

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Section 658D(b) of the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 2014 (P.L. 113-186), notice is hereby given that the Department of Human Services will hold a public hearing to provide an opportunity for the public to comment on the provisions of child care services under the State Plan for the Child Care and Development Fund FFY 2016-2018.

All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing on Oahu and state their views relative to the proposed State Plan either orally or in writing at the hearing. The public hearing will be held at the following location on Monday, February 22, 2016, 9:00 a.m.:

Department of Human Services
Benefit, Employment & Support Services Division
820 Mililani Street, Room 615
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Additionally, interested persons from the neighbor islands are invited to participate through either video conferencing or telephone conference at the following sites:

East Hawaii
Central Hilo Unit: 1990 Kinoole Street, Suite 111
Hilo
Supervisor: Mr. Ward Pirie, Phone: (808)981-7290

West Hawaii
North Kona 2 Unit, Kona Center
75-5722 Hanama Place, Rm. 1105
Kailua-Kona
Supervisor: Ms. Kelly Okoji, Phone: (808)327-4755

Kauai
South Unit: Dynasty Court
4473 Pahee Street, Suite G
Lihue
Supervisor: Mr. Kelly Robinson, Phone: (808)241-3679

Maui
Central Maui Unit: Waiehu Beach Center
270 Waiehu Beach Road, Suite 107

Wailuku

Supervisor: Mr. Elwyn Mukogawa, Phone: (808)243-5866

Copies of the proposed State Plan will be available via the DHS website (<http://humanservices.hawaii.gov/>) or by calling (808) 586-5735 to request a copy. A copy of the proposed plan will be mailed at NO COST to any interested person requesting a copy.

Special accommodations (i.e., Sign Language interpreter, large print, taped materials, or accessible parking) can be made, if requested at least five (5) working days before the scheduled public hearings by contacting the DHS office listed above.

For more information, please call Dana Balansag, Child Care Program Administrator, or Colleen Leonardo, Program Specialist, at (808)586-5735.


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