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Dear Child Care Services (CCS) Provider,

Child Care Management Services (CCMS) is writing to inform our CCS provider partners of the most recent communication we received from the Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) on January 15, 2026. As promised, we will share updates with you to help you stay abreast of this situation. We continue to work closely with Workforce Solutions for Tarrant County (WSTC) to ensure you have timely and updated information regarding CCS services and payments. As you review the update, please take note TWC is continuing to confirm they do not anticipate any delays in your child care reimbursements. Please continue to monitor your registered business email as well as our child care services website at <https://tarrantcountyccms.org> for updated information.

In partnership,

Rita Morris  
CCMS Program Director

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### **Subject: CCS Provider Update from TWC January 15, 2026**

Dear Child Care Services (CCS) Provider,

As we previously notified you, the federal Administration for Children and Families (ACF) notified states that they are implementing the “Defend the Spend” process in order for states to access Child Care and Development Funds (CCDF). This means that the Texas Workforce Commission is submitting additional information before ACF will release CCDF funds to the state.

**We continue to not anticipate any changes in CCS payments to providers.**

We appreciate your dedication to providing quality child care.

***Important Reminder Regarding CCS Attendance Tracking***

**As outlined in your CCS Provider Agreement, the attendance tracking system must be used by all providers, and by all CCS families.** Providers not using the attendance system will be subject to corrective action. If you or the parents you serve have any problems recording attendance, please contact the KinderSystems Support team for help:

- **Online:** [TX3C.info](http://TX3C.info)
- **Call:** 1-888-265-6461
- **Email:** [supportTX@kindersystems.com](mailto:supportTX@kindersystems.com)
- **Hours:** Monday – Friday, 6:00 AM – 9:00 PM CST