



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

To: Interested Parties

From: DHS Office of Policy Development

Date: December 2, 2024

Subject: Proposed Amendment to Child Care Assistance Program Rules and Regulations

**RICR Title 218 – Rhode Island Department of Human Services
Chapter 20 – Individual and Family Support Programs
Part 4 – Child Care Assistance Program Rules and Regulations**

The Department of Human Services (DHS) hereby proposes to file a Direct Final Amendment to the Child Care Assistance Program Rules and Regulations to implement the following change:

Passage of the FY25 RI State Budget increased the CCAP income threshold for eligibility from 200% FPL to 261%FPL.

This amendment changes all references of 200% FPL to 261% FPL.

The Department does not expect this filing to be controversial and therefore a hearing will not be held. If no formal objection is received on or before January 1, 2025, the Department will file this Amendment and the Final Rule will take effect on this date.

This proposed rule is accessible on the R.I. Secretary of State website (<https://rules.sos.ri.gov/regulations/part/218-20-00-4>), on the Department of Human Services website (<https://dhs.ri.gov/regulations/proposed-rules-and-regulations>) or available in hard copy upon request (401-462-3015 or RI Relay, dial 711). All written objections should be sent to Tara Borges, Office of Policy Analysis, Research & Development, Department of Human Services, Hazard Bldg. 1st Fl., 74 West Road, Cranston, RI 02920 or DHS.PolicyFeedBack@dhs.ri.gov and must be received no later than 11:59 PM on January 1, 2025.

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