

**February 7, 2017**

**12:00 – 12:45 p.m.**

Los Angeles County Community Development Commission  
700 West Main Street, Conference Room Babe Ruth A&B  
Alhambra, CA 91801

**PROPOSED AGENDA**

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|-------|---|--------------------|------------------------------|
| 1.    | Welcome and Introductions                                       |                    | Nellie Ríos-Parra, Chair     |
| noon  | ▪ Opening Statement and Comments by the Chair                   |                    |                              |
| 2.    | Approval of Minutes   | <b>Action Item</b> | Tara Henriquez, Vice Chair   |
| 12:10 | ▪ January 3, 2018   |                    |                              |
| 3.    | Public Policy Report  |                    | Karla Pleitéz Howell         |
| 12:15 | ▪ Governor's Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2018-19            |                    | Co-chair, Joint Committee on |
|       | ▪ State Legislation Proposed to Date                            |                    | Legislation                  |
| 4.    | Local Child Care and Development Planning Council (LPC) Updates |                    | Michele Sartell, Staff       |
| 12:30 |   |                    |                              |
| 6.    | Announcements and Public Comment                                |                    | Tara Henriquez               |
| 12:40 |   |                    |                              |
| 7.    | Call to Adjourn   |                    | Nellie Ríos-Parra            |
| 12:45 |   |                    |                              |

**Next Meeting**

Wednesday, March 7, 2018 ▪ 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.  
Child Care Resource Center – Annex Building  
19809 Prairie Street  
Chatsworth, CA 91311

**MISSION STATEMENT**

*The mission of the Child Care Planning Committee is to engage parents, child care providers, allied organizations, community, and public agencies in collaborative planning efforts to improve the overall child care infrastructure of Los Angeles County, including the quality and continuity, affordability, and accessibility of child care and development services for all families.*

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**Meeting Minutes – January 3, 2018**

Members in Attendance (34)				
Parents	ECE Program	Community Agency	Public Agencies	Discretionary
Alejandra Berrio	Diana Esquer	Michaela Ferrari	Ranae Amezquita	Tonya Burns
Mona Franco	La Tanga Gail Hardy	Christine Manley Martinez	Robert Beck for Nora Garcia Rosales	Toni Isaacs
Judy Sanchez for Tara Henriquez	Monica Barahona for Andrea Joseph	Cyndi McAuley	Daniel Orosco	Kelly O'Connell <i>1<sup>st</sup> Supervisorial District</i>
Mabel Muñoz	Aolelani Lutu	Nanette Rincon-Ksido for Melissa Noriega	Mariana Sanchez	Sarah Soriano <i>4<sup>th</sup> Supervisorial District</i>
Daniel Polanco	Ritu Mahajan	Eli Pessar		Fiona Stewart
Nellie Ríos-Parra	Valerie Marquez	Joyce Robinson		Julie Taren <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Supervisorial District</i>
Andrea Sulsona	Ricardo Rivera	Ancelma Sanchez		Veronica Torres
	JoAnn Shalhoub-Mejia			Jocelyn Tucker <i>2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisorial District</i>

**Guests and Alternates:** Liliana Alvarez Hernandez – Alternate for Ancelma Sanchez, Sue Baker – Alternate for Andrea Sulsona, Anne Blackstock-Bernstein – UCLA, Rocio Bach – The Children’s Collective, Rosalba Bravo – Plaza Community Center, Kevin Dieterle – Alternate for Mabel Muñoz, Sally Durbin – Teaching At The Beginning, Liz Guerra – LACOE Quality Start Los Angeles, Jaime Kalenik – First 5 LA, Nicole Lopez, Little Tokyo Service Center, Gay Macdonald, Miriam Maya – First 5 LA, Ofelia Medina – First 5 LA, Helen O’Connor – Department of Public Health, Nancy Sanchez – Alternate for Ricardo Rivera, and Cindy Stephens – Alternate for Toni Isaacs

**Staff:** Michele Sartell

**I. Welcome and Introductions**

Nellie Ríos-Para, Chair, opened the Child Care Planning Committee (Planning Committee) meeting at 12:01 p.m. She welcomed members and guests after reading the opening statement and asked Ricardo Rivera to read the mission statement. Members, alternates and guests were asked to make self-introductions with a New Year resolution related to the mission statement.

**II. Approval of Minutes**

*Nellie reviewed the minutes from December 6, 2017 and asked for a motion to approve. Joyce Robinson made the motion to approve the minutes; the motion was seconded by Tonya Burns. The motion passed with abstentions from La Tanga Gail Hardy, Kelly O’Connell, Andrea Sulsona, Julie Taren, Jenny Trickey, and Veronica Torres.*

### **III. Quality Start Los Angeles – Updates on Los Angeles County’s Quality Rating and Improvement System**

By way of context, Nellie reflected on the primary charge of the local child care and development planning councils (LPCs) to examine the gap between the supply and demand for early care and education services. Both the needs assessment conducted very five years and the LPC Local Priorities resulting from this work informs public funding allocations for subsidized services as new money becomes available. Nellie continued that this work is far more than simply access; it is ensuring that all children and their families have access to high quality early care and education services that promote children’s optimal development and well-being and strengthen families. As such, the Planning Committee is helping to shape the evolution of a unified, quality rating and improvement system with representation on the QRIS Architects convened by First 5 LA. Nellie then introduced Liz Guerra of Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE)/Quality Start Los Angeles (QSLA) and Kevin Dieterle of First 5 LA to provide an update on the work to implement a QRIS in Los Angeles County while partners are simultaneously shaping the system.

Liz started her presentation by noting that the implementation partners are in “RFA” mode, responding to the next round of QRIS Block Grant applications released by the California Department of Education (CDE). She added that while the focus of the presentation would be on updates, there is a strong interest to partner with and hear from the Planning Committee as the system grows. Directing meeting participants to the PowerPoint presentation, Liz reviewed the three funding streams supporting the work of QSLA. She noted the LAUP fund balance, which allows organizations not contracting with the CDE and providing center-based services as well as family child care homes to participate in QSLA.

Liz next reviewed the data on the participating sites. To date, 880 centers and family child care homes are participating, representing 45,104 children benefiting from the focus on quality improvements. Programs that have been rated mostly fall into Tiers 2, 3 and 4 with a few in Tier 1 and Tier 5. The distribution of sites throughout Los Angeles County is relatively even across six cities – Los Angeles, Long Beach, Compton, Pasadena, Lancaster and Pomona – with a number of other cities represented. Liz highlighted four performance categories for implementation: Assessment, Coaching, Incentives, and Parent Education. She mentioned that all staff of programs participating in QSLA are on the workforce registry and all coaches are trained on the Strengthening Families Framework and the Caring Conversation café model. She added that there are financial incentives to help programs enhance the quality of their services provided to children and families and achieving higher tier ratings.

Kevin discussed the map showing the locations of all California State Preschool Programs (CSPPs) located in Los Angeles County coded by those participating in QSLA compared to those not currently enlisted. Approximately two-thirds of the CSPP sites are engaged in QSLA, some of which have not yet been rated. Kevin touched upon the location of the participating sites in relationship to location in priority zip codes based on the gap between supply and demand for subsidized services. The split between priority and non-priority zip codes is similar to CSPP sites overall in Los Angeles County compared to those served by QSLA.

A number of meeting participants asked questions and/or commented on the presentation. Liz and Kevin acknowledged the problem of equity in the field, adding that it is an important value as the partners continue to revisit the model and address issues of sustainability. In response to a question about measuring child outcomes, Liz and Kevin referenced the recently released RFA, commenting on the challenge as the system is being built with a current focus on the programs and the workforce. An opportunity to measure child outcomes may be in the Best Start communities.

Outreach is another area for examination as resources are limited and incentives are a key component of the QRIS. Lastly, there was a comment suggesting a desire to align and streamline multiple efforts across systems funded by the CDE as well as coordinating data systems.

Nellie thanked Liz and Kevin and assured them that the Planning Committee is eager to continue the conversations and lend their expertise and experience on issues of implementation. She added that as a member of the QRIS Architects, she is cognizant of her duty to represent the membership. Liz added that Nellie has been a critical partner in bringing the program perspective to the conversations.

#### **IV. Planning Committee Matters**

##### *LPC Local Funding Priorities – Exploring Option 2 for Priority 3*

Michele Sartell, staff to the Planning Committee, announced that work to update LPC Local Funding Priorities for 2017-18 is underway to prepare for the public hearing in February. LPC Local Funding Priorities are used to determine funding allocations as new money for expansion becomes available in the state budget or existing funds are redistributed due to an organization, for example, giving up its contract or moving due to the termination of a lease.

She raised an issue that was recently brought to her attention regarding options for identifying priority 3 zip codes. According to Management Bulletin 15-04, three options exist for assigning Priority 3 to remaining zip codes that do not meet the threshold for Priority 1 or 2 as follows:

Option 1: A zip code qualifies as Priority 3 when there are 50% or more of eligible children underserved, and there are more than 500 eligible children underserved.

Option 2: All other zip codes in the county.

Option 3: No other zip codes in the county.

Historically, Los Angeles County has used Option 1. This option omits zip codes that do not meet the threshold yet show a significant gap in access for subsidized services. On the other hand, there are zip codes without a gap or with a surplus in services. Michele is in conversations with the interim LPC consultant with CDE, asking for clarification on how Option 2 may be employed in Los Angeles County. In the meantime, she asked members to weigh in with questions or comments. Questions/comments included: how many counties are prioritizing all zip codes? Are there issues of equity across counties if not all zip codes are prioritized? How are other counties classifying Priority 3 zip codes? How realistic is it for Los Angeles County to list all zip codes? Michele will explore these questions with other LPC coordinators while awaiting clarification from the CDE.

##### *Voluntary, Temporary Transfer of Funds – On the Horizon*

Michele briefly reviewed the purpose and process for the Voluntary, Temporary Transfer of Funds (VTTF) as an introduction to recurring and emerging issues that have been brought to the forefront as the next opportunity for CDE-contracted organizations to participate is on the horizon. For background, CDE-contractors anticipating over- or under-earnings may request a VTTF in the current fiscal year to fully utilize child care and development funding to serve income eligible families. The LPCs (e.g. Planning Committee) facilitate the transfer of funds on behalf of the CDE, which holds the authority to approve and make the transfers.

In addition to the LPC facilitated process, organizations holding both general child care (CCTR) and CSPP contracts may request a transfer of funds between their contract types directly with the CDE. As of fiscal year 2015-16, Local Education Agencies (LEAs/school districts) and Community College Districts may not transfer funds between contract types given that their CSPP contracts are funded entirely with Proposition 98 funds. Last year, this change caught some school districts and

community colleges off guard, particularly those that have relied on using their under-earnings from their CSPP contract to cover their over-earnings in their CCTR contract. More recently, the Office for the Advancement of Early Care and Education has heard from additional school districts eager to address their anticipated over-earning CCTR contracts for this fiscal year.

Michele presented the timeline for the VTTF, which will begin with invitations to CDE contractors in late March/early May. She encourages programs with anticipated under- and over-earnings to participate to ensure that funding allocated to programs in Los Angeles County continues to serve the children and families of our communities rather than risk money being returned to the state's general funds. She added that the announcement that is sent to programs operated by school districts and community colleges will include a blurb on the disallowance of transfers between their CCTR and CSPP contracts.

#### **V. Work Group Breakouts: Access/Inclusion, Quality and Workforce**

Nellie directed the work groups to continue their conversations that will lead to actionable items to tackle in the coming months. The meeting packets included work group notes from the previous meeting with a list of suggested projects for consideration. The work groups were encouraged to generate other ideas, urged to begin prioritizing one or two items, and identify next steps. She suggested that the work groups consider legislative priorities and what Planning Committee can offer to inform potential legislation or budget asks. Alternates and guests were invited to join and participate in a work group.

#### **VI. Work Group Reports**

##### *Workforce*

A major issue facing the workforce is compensation. Lack of adequate investments in the system means it is subsidized by a poorly paid workforce. Two areas of potential impact: gubernatorial race and raising issues of compensation; and a state/local initiative, using models developed by other counties to create a funding stream for early care and education. In addition, some counties have explored compensation based on a tier rating. Moving forward, a project idea on the table is to create a model compensation scale and possibly tie it to tiered reimbursement.

##### *Access/inclusion*

This work group explored different areas of interest as follows: the issue of consistent under- and over-earning of contracts and ensuring money is not returned to the state; the loss of family child care homes, some of which may result from lax enforcement of existing laws/regulations that allow for examples services provided in a rental unit or home; and the mixed delivery system of programs serving four year old children inclusive of transitional kindergarten, CSPP and Head Start.

##### *Quality*

The quality work group proposes building an economic model of early care and education from the program/provider's perspective rather than what it takes to implement QRIS. The group is interested in the costs for achieving and maintaining quality. One suggestion is to partner with the peer networking meeting for input as well as the Workforce Work Group's development of a compensation model. A previous study may be used as the baseline for structuring the model.

#### **VII. Announcements and Public Comment**

- The Infant Development Association has scheduled a number of upcoming workshops and conferences:
  - January 22, 2018 – Annual Update on California Early Start and Early Care and Education Services at the Braille Institute, 741 North Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90029

- February 26, 2018 – Feeding Challenges and Solutions: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Successful Mealtimes for Infants and Toddlers at the Braille Institute, 741 North Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90029
- March 23-24, 2018 – Regional Conference at Westin Pasadena
- June 19, 2018 – Vivian Weinstein Leadership Day at The California Endowment
- September 7-8, 2018 – Regional Conference, Hyatt SFO/Burlingame

For more information and to register, visit <http://www.idaofcal.org/events-southern-california-chapter>.

- The California Child Development Administrator’s Association is holding a three-day leadership institute from January 31-February 2, 2018 at the Marriot in Irvine. Visit [http://www.ccdaa.org/index.php?option=com\\_events&task=icalevent\\_detail&evid=26](http://www.ccdaa.org/index.php?option=com_events&task=icalevent_detail&evid=26) for more information.
- Connections for Children is certified to present health and safety trainings. They also are working with the Children’s Home Society to provide trainings in Long Beach and Crystal Stairs. See Daniel Polanco for more information.
- The Long Beach Early Childhood Education Committee is holding its annual symposium on April 21, 2018 at the Long Beach Convention Center. See e-mail forwarded by Michele for more information.
- The Joint Committee on Legislation meeting schedule for 2018 was included in the meeting packets. Anyone interested in participating on the committee should contact Michele to be added to the listserv for meeting announcements and materials.

### VIII. Adjournment

*The meeting was adjourned at 1:57 p.m.*



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# GOVERNOR'S PROPOSED BUDGET FY 2018-19

## Early Care and Education Items

Los Angeles County Child Care Planning Committee  
February 7, 2018



## CONTEXT FOR BUDGET PROPOSALS

- Continues to promote fiscal restraint
  - A future recession is inevitable
  - Uncertain federal budget and potential shifting health and entitlement program costs to states
  - Commitment to a solid state Rainy Day Fund
  
- Supports ongoing priorities
  - Increased funding for public education to achieve 100% implementation of LCFF
  - Increased funding for higher education
  - Funding activities that combat climate change
  - Funding for state and local transportation infrastructure
  - Reducing debts and liabilities

## EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ITEMS

- No proposed changes or reforms to the infrastructure
- Investments mostly limited to multi-year plan to increase spaces for preschool age children and raise reimbursement rates as specified in the 2016-17 budget agreement



## EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ITEMS – REIMBURSEMENT RATES

- Increases the Standard Reimbursement Rate (SRR) to California Department of Education center-based programs serving low-income families by approximately 2.8% effective July 1, 2018.
- Permanently extends the temporary Regional Market Rate (RMR) hold harmless provision so that no provider accepting vouchers to serve low-income families receives less than received in 2015-16 effective 2019-20.



## EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ITEMS – CALIFORNIA STATE PRESCHOOL PROGRAM EXPANSION

- Fully implements the multi-year agreement to increase access to full-day State Preschool by 2,859 slots for Local Education Agencies (LEAs) as of April 1, 2018
  
- **NEW:** Establishes the Inclusive Education Expansion Program for children ages birth to five years old
  - Targets low-income communities and areas with relatively low access to services
  - Competitive grant program to organizations committing to all children, especially those with disabilities

## INCLUSIVE EARLY EDUCATION EXPANSION PROGRAM FOR LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCIES (LEAs) – TRAILER BILL LANGUAGE

- Makes \$125M available for encumbrance until June 30, 2023
- CDE's Special Education and Early Education and Support Divisions to develop criteria for selection of grantees
- Must increase access to subsidized inclusive ECE programs for children birth to five in high need communities based on needs assessment
- Programs must be sustainable beyond grant period
- Requires 33% local match; may include in-kind resources
- LEA may apply on behalf of a consortium of providers within program area
- Grants are competitive and priority for funding to applicants with documented need for expanded access to inclusive ECE, in low-income communities, and represent a consortium of local partners
- Grants may be used for one-time infrastructure costs, i.e. adaptive facility renovations, adaptive equipment, and professional development
- Must commit to providing program data



## EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ITEMS – OTHER ADJUSTMENTS

- **COLA and Growth:** Makes a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) of 2.51%; adjusts growth by -.48%
- **CalWORKs Child Care:** Provides a net increase of funding for CalWORKs Stage 2 and Stage 3 Child Care to reflect case adjustments

## HOME VISITATION - CALWORKS

- Invests \$26.7 million for a voluntary home visiting pilot program through January 1, 2024
  - Targeted to first-time parents in the CalWORKs program
  - Program intent: help parents achieve self-sufficiency by improving family engagement practices; supporting the healthy development of young children living in poverty; and preparing parents for employment
- Trailer Bill Language – CalWORKs Home Visiting Initiative
  - Voluntary program to support health outcomes for pregnant woman or first-time parent/caretaker under 25 years old of child under 24 months of age
  - Activities to include case management and evidence-based home visiting for up to 24 months, resources/referrals to prenatal, infant and toddler care, developmental screening and assessments, etc.
  - Counties may opt-in; participate in data collection related to outcomes



## WHAT'S MISSING?

- Investments to increase subsidized services to meet the needs of families with infants and toddlers
- Reimbursement rates that reflect the true cost of operating (quality) programs
- Commitment to ensure more programs – centers and family child care homes serving children birth to five – can participate in QRIS

QUESTIONS? COMMENTS...

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## GOVERNOR INTRODUCES PROPOSED BUDGET – FY 2018-19 EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ITEMS

### Overview

Governor Jerry Brown released his proposed budget for 2018-19 on January 10, 2018. This paper serves as a preliminary summary of the Governor's proposals for early care and education funding. The Governor's budget proposals build upon recent restorations to early care and education programs that experienced deep cuts during the Great Recession by continuing modest increases in access for children birth to five years old and reimbursement rates to programs serving low-income families. On a related note, the Governor's budget invests in home visitation services for first-time parents participating in the CalWORKs program.

Table 1 on page 3 specifies the funding allocations by program type for 2018-19 compared to the Budget Act of 2017-18.

### Child Care and Development Items

#### Increases to the Reimbursement Rates

- Increases the Standard Reimbursement Rate (SRR) to California Department of Education-contracted center-based programs serving low-income families by approximately 2.8 percent as of July 1, 2018 (\$31.6 million Proposition 98 General Fund and \$16.1 million non-Proposition General Fund).
- Permanently extends the temporary Regional Market Rate (RMR) hold harmless provision so that no provider accepting vouchers to serve low income families receives less than they received in 2015-16 beginning 2019-20.

#### California State Preschool Program (CSPP) Expansion

- Fully implements the multi-year agreement to increase access to full-day State Preschool by 2,859 slots for Local Education Agencies (LEAs) as of April 1, 2019 (\$28.4 million Proposition 98 General Fund).
- Establishes the Inclusive Early Education Expansion Program to increase the availability of inclusive early care and education for children ages birth to five years old, especially in low-income communities and in areas with relatively low access to care. The competitive grant program would require successful program recipients to commit that all children benefiting from the funds, especially those with disabilities, have access to appropriate settings that support their educational and developmental growth (\$125 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund and \$142.2 million one-time federal TANF).

#### Other Adjustments

- Provides a net increase of funding for CalWORKs Stage 2 and Stage 3 Child Care to reflect case adjustments (\$5.2 million non-Proposition 98 General Fund).
- Makes a cost of living adjustment (COLA) of 2.51 percent for a total of nearly \$50 million for all early care and education program.

## Home Visitation - CalWORKs

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- Invests \$26.7 million for a voluntary Home Visiting pilot program, which will continue through 2021 for young, first-time parents in the CalWORKs program. The program is intended to help parents achieve self-sufficiency by improving family engagement practices; supporting healthy development of young children living in poverty; and preparing parents for employment. A total of \$158.5 million in one-time TANF funds is being will be reserved for the pilot's total costs through calendar year 2021.

Preliminary

**Table 1. Comparison between the Budget Act of 2017 and the Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2018-19**

Program Type	Budget Act of 2017	Proposed 2017-18			Variance
		Totals - 2018-19 Budget Proposals	State General Funds	Federal Funds	
General Child Development	\$528,157,000	\$553,801,000	\$369,574,000	\$184,227,000	\$25,644,000
Migrant Day Care	\$34,597,000	\$36,354,000	\$30,943,000	\$5,411,000	\$1,757,000
Alternative Payment Program	\$292,357,000	\$307,612,000	\$137,413,000	\$170,199,000	\$15,255,000
Resource and Referral	\$19,172,000	\$19,653,000	\$19,653,000		\$481,000
CalWORKs Stage 2	\$519,038,000	\$517,613,000	\$436,977,000	\$80,636,000	(\$1,425,000)
CalWORKs Stage 3	\$314,700,000	\$335,432,000	\$143,963,000	\$191,469,000	\$20,732,000
Accounts Payable	\$4,000,000		\$4,000,000		0
Child Care for Children with Disabilities	\$1,930,000	\$2,028,000	\$2,028,000		\$98,000
California Child Care Initiative	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000		0
Quality Improvement	\$64,450,000	\$73,243,000	\$1,461,000	\$71,782,000	\$8,793,000
Local Planning Councils	\$3,405,000	\$3,490,000	\$171,000	\$3,319,000	\$85,000
QRIS Infant-Toddler Block Grant					
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,782,031,000</b>	<b>\$1,853,451,000</b>	<b>\$1,146,408,000</b>	<b>\$707,043,000</b>	<b>\$71,420,000</b>
			<b>Proposition 98</b>	<b>Non-Prop 98</b>	
State Preschool	\$872,460,000		\$1,163,259,000 <sup>1</sup>		
State Preschool (Prop 98, full-day wrap)	\$249,968,000				
State Preschool (non-Prop 98, full-day wrap)	\$167,950,000				
Child Development QRIS Grants	50,000,000	\$50,000	\$50,000,000		
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,340,378,000</b>		<b>\$1,213,259,000</b>		
			<b>Proposition 98</b>	<b>TANF</b>	
Inclusive Early Education Expansion Program		\$167,242,000	\$125,000,000	\$42,242,000	
			<b>State Funds</b>	<b>Federal Funds</b>	
Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grant	\$5,566,000	\$2,737,000		\$2,737,000 <sup>2</sup>	
Emergency Child Care Bridge Program	\$15,250,000	\$30,500,000	\$30,500,000		\$15,250,000
<b>California Department of Social Services</b>			<b>State General Funds</b>	<b>Federal Funds</b>	
CalWORKs Stage 1	\$356,500,000	\$326,200,000			(\$30,300,000)
Non-Direct Child Care Services, Trustline, etc.	\$4,239,000				
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$364,931,000</b>				
<b>Learning Supports</b>			<b>State General Funds</b>	<b>Federal Funds</b>	
After School and Education Safety Program	\$596,688,000	\$596,547,000	\$596,547,000		(\$141,000)
21st Century Community Learning Centers	\$138,992,000	\$133,992,000		\$133,992,000	(\$5,000,000)
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$731,759,000</b>	<b>\$730,539,000</b>			<b>(\$1,220,000)</b>
<b>California Community Colleges</b>			<b>Proposition 98</b>		
Cal-WORKs Child Care – Community Colleges	\$9,188,000	\$9,188,000	\$9,188,000		0
Campus Child Care Tax Bailout	\$3,434,000	\$3,523,000	\$3,523,000		\$89,000

## For More Information

Questions and comments regarding this summary may be referred to Michele Sartell, staff with the Office for the Advancement of Early Care and Education, by e-mail at [msartell@ceo.lacounty.gov](mailto:msartell@ceo.lacounty.gov) or by telephone at (213) 974-5187.

## Resources

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## Endnotes

<sup>1</sup> Of this amount, \$8,457,000 is available to expand State Preschool to serve an additional 8,959 children with full-day services provided by local education agencies as of April 1, 2019.

<sup>2</sup> Funding for the Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership is available on a limited-time basis until June 30, 2019.



LEGISLATION BEING CONSIDERED BY THE CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE – SECOND LEGISLATIVE SESSION OF 2017-18

Level of Interest <sup>1</sup>	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 2/5/18)
<b>California Assembly Bills</b>								
Died 1/31/18	AB 5 (Gonzalez & Kalra)	Would create the Opportunity to Work Act. Would require employer with 10 or more employees to offer additional hours of work to an existing nonexempt employee before hiring an additional employee or subcontractor.				CA Conf Bd of the Amalgamated Transit Union, CA Conf of Machinists, CFT, CA Immigrant Policy Center, CA Teamsters Public Affairs Council, Consumer Atts of CA, SEIU California UNITE HERE & more	ACT 1 Group, African American Farmers of CA, Agricultural Council of CA, American Fire Sprinkler Assoc, Associated Builders and Contractors – Northern CA, Chapter, Long Beach Area Chamber of Commerce, LA Area Chamber of Commerce & several other Chambers,	Introduced: 12/5/16  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
<b>ACTIVE</b>	AB 11 (McCarty & Bonta)	Would require, consistent with federal law, that screening services under the Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) program include <i>developmental</i> screening services for individuals zero to 3 years of age, inclusive, in compliance with the periodicity schedule and the standardized and validated screening <i>tools</i> that are established by the Bright Futures/American Academy of Pediatrics Recommendations for Preventive Pediatric Health Care and by any future updates to those recommendations. The bill would also make legislative findings and declarations relating to child development.	Children Now, First 5 CA Association	Bryan C. Singh 916.319.2007		AAP-CA, CDF-CA, Common Sense kids Action, Family Connections, Family Voices of CA, First 5 LA and several other First 5s (Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Kern, Kings, Lake, Marin, Merced, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Placer, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Tehama, Ventrua) , Help Me Grow Orange County and Ventura County, LA Trust for Children's Health, MCAH Action, The Children's Partnership, WCLP, and more	California Right to Life Committee	Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 1/3/18 Amended: 1/10/18  In Senate Committee on Rules

\* Levels of interest are assigned by the Joint Committee on Legislation based on consistency with the Public Policy Platform accepted by the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care and Development and consistent with County Legislative Policy for the current year. Levels of interest do *not* indicate a pursuit of position in either direction. The Joint Committee will continue to monitor all listed bills as proceed through the legislative process. Levels of interest may change based on future amendments.

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Died 1/31/18	AB 34 (Nazarian)	Would establish the Children's Savings Account Program for the purposes of expanding access to higher education through savings. Would require the Scholarshare Investment Board to establish a 529 children's savings account for each CA resident child born on or after January 1, 2018, who is a California resident at the time of birth. Provides an opt out provision. <i>Stipulates conditions for closing an account.</i>		Emellia Zamani 916.319.2046 <a href="mailto:Emellia.Zamani@asm.ca.gov">Emellia.Zamani@asm.ca.gov</a>		AAP, CA Asset Building Coalition, CA Association of Private School Organizations, CDF-CA, CFT		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 4/20/17  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Died 1/31/18	AB 43 (Thurmond)	Would, for the privilege of contracting with a state prison, the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, or the Department of General Service to provide a state prison with goods and services, would impose tax at the rate equal to 10% on the final contract price for contracts entered into as of 1/1/18. Funds to be deposited into the State Incarceration Prevention Funding for appropriation to CDE for preschool and after school programs. <i>Adds appeal process language.</i> Urgency statute.	California Teachers Association	Michael Lucien 916.319.2015 <a href="mailto:Michael.lucien@asm.ca.gov">Michael.lucien@asm.ca.gov</a>		Advancement Project, Alliance for Boys and Men of Color, Anti-Recidivism Coalition, CAPP, CA Federation of Teachers, CA Legislative Black Caucus, CA Nurses Assoc, Californians for Justice, First Five Association of CA, LAUP, National Nurses United, Partnership for Children & Youth, SEIU	California Chamber of Commerce, California New Car Dealers Association, National Federation of Independent Business	Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 5/10/17  Committee on Appropriations Held under Submission
Died 1/31/18	AB 75 (Steinorth)	Would expand CA's Early Income Tax Credit to allow self-employment income reported on an IRS form 1099 to qualify, effective 1/1/2017.		Brandon Ebeck <a href="mailto:Brandon.Ebeck@asm.ca.gov">Brandon.Ebeck@asm.ca.gov</a> 916.319.2040		CAPPA, CA Assoc of Food Banks, CA Assoc for Micro Enterprise Opportunity, CA Catholic Conference, Inc., CDF-CA, Common Sense Kids Action, CWDA, Friends Committee on Legislation of CA, Golden State Opportunity, Small Business CA		Introduced: 1/4/17 Amended: 3/6/17 Amended: 3/14/17  Committee on Revenue and Taxation



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Died 1/31/18	AB 160 (Stone)	Would restore the time limit eligibility for receiving CalWORKs cash aid from 48 months to 60 months cumulatively.	Western Center on Law & Poverty Coalition of CA Welfare Rights Org	Nicole Hisatomi 916.319.2019 <a href="mailto:Nicole.Hisatomi@asm.ca.gov">Nicole.Hisatomi@asm.ca.gov</a>		AFSCME, CAPP, CA Assoc of Food Banks, CLASP, CDF-CA), CWDA, Courage Campaign, SF Living Wage Coalition, Santa Clara Co Bd of Supervisors, WCLP, and more		Introduced: 1/12/17  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Died 1/31/18	AB 177 (Chávez)	Would add to the Child Abuse and Neglect Act by requiring a <i>social worker</i> investigating a report of child abuse and neglect that involves a parent or guardian serving in the military to notify the Family Advocacy Program of the Department of Defense of the allegation.		Kelly Ash 916.319.2076 <a href="mailto:Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov">Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov</a>		Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense/Military Community and Family Policy: Southwest Region		Introduced: 1/18/17 Amended: 2/21/17  Committee on Public Safety Hearing: Cancelled at author's request
Died 1/31/18	AB 230 (Chávez)	Would increase the California Child Care and Dependent Care Expenses Tax Credit up to 200% of the federal credit <i>for taxpayers with adjusted gross income amounts of \$70,000 or less.</i>		Kelly Ash 916.319.2076 <a href="mailto:Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov">Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov</a>		CAPP	CA Tax Reform Association	Introduced: 1/26/17 Amended: 4/18/17  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Died 1/31/18	AB 231 (Chávez)	Would, beginning FY 2018-19, 1) define income eligibility for subsidized child care and development at or below 75% of State Median Income (SMI), adjusted for family size and adjusted annually; and 2) would establish a phasing out scale for eligibility up to 85% of SMI. Would require the annual verification of family income to determine ongoing eligibility.		Kelly Ash 916-319-2076 <a href="mailto:kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov">kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov</a>				Introduced: 1/26/17 Amended: 2/21/17  Committee on Human Services Hearing: Cancelled at author's request
Died 1/31/18	AB 312 (O'Donnell)	<i>Would make a number of adjustments in calculations in relationship to preschool-aged children with special needs as reported by the special education local plan area (SELPA).</i>	Coalition for Adequate Funding for Special Ed, CA Association of School Business Officials	Tanya Lieberman 916.319.2087, <a href="mailto:tanya.lieberman@asm.ca.gov">tanya.lieberman@asm.ca.gov</a>		Antelope Valley (AV) SELPA, AV Union High SD, CA Assoc of the Deaf, CA Co Superintendents Educational Svcs Assoc, CA State PTA and many more	Special Education Advocate Leaders Analysis	Introduced: 2/6/17 Amended: 2/28/17  Committee on Appropriations

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Died 1/31/18	AB 540 (Mullin)	<i>Would limit the total cost for administration and support services for organizations holder an Alternative Payment Program contract to 17.6 percent of the total contract amount.</i>						Introduced: 2/13/17 Amended: 3/23/17  Committee on Human Services
<b>ACTIVE</b>	AB 605 (Mullin)	<i>Would require the CDSS to adopt regulations on or before 1/1/9, to develop and implement a birth to entering first grade license option for day care centers. Lists proposed regulations to address age appropriate transitions from one age group to another, continuity of care, and more.</i>				CAPPA, CCDAA, Children NOW, LACOE		Introduced: 2/14/17 Amended: 3/23/17  In Senate Committee on Rules

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Watch	AB 676 (Limón)	<i>Would require the Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation to establish and maintain an Early Educators' Occupational Safety and Health Training Program relating to occupational health and safety risks specific to early education professionals that includes specified components, including a discussion of the risks of chemical and biological hazards, infectious diseases, and physical hazards and stress, and how to identify and minimize those risks and more. Would require an early educator to attend that training within 6 years of it first being offered, or within 3 months of the person becoming an early educator, whichever occurs later. Would also establish the Early Educators' Safety and Health Education Fund and specify that moneys in the fund may be expended, upon appropriation by the Legislature, by the commission to establish and maintain the training. Would become operative on 7/1/18.</i>	UDW/AFSCME Local 3930	Bryn Sullivan 916.319.2037 <a href="mailto:Bryn.Sullivan@asm.ca.gov">Bryn.Sullivan@asm.ca.gov</a>		AFSCME, CA Labor Federation, CA State PTA, Courage Campaign, Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee, SEIU, United Domestic Workers of America-AFSCME Local 3930/AFL-CIO, Voices for Progress Education Fund	A Creative Beginning, Anaheim Family YMCA, Baby World Child Care Ctr, Burbank Community YMCA, CA State Alliance of YMCA's, CCDAA, Camp Pendleton Armed Services YMCA, La Cañada Flintridge Community Center, Santa Monica Family YMCA, YMCA of Greater Long Beach, YMCA of Metropolitan LA, and more	Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 3/27/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/29/17  In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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2	AB 992 (Arambula)	Would establish the CalWORKs Baby Wellness and Family Support Home Visitation Program and require that the CA Department of Social Services <i>allocate</i> funds to counties for the purpose of implementing or contracting with home visitation programs to provide voluntary home visiting programs. <i>Parent/caregiver to be advised in writing to opt in to home visiting program and that it is not a condition of CalWORKs eligibility.</i>	Black Women for Wellness, Children's Defense Fund, Children Now, Western Center on Law and Poverty	Marla Cowan <a href="mailto:Marla.Cowan@asm.ca.gov">Marla.Cowan@asm.ca.gov</a>		Advokids, AAP-CA, CAPP, CWDA, Courage Campaign, Nurse Family Partnership, Parents as Teachers, United Ways of CA, Women's Foundation of CA		Introduced: 2/16/17 Amended: 3/28/17 Amended: 5/26/17  In Senate Committee on Human Services
Died 1/31/18	AB 1175 (Ting)	Would enact the Every Kid Counts (EKC) Act that, <i>would upon appropriation by the Legislature, provide for a one-time \$100 deposit by the state to each account opened under the Golden State Scholarshare Trust Act.</i>						Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 3/21/17 Amended: 4/17/17  Committee on Higher Education
Died 1/31/18	AB 1238 (Kiley)	Would amend existing law to extend fee waivers for processing requests to the Department of Justice for federal level criminal offenses to human resource agencies tracking volunteer information provided to community-based organizations, defined as an organization whose main focus is the care and security of children, the elderly, the handicapped or the mentally impaired for the local community.						Introduced: 2/17/17  Committee on Public Safety Hearing cancelled at author's request

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Two-year bill	AB 1250 (Jones-Sawyer)	Would establish specific standards for the use of personal services contracts by counties. Would allow a county or county agency to contract for personal services currently or customarily performed by employees when specified conditions are met. Among other things, the bill would require the county to clearly demonstrate that the proposed contract will result in actual overall costs savings to the county and also to show that the contract does not cause the displacement of county workers.	AFSCME, AFL-CIO; CA State Council of the Service Employees International Union		Oppose	Association for LA Deputy Sheriffs; CA Association of Professional Employees; CA Compost Coalition; CA Labor Federation; CA Professional Firefighters; CA School Employees Association; CTA; CA Teamster Public Affairs Council; LA County Probation Officers Union; The LACounty Professional Peace Officers Association; The Organization of SMUD Employees; UNITE; Utility Workers Union of America, and many more	Advent Group Ministries; Alameda County Community Food Bank; Alameda County Industries; Alliance Supporting Persons with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities; Alternative Family Services, Amador Valley Industries; American Staffing Association; Aspirnet; Associated Builders and Contractors Inc., Association of Community Human Service Agencies; Aviva Family and Children's Services; CAPP, CCALA, and many more	Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/4/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 4/25/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/21/17 Amended: 9/25/17  In Senate Committee on Rules
Died 2/1/18	AB 1302 (Grayson)	Would make non-substantive changes to law pertaining to the rules and regulations on eligibility, enrollment and priority services needed to implement child care and development programs.						Introduced: 2/17/17
Died 1/31/18	AB 1304 (Melendez)	Would create the CalKIDS Savings Trust Fund, <i>administered by the CDSS</i> , and savings account within that fund for each beneficiary for purposes of encouraging and earmarking savings for the cost of child care, <i>inclusive of before and after school care.</i>		Alexis Leicht 916.319.2067 <a href="mailto:alexis.leicht@asm.ca.gov">alexis.leicht@asm.ca.gov</a>				Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/17/17  Committee on Revenue and Taxation Hearing: Cancelled at author's request

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Died 1/31/18	AB 1467 (O'Donnell)	<i>Gutted and amended: Would authorize courses offered through a College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) partnership to be offered on Saturdays. Purpose of CCAP is to provide seamless pathways from high school to community college for career technical education or preparation for transfer, improving high school graduation rates, or helping high school pupils achieve college and career readiness.</i>						Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 3/28/17  Committee on Higher Education Hearing: Cancelled at author's request
<b>NEW</b>	AB 1694 (Stone)	Existing law requires foster care providers to be paid a per child per month rate, established by the CDSS, for the care and supervision of the child placed with the provider. Existing law prohibits foster care payments from being considered income of the foster parent or child for purposes of determining eligibility and benefits for specified state or federal programs unless required by federal law as a condition of the receipt of federal financial participation. This bill would repeal the above-describe prohibition on foster care payments from being considered as income.						Introduced: 6/5/17 Amended: 1/12/18  In Senate Committee on Human Services

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NEW	AB 1744 (McCarty)	Would amend existing law pertaining to the After School Education and Safety and the 21st Century Community Learning Centers and the 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens programs to include within the education enrichment element pupil assistance to prevent and reduce substance use and improve school retention and performance.						Introduced: 1/3/18
NEW 1	AB 1754 (McCarty, Friedman, Eduardo Garcia, and Bonta)	Pre-K for All Act of 2018 would require the state to provide all 4-year-old children of low-income working families with access to early care and education programs.						Introduced: 1/3/18 Committee on Education
NEW	AB 1767 (Cervantes)	Would establish the California Kickstart My Future Loan Forgiveness Program to provide student loan forgiveness awards for the purpose of alleviating the burden of federal student loan debt for recent graduates meeting specified requirements.						Introduced: 1/4/18 Committee on Higher Education

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NEW	AB 1883 (Weber)	Would require, for purposes of determining eligibility for child care and development services, that the income of a person who is on state or federal active duty, active duty for special work, or Active Guard and Reserve duty in the military not include the amount of the basic allowance for housing provided to that person if the allowance is equal to the lowest rate of the allowance for the military housing area in which the person resides. In addition, would require an alternative payment program to have no less than 12 months, instead of 36 months, to expend funds allocated to that program in any fiscal year, and require the CDE to contract with alternative payment programs, instead of local contracting agencies, for services provided throughout the state.	CAPPA					Introduced: 1/17/18
NEW	AB 2001 (Reyes)	Would amend existing law pertaining to Family Child Care Home Education Networks (FCCHENs). Would require assessment tools used to ensure that services are of high quality and are educationally and developmentally appropriate be appropriate to family child care home settings and that developmental profiles include observations by providers. Would also require providers requiring those providers to adopt and use a curriculum and to provide age- and developmentally-appropriate educational activities for children.						Introduced: 2/1/18



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<b>California Senate Bills</b>								
Died 2/1/18	SB 18 (Pan)	<i>Would make legislative findings and declarations relating to the needs and well-being of children and youth in California. The bill would create, until 11/30/24, the Joint Legislative Committee on Children and Youth. Would require the committee to develop "California's Promise to its Children and Youth," a framework for the care and welfare of children and youth in various contexts.</i>	Common Sense Kids Action	Darrin Walsh 916.651.4006 <a href="mailto:Darrin.walsh@sen.ca.gov">Darrin.walsh@sen.ca.gov</a>				Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 4/3/17  Committee on Rules
Watch	SB 55 (Jackson)	Would extend the DASH (Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program) until 1/1/23. DASH, administered by the California Department of Education (CDE), recognizes after school programs that meeting healthy eating and physical activity requirements, inclusive of staff training.		Brandon Darnell		AAP, American Heart Assoc, American Stroke Assoc, A World Fit For Kids!, CA Assoc for Health, Physical Ed, Recreation and Dance, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, CA State PTA, LA's Best, LACOE		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/15/17  In Assembly Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
2	SB 78 (Leyva)	Would, commencing with increases to the minimum wage implemented in 2018-19 and each year thereafter, require the Department of Finance (DOF) to annually adjust the total program funding amount for each minimum wage increase using a specified calculation, provided that the adjustment for the After School Education and Safety (ASES) Program. Requires additional funding adjustments per state law. <i>Amendment reflects technical correction.</i>	California Afterschool Advocacy Alliance	Phillip Vander Klay 916.651.4020 <a href="mailto:Phillip.VanderKlay@sen.ca.gov">Phillip.VanderKlay@sen.ca.gov</a>		After-school All-Stars Los Angeles, Arc, CA Afterschool Network, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CCDAA, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, CA School-Age Consortium, CA Teaching Fellows Foundation, CalSac, EduCare Foundation, Fight Crime: Invest in Kids, LA's Best, and more	California Teachers Association	Introduced: 1/11/17 Amended: 4/4/17 Amended: 4/25/17 Amended: 5/26/17  In Assembly Committee on Education Hearing cancelled at author's request

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Died 2/1/18	SB 232 (Bates)	Would require the CA Department of Social Services (CDSS), in consultation with the County Welfare Directors Association (CWDA) to design and implement a 5 year <i>Parental Empowerment</i> Grant Pilot Project to provide monetary grants to organizations operating programs to assist CalWORKs recipients achieve economic independence. An organization receiving a grant may utilize the grant funds in any reasonable manner consistent with the program elements or other requirements established by CDSS, inclusive of housing, transportation, and child care expenses for program participants. The bill would appropriate \$50M from the General Fund for the effort.		Heidi Wettstein 916.651.4036 <a href="mailto:Heidi.Wettstein@sen.ca.gov">Heidi.Wettstein@sen.ca.gov</a>		Community Action Agency of Butte County, Inc., CWDA, LIUNA Locals 777 & 792. Solutions for Change, NASW-CA Chapter, Esplanade House Children's Fund		Introduced: 2/6/17 Amended: 3/14/17 Amended: 4/27/17  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
	SB 424 (Allen)	Would establish the California Regional Environmental Education Community Network under the direction and control of a 5-member governing board appointed for the purpose of facilitating the implementation of high quality environmental literacy in California public schools. <i>Would make implementation contingent upon the appropriation of funds in the annual Budget Act or another statute.</i> Limited to K-12 education.	Ten Strands			Audubon CA, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CA Black Health Network, CA Institute for Biodiversity, CA Pan-Ethnic Health Network, CALPIRG, Heal the Bay, & many more		Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 4/24/17 Amended: 5/26/17  In Assembly Committee on Education

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Died 2/1/18	SB 441 (Cannella)	Would provide that an AP Program that operates an <i>individual contract in an amount of less than \$3M, or a migrant AP Program that operates an individual contract in any dollar amount</i> , shall receive a base support reimbursement that does not exceed 22% of the total contract amount, <i>for each individual contract.</i>				CCDAA, Community Resources for Children, Go Kids, Inc, International Institute of Los Angeles, Siskiyou Child Care Council, Inc., Valley Oak Children Services		Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 3/21/17 Amended: 4/18/17  Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Died 2/1/18	SB 526 (Nielson)	Would make non-substantive changes to provisions pertaining to the licensing and regulation of community care facilities.						Introduced: 2/16/17  Committee on Rules
<b>NEW</b> 1	SB 837 (Dodd)	As a condition of receipt of apportionments for pupils in a transitional kindergarten (TK), beginning in the 2020–21 school year, would require progressively younger 4-year-old pupils to be admitted to TK maintained by a school district or charter school, until, in the 2022–23 school year and each school year thereafter, all 4-year-old pupils are admitted.						Introduced: 1/8/18  Committee on Education
<b>NEW</b>	SB 982 (Mitchell)	Expresses legislative intent to enact legislation relating to the CalWORKs grant and makes findings and declarations connecting poverty with child and family well-being.						Introduced: 2/1/18
	SCR 41 (Pan)	States Legislature's support for a Bill of Rights for the Children and Youth of California that resolves that all children and youth under 21 years old residing in CA to live in a just, safe and supportive society and are entitled specified rights.						Introduced: 4/18/17  Committee on Rules

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<b>California Budget Bills (including Trailer Bills)</b>								
	AB 1806 (Ting)	Budget Act of 2018						Introduced: 1/10/18 Corrected: 1/19/18 Committee on Budget
	SB 839 (Mitchell)	Budget Act of 2018						Introduced: 1/10/18 Corrected: 1/19/18 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review
		Omnibus Education Trailer Bill	(See <a href="http://www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/2018-19GBEducationOmnibusTrailerBill.pdf">http://www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/2018-19GBEducationOmnibusTrailerBill.pdf</a> ; pages 1-37 for early care and education items)					Posted: 1/30/18
		CalWORKs Home Visitation Initiative	(See <a href="http://www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/CalWORKsHomeVisitingInitiative.pdf">http://www.dof.ca.gov/budget/Trailer_Bill_Language/documents/CalWORKsHomeVisitingInitiative.pdf</a> )					Posted: 1/30/18

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**KEY TO LEVEL OF INTEREST ON BILLS:**

- 1: Of potentially high interest to the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care.
- 2: Of moderate interest.
- 3: Of relatively low interest.

Watch: Of interest, however level of interest may change based on further information regarding author's or sponsor's intent and/or future amendments.

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**KEY:**

AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics	CTC	Commission on Teacher Credentialing
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union	CWDA	County Welfare Directors' Association
AFSCME:	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees	DDS	Department of Developmental Services
CAPPA	California Alternative Payment Program Association	DHS	Department of Health Services
CAEYC	California Association for the Education of Young Children	DOF	Department of Finance
CAFB	California Association of Food Banks	DMH	Department of Mental Health
CCCCA	California Child Care Coordinators Association	First 5 CA	First 5 Commission of California
CCRNR	California Child Care Resource and Referral Network	HHS	Health and Human Services Agency
CCDAA	California Child Development Administrators Association	LCC	League of California Cities
CDA	California Dental Association	LAC CPSS	Los Angeles County Commission for Public Social Services
CDE	California Department of Education	LACOE	Los Angeles County Office of Education
CDSS	California Department of Social Services	LAUSD	Los Angeles Unified School District
CFT	California Federation of Teachers	MALDEF	Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund
CFPA	California Food Policy Advocates	NASW	National Association of Social Workers
CHAC	California Hunger Action Coalition	NCYL	National Center for Youth Law
CIWC	California Immigrant Welfare Collaborative	PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
CSAC	California School-Age Consortium	SEIU	Service Employees International Union
CSAC	California State Association of Counties	SPI	Superintendent of Public Instruction
CTA	California Teachers Association	TCI	The Children's Initiative
CCALA	Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles	US DHHS	US Department of Health and Human Services
CCLC	Child Care Law Center	WCLP	Western Center on Law and Poverty
CDPI	Child Development Policy Institute		

**DEFINITIONS:<sup>2</sup>**

Committee on Rules	Bills are assigned to a Committee for hearing from here.
Consent Calendar	A set of non-controversial bills, grouped together and voted out of a committee or on the floor as a package.
First Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. The first reading of a bill occurs when it is introduced.
Held in Committee	Status of a bill that fails to receive sufficient affirmative votes to pass out of committee.
Held under Submission	Action taken by a committee when a bill is heard and there is an indication that the author and the committee members want to work on or discuss the bill further, but there is no motion for the bill to progress out of committee.
Inactive File	The portion of the Daily File containing legislation that is ready for floor consideration, but, for a variety of reasons, is dead or dormant. An author may move a bill to the inactive file, and move it off the inactive file at a later date. During the final weeks of the legislative session, measures may be moved there by the leadership as a method of encouraging authors to take up their bills promptly.
On File	A bill on the second or third reading file of the Assembly or Senate Daily File.
Second Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Second reading occurs after a bill has been reported to the floor from committee.
Spot Bill	A bill that proposes non-substantive amendments to a code section in a particular subject; introduced to assure that a bill will be available, subsequent to the deadline to introduce bills, for revision by amendments that are germane to the subject of the bill.
Third Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Third reading occurs when the measure is about to be taken up on the floor of either house for final passage.
Third Reading File	That portion of the Daily File listing the bills that is ready to be taken up for final passage.
Urgency Measure	A bill affecting the public peace, health, or safety, containing an urgency clause, and requiring a two-thirds vote for passage. An urgency bill becomes effective immediately upon enactment.
Urgency Clause	Section of bill stating that bill will take effect immediately upon enactment. A vote on the urgency clause, requiring a two-thirds vote in each house, must precede a vote on bill.
Enrollment	Bill has passed both Houses, House of origin has concurred with amendments (as needed), and bill is now on its way to the Governor's desk.

<sup>2</sup> Definitions are taken from the official site for California legislative information, Your Legislature, Glossary of Legislative Terms at [www.leginfo.ca.gov/guide.html#Appendix\\_B](http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/guide.html#Appendix_B).

### STATE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR 2018 (Tentative)<sup>3</sup>

January 1, 2018	Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
January 3, 2018	Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51(a)(4)).
January 10, 2018	Budget Bill must be submitted by Governor (Art. IV, Sec. 12(a)).
January 12, 2018	Last day for policy committees to hear and report to Fiscal Committee fiscal bills introduced in their house in the odd-numbered year (J.R. 61(b)(1)).
January 15, 2018	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed
January 19, 2018	Last day for any committee to hear and report to the Floor bills introduced in their house in 2015 (J.R. 61(b)(2)). Last day to submit bill requests to the Office of Legislative Counsel.
January 31, 2018	Last day to for each house to pass bills introduced in that house in the off-numbered year (J.R. 61(b)(3)). (Art. IV, Sec. 10(c)).
February 16, 2018	Last day for bills to be introduced (J.R. 61(a)(1), J.R. 54(a)).
February 19, 2018	President's Day Observed
March 22, 2018	Spring Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(1)).
March 30, 2018	Cesar Chavez Day observed.
April 2, 2018	Legislature reconvenes from Spring Recess (J.R. 51(b)(1)).
April 27, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report to fiscal committees fiscal bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(5)).
May 11, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor non-fiscal bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(6)).
May 18, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61(b)(7)).
May 25, 2018	Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report to the floor bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(8)). Last day for fiscal committees to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61(b)(9)).
May 28, 2018	Memorial Day observed.
May 29-June 1, 2018	Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(10)). This deadline APPLIES TO ALL bills, constitutional amendments and bills which would go into immediate effect pursuant to Section 8 of Article IV of the Constitution (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c); J.R. 61(i)).
June 1, 2018	Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house (J.R. 61(b)(11)).
June 4, 2018	Committee meetings may resume (J.R. 61(b)(12)).
June 15, 2018	Budget Bill must be passed by midnight (Art. IV, Sec. 12(c)(3)).
June 29, 2018	Last day for a legislative measure to qualify for the November 8 General election ballot (Election Code Sec. 9040).
July 4, 2018	Independence Day observed.
July 6, 2018	Last day for policy committees to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(a)(10)).
July 6, 2018	Summer recess begins at the end of this day's session, provided the Budget Bill has been passed (J.R. 51(b)(2)).
August 6, 2018	Legislature reconvenes from Summer Recess (J.R. 51(b)(2)).
August 17, 2018	Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(b)(14)).
August 20 – 31, 2018	Floor session only. No committees, other than conference committees and Rules Committee, may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(15)). This deadline APPLIES TO ALL bills, constitutional amendments and bills which would go into immediate effect pursuant to Section 8 of Article IV of the Constitution (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c); J.R. 61(i)).
August 24, 2018	Last day to amend bills on the floor (J.R. 61(b)(16)).
August 31, 2018	Last day for each house to pass bills, except bills that take effect immediately or bills in Extraordinary Session (Art. IV, Sec. 10(c), J.R. 61(b)(17)). Final Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(3)).
Sept 30, 2018	Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature on or before September. 11, 2016 and in the Governor's possession after September 1 (Art. IV, Sec. 10(b)(2)).

#### **2019**

- Jan. 1 Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
- Jan. 2 Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51 (a)(4)).

<sup>3</sup> California State Assembly. *2018 Legislative Deadlines*. Retrieved on January 8, 2018 from <http://assembly.ca.gov/legislativedeadlines>.

# LOCAL CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING COUNCIL UPDATES

Los Angeles County Child Care Planning Committee  
February 7, 2018



## BACKGROUND

- California Child Care Coordinators Association
  - Membership association of LPC Coordinators across the state
  - Meet quarterly, annual fall conference
  - No paid staff
  - Elected leadership drives agenda
  - Relationship with California Department of Education/Early Care and Education Division
  
- Recent Accomplishments
  - Development of LPC Learning Modules
  - Shaping public policy at state and local levels



## LPC LEARNING MODULES

- Partnership with Contra Costa County Office of Education with funding from the CDE
- Online training for LPC Coordinators to build capacity for meeting Ed Code and contractual responsibilities
- Other uses – council member orientations, ongoing training, and increase community and stakeholder awareness about the role and mandates of the LPC
- 10 Modules: LPC History and Structure, Promoting Collaboration, Facilitating and Convening Stakeholder Meetings, AB 212 Planning and Implementation, County Level Data Collection, Comprehensive Countywide Child Care Plan, Capacity Building and Coordination, Participation in Quality Improvement Initiatives, System Services Coordination, Advocacy, and Leadership



## SHAPING PUBLIC POLICY

- Public Policy Platform addressing issues of access, quality and workforce
- LPC Funding and Structure – advocating for restoration of funding
- LPC Individualized County Child Care Subsidy Plans
  - 12 Counties: [San Francisco](#), [San Mateo](#), Alameda, Santa Clara, Monterey, San Benito, Santa Cruz, San Diego, Solano, Contra Costa, Marin, Sonoma, Fresno
  - What about Los Angeles?? We need to know more...



# CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION/EARLY EDUCATION AND SUPPORT DIVISION PRIORITIES

- One System, One Voice
- Improving quality across the continuum of early learning and care settings with a strong focus on interactions, compensation, family strengthening, bilingualism, and full inclusion
- Quality Rating and Improvement System
- On-line modules: health and safety, R&R phone counselor and data collection efficiency project
- Developing and updating tools: best practices (homelessness, boys of color, foundations and guidelines)
- Coming – CTKSIP reallocation survey



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