

**State of Rhode Island  
Department of Administration  
Office of Management and Budget**

Fiscal Note for Proposed Administrative Rules (R.I.G.L. § 22-12-1.1)

**Name of Administrative Rule: Child Care Center and School Age Program Regulations for Licensure (218-RICR-70-00-1)**

<b>FISCAL IMPACT</b>					
<i>State Revenues</i>		<i>State Expenditures</i>		<i>City/Town Expenditures</i>	
FY 2026	\$ 0	FY 2026	\$0	FY 2026	\$ 0
FY 2027	\$ 0	FY 2027	\$0	FY 2027	\$ 0
FY 2028	\$ 0	FY 2028	\$0	FY 2028	\$ 0

**Summary of Policy Change:** The Rhode Island Department of Human Services is updating the Child Care Center and School Age Program Regulations for Licensure. These updates serve two main purposes: to incorporate the Rhode Island Start Early System (RISES) into the regulations, and to revise outdated, unclear, or inconsistent language to improve clarity and usability.

**Summary of State Fiscal Impact:** There is no state impact for this policy change.

**City or Town Impact:** There is no city or town impact for this policy change.

*Approved by CFO, Erica Norcini on March 19, 2026*