

PROCEDURE

Cancels: PRO 10.1.14.T Maintaining Non-Expiring Licenses

See also: POL 10.1.14; RCW 43.216; 110-300; 110-301

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PRO 10.1.14 MAINTAINING CHILD CARE NON-EXPIRING LICENSES (ANNUAL COMPLIANCE)

Action by: Action:

Support Staff

1. **Uses** WA Compass reports to check Annual Compliance Cases approaching their anniversary date.
2. **Sends** *DCYF 15-975 Declaration of Compliance Letter, DCYF 15-974 Declaration of Compliance (FH/CTR) or DCYF 15-978 Declaration of Compliance (SA)*, and either *DCYF 15-949 Family Home Child Care Background Checklist* or *DCYF 15-937 Child Care Center/School Age Background Checklist* to provider 90 calendar days prior to anniversary date.
 - 2a. If provider is on 2nd or 4th initial license, **creates** invoice *DCYF 15-921 Child Care License Fee Invoice* and **sends** to provider.
 - 2b. If provider is not issued an invoice and it doesn't appear in Financial Services Administration (FSA), **creates** invoice *DCYF 15-921 Child Care License Fee Invoice* and **sends** to provider.
 - 2c. If provider requests an invoice duplicate that does appear in FSA, **requests** duplicate invoice from Office of Financial Recovery (OFR) and **sends** to provider.
 - 2d. If provider is on 2nd or 4th initial license and will move to a non-expiring license, **provides** *DCYF 15-975 Declaration of Compliance Letter, DCYF 15-974 Declaration of Compliance (FH/CTR) or 15-978 Declaration of Compliance (SA)*, and either *DCYF 15-949 Family Home Child Care Background Checklist* or *DCYF 15-937 Child Care Center/School Age Background Checklist* before issuing non-expiring license, if applicable.
3. **Checks** vendor accounts receivable (VAR) for payment status for any outstanding fines.

- 3a. If payment received, notifies Supervisor and documents in WA Compass and **skips to step 5**.
- 3b. If payment not received, **notifies** Licensor and Supervisor.
- Supervisor
4. **Determines** if further action is needed.
- 4a. If closure is required, **skips to step 7**.
- 4b. If license will remain open, creates alternate plan with licensing staff for unpaid fines.
- Support Staff
5. **Confirms** and **enters** in WA Compass that background checks, fee and declaration of compliance are received 30 calendar days prior to anniversary date. [TSK 10.5.2 Verifying Background Checks](#)
- Support Staff /Licensor
- 5a. If annual compliance is incomplete or any fine payment is delinquent, **communicates** with provider to identify and request missing paperwork/payment before the anniversary date. **Documents** note in WA Compass.
- Licensor
6. **Reviews** annual paperwork for accuracy.
- 6a. If paperwork is complete, **stores** documents in licensing file.
- 6b. If annual compliance requirements for non-expiring license have not been met, **discusses** and **sends** closure approval in WA Compass to Supervisor.
- Supervisor
7. **Approves** closure of license if annual compliance not met by anniversary date.
- 7a. If closure is due to delinquent fine payment, **approves** closure of license.
- Licensing Staff
8. **Documents** the closure of the license in WA Compass.
9. **Completes** and **sends** *DCYF 15-920 Closed License* (annual compliance not met) or *DCYF 09-194 Expired Child Care License – Notice of Closed License Due To Unpaid Fines* to the provider.