

Broome County Department of Social Services, pursuant to 18 NYCRR § 407.10, invites the public to comment on a proposal to decrease the Child Care Subsidy family fee percentage from 35% to 25%. This change affects those individuals who qualify for and receive daycare subsidy from Broome County Department of Social Services. Qualified individuals will see a decrease in their family fee. We also propose to raise the maximum sleep time paid to providers from 5.5 hours to 6 hours and pay 10% more to licensed/registered providers who perform care during non-traditional hours. The public can review this portion of the Consolidated Services Plan and the proposed amendment to the Plan during regular business hours at the Broome County Department of Social Services Day Care Unit, 171 Front Street, Binghamton, NY 13905, Monday to Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please direct any comments to Peter L. Ames, Day Care Unit Supervisor, 607-778-2537 or peter.ames@dfa.state.ny.us. The public and service providers are invited to comment on the proposed plan amendment until October 24, 2014.