



State of Wisconsin
2023 - 2024 LEGISLATURE

LRB-1585/P3
EAW:cdc

DOA:.....Rice, BB0408 - Early childhood education center

FOR 2023-2025 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

AN ACT ...; relating to: the budget.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

CHILDREN

Early childhood education center

The bill requires DCF to provide \$1,680,000 to Wellpoint Care Network to establish an early childhood education center in the city of Milwaukee.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 20.437 (2) (fm) of the statutes is created to read:

20.437 (2) (fm) *Early childhood education center.* Biennially, the amounts in the schedule for payments under 2023 Wisconsin Act ... (this act), section 9106 (1).

***NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

SECTION 2. 20.437 (2) (fm) of the statutes, as affected by 2023 Wisconsin Act (this act), is repealed.

****NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

SECTION 3. 49.175 (1) (qm) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.175 (1) (qm) *Quality care for quality kids.* For the child care quality improvement activities specified in ss. 49.155 (1g) and 49.257, ~~\$16,683,700 in each fiscal year and the establishment of an early childhood education center under 2023 Wisconsin Act ... (this act), section 9106 (1), \$42,850,900 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$42,647,700 in fiscal year 2024-25.~~

****NOTE: This is reconciled s. 49.175 (1) (qm). This SECTION has been affected by drafts with the following LRB numbers: 1600/P4 and 1585/P2.

SECTION 9106. Nonstatutory provisions; Children and Families.

(1) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTER. From the appropriation account under s. 20.437 (2) (fm) and the allocation under s. 49.175 (1) (qm), the department of children and families shall provide \$1,680,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 to Wellpoint Care Network to establish an early childhood education center in the city of Milwaukee.

SECTION 9406. Effective dates; Children and Families.

(1) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTER. The repeal of s. 20.437 (2) (fm) takes effect on July 1, 2025.

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