

Amendment #7 Day Care

1.09.01 Acronyms

DECAL – Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning

1.09.02 Definitions

Day Care Establishment. Any place operated by a person, society, agency, corporation, institution or group wherein are received for pay for group care, for fewer than twenty-four (24) hours per day without transfer of legal custody, children under eighteen (18) years of age and which is required to be licensed or commissioned by the Georgia Department of Human Resources of Early Care and Learning (DECAL). The following categories shall be designated:

Family Child Care Learning Home or "Learning Home" or "FCCL" means a private residence operated by any person who receives therein for pay for supervision and care fewer than 24 hours per day, without transfer of legal custody, at least three but not more than six Children under 13 years of age who are not Related to such persons and whose Parent(s) are not residents in the same private residence as the Provider and which is required to be licensed by DECAL; provided, however, that the total number of unrelated Children cared for in such a Learning Home, for pay and not for pay, may not exceed six Children under 13 years of age at one time, except that a Provider may care for two additional children three years of age or older for two designated one hour periods daily upon approval by the Department

Child Care Learning Center or "CCLC" means any place operated by an individual or any business entity recognized under Georgia law wherein are received for pay for group care, for fewer than 24 hours per day without transfer of legal custody, seven or more children under 18 years of age and which is required to be licensed by DECAL. Child Care Learning Center also includes any day care center previously licensed by the Department of Human Resources and transferred pursuant to Code Section 20-1A-1 et seq.

Family Day Care (6 or less children). A private residence operated as day care for up to six (6) children.

Day Care Homes (7 to 18 children). Any place operated as day care for not less than seven (7) or more than eighteen (18) children.

Day Care Centers (19 or more children). Any place operated as day care for nineteen (19) or more children.

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