

HB 1073 -- CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE

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Currently, the Children's Division within the Department of Social Services is required to establish rules to modify the income eligibility criteria for any person receiving state-funded child care assistance, either through vouchers or direct reimbursement to child care providers, to become effective no later than July 1, 2011. This bill extends that deadline to July 1, 2016.

The bill authorizes a person receiving state-funded child care assistance and whose income surpasses the income eligibility limit to continue to receive reduced subsidy benefits on a specified scale.