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Dear County Directors of Social Services and Local Purchasing Agencies

Letter Number:

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Attention:

Directors of County Departments of Social Services

Directors of Other Local Purchasing Agencies

Child Care Coordinators, Supervisors, and Managers

Other DSS Personnel who work with the Subsidized Child Care Assistance Program

Subject:

New Maximum Income Eligibility Limits

The purpose of this Dear County Director Letter is to communicate changes in the maximum gross monthly income limits for subsidized child care assistance. The new income eligibility limits will become effective April 1, 2017 and will be used to determine eligibility for families applying for assistance on or after April 1st. In addition, the revised limits apply to families currently receiving assistance whose annual redetermination of eligibility occurs on or after April 1, 2017. The new limits will also apply to families who report income changes on or after April 1st. These changes are captured in the attached chart.

If you have questions about the information in this letter, or other Subsidized Child Care Assistance Program questions, please contact dcdee.subsidy.policy.help@dhhs.nc.gov to reach technical assistance and policy consultation.

Sincerely,

Pamela L. Shue, Ed. D.

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Attachment

Federal Poverty Level & State Median Income Effective April 1, 2017

	133% FPL	200% FPL	85% SMI
Family Size	Monthly Income Limit	Monthly Income Limit	Monthly Income Limit
1	\$1,337	\$2,010	\$2,578
2	\$1,800	\$2,707	\$3,372
3	\$2,263	\$3,403	\$4,165
4	\$2,727	\$4,100	\$4,958
5	\$3,190	\$4,797	\$5,752
6	\$3,653	\$5,493	\$6,545
7	\$4,116	\$6,190	\$6,694
8	\$4,580	\$6,887	\$6,843
9	\$5,043	\$7,583	\$6,991
10	\$5,506	\$8,280	\$7,140
11	\$5,969	\$8,977	\$7,289
12	\$6,433	\$9,673	\$7,438
13	\$6,896	\$10,370	\$7,586
14	\$7,359	\$11,067	\$7,735
15	\$7,823	\$11,763	\$7,884
16	\$8,286	\$12,460	\$8,033
17	\$8,749	\$13,157	\$8,181
18	\$9,212	\$13,853	\$8,330