budget hearings on line, go to www.calchannel.com and click on appropriate link at right under "Live Webcast". Links to Trailer Bills will become available at http://www.dof.ca.gov/budgeting/trailer_bill_language/. For questions or comments regarding this document, contact Michele Sartell, staff with the Office for the Advancement of Early Care and Education, by e-mail at msartell@ceo.lacounty.gov or call (213) 974-5187.

KEY TO LEVEL OF INTEREST ON BILLS:

- 1: Of potentially high interest to the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care.
- 2: Of moderate interest.
- 3: Of relatively low interest.

Watch: Of interest, however level of interest may change based on further information regarding author's or sponsor's intent and/or future amendments.

** Levels of interest are assigned by the Joint Committee on Legislation based on consistency with Policy Platform accepted by the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care and consistent with County Legislative Policy for the current year. Levels of interest **do not** indicate a pursuit of position. Joint Committee will continue to monitor all listed bills as proceed through legislative process. Levels of interest may change based on future amendments.

KEY:

AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics	CTC	Commission on Teacher Credentialing
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union	CWDA	County Welfare Directors' Association
AFSCME:	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees	DDS	Department of Developmental Services
CAPPA	California Alternative Payment Program Association	DHS	Department of Health Services
CAEYC	California Association for the Education of Young Children	DOF	Department of Finance
CAFB	California Association of Food Banks	DMH	Department of Mental Health
CCCCA	California Child Care Coordinators Association	First 5 CA	First 5 Commission of California
CCRNR	California Child Care Resource and Referral Network	HHS	Health and Human Services Agency
CCDAA	California Child Development Administrators Association	LCC	League of California Cities
CDA	California Dental Association	LAC CPSS	Los Angeles County Commission for Public Social Services
CDE	California Department of Education	LACOE	Los Angeles County Office of Education
CDSS	California Department of Social Services	LAUSD	Los Angeles Unified School District
CFT	California Federation of Teachers	MALDEF	Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund
CFPA	California Food Policy Advocates	NASW	National Association of Social Workers
CHAC	California Hunger Action Coalition	NCYL	National Center for Youth Law
CIWC	California Immigrant Welfare Collaborative	PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
CSAC	California School-Age Consortium	SEIU	Service Employees International Union
CSAC	California State Association of Counties	SPI	Superintendent of Public Instruction
CTA	California Teachers Association	TCI	The Children's Initiative
CCALA	Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles	US DHHS	US Department of Health and Human Services
CCLC	Child Care Law Center	WCLP	Western Center on Law and Poverty
CDPI	Child Development Policy Institute		

DEFINITIONS:²

Committee on Rules	Bills are assigned to a Committee for hearing from here.
Consent Calendar	A set of non-controversial bills, grouped together and voted out of a committee or on the floor as a package.
First Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. The first reading of a bill occurs when it is introduced.
Held in Committee	Status of a bill that fails to receive sufficient affirmative votes to pass out of committee.
Held under Submission	Action taken by a committee when a bill is heard and there is an indication that the author and the committee members want to work on or discuss the bill further, but there is no motion for the bill to progress out of committee.
Inactive File	The portion of the Daily File containing legislation that is ready for floor consideration, but, for a variety of reasons, is dead or dormant. An author may move a bill to the inactive file, and move it off the inactive file at a later date. During the final weeks of the legislative session, measures may be moved there by the leadership as a method of encouraging authors to take up their bills promptly.
On File	A bill on the second or third reading file of the Assembly or Senate Daily File.
Second Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Second reading occurs after a bill has been reported to the floor from committee.
Spot Bill	A bill that proposes non-substantive amendments to a code section in a particular subject; introduced to assure that a bill will be available, subsequent to the deadline to introduce bills, for revision by amendments that are germane to the subject of the bill.
Third Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Third reading occurs when the measure is about to be taken up on the floor of either house for final passage.
Third Reading File	That portion of the Daily File listing the bills that is ready to be taken up for final passage.
Urgency Measure	A bill affecting the public peace, health, or safety, containing an urgency clause, and requiring a two-thirds vote for passage. An urgency bill becomes effective immediately upon enactment.
Urgency Clause	Section of bill stating that bill will take effect immediately upon enactment. A vote on the urgency clause, requiring a two-thirds vote in each house, must precede a vote on bill.
Enrollment	Bill has passed both Houses, House of origin has concurred with amendments (as needed), and bill is now on its way to the Governor's desk.

² Definitions are taken from the official site for California legislative information, Your Legislature, Glossary of Legislative Terms at www.leginfo.ca.gov/guide.html#Appendix_B.

STATE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR 2018 (Tentative)³

January 1, 2018	Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
January 3, 2018	Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51(a)(4)).
January 10, 2018	Budget Bill must be submitted by Governor (Art. IV, Sec. 12(a)).
January 12, 2018	Last day for policy committees to hear and report to Fiscal Committee fiscal bills introduced in their house in the odd-numbered year (J.R. 61(b)(1)).
January 15, 2018	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed
January 19, 2018	Last day for any committee to hear and report to the Floor bills introduced in their house in 2015 (J.R. 61(b)(2)). Last day to submit bill requests to the Office of Legislative Counsel.
January 31, 2018	Last day to for each house to pass bills introduced in that house in the off-numbered year (J.R. 61(b)(3)). (Art. IV, Sec. 10(c)).
February 16, 2018	Last day for bills to be introduced (J.R. 61(a)(1), J.R. 54(a)).
February 19, 2018	President's Day Observed
March 22, 2018	Spring Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(1)).
March 30, 2018	Cesar Chavez Day observed.
April 2, 2018	Legislature reconvenes from Spring Recess (J.R. 51(b)(1)).
April 27, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report to fiscal committees fiscal bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(5)).
May 11, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor non-fiscal bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(6)).
May 18, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61(b)(7)).
May 25, 2018	Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(8)). Last day for fiscal committees to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61(b)(9)).
May 28, 2018	Memorial Day observed.
May 29-June 1, 2018	Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(10)). This deadline APPLIES TO ALL bills, constitutional amendments and bills which would go into immediate effect pursuant to Section 8 of Article IV of the Constitution (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c); J.R. 61(i)).
June 1, 2018	Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house (J.R. 61(b)(11)).
June 4, 2018	Committee meetings may resume (J.R. 61(b)(12)).
June 15, 2018	Budget Bill must be passed by midnight (Art. IV, Sec. 12(c)(3)).
June 29, 2018	Last day for a legislative measure to qualify for the November 8 General election ballot (Election Code Sec. 9040).
July 4, 2018	Independence Day observed.
July 6, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(a)(10)).
July 6, 2018	Summer recess begins at the end of this day's session, provided the Budget Bill has been passed (J.R. 51(b)(2)).
August 6, 2018	Legislature reconvenes from Summer Recess (J.R. 51(b)(2)).
August 17, 2018	Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(b)(14)).
August 20 – 31, 2018	Floor session only. No committees, other than conference committees and Rules Committee, may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(15)). This deadline APPLIES TO ALL bills, constitutional amendments and bills which would go into immediate effect pursuant to Section 8 of Article IV of the Constitution (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c); J.R. 61(i)).
August 24, 2018	Last day to amend bills on the floor (J.R. 61(b)(16)).
August 31, 2018	Last day for each house to pass bills, except bills that take effect immediately or bills in Extraordinary Session (Art. IV, Sec. 10(c), J.R. 61(b)(17)). Final Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(3)).
Sept 30, 2018	Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature on or before September. 11, 2016 and in the Governor's possession after September 1 (Art. IV, Sec. 10(b)(2)).

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- Jan. 1 Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
- Jan. 2 Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51 (a)(4)).

³ California State Assembly. *2018 Legislative Deadlines*. Retrieved on January 8, 2018 from <http://assembly.ca.gov/legislativedeadlines>.