

3301-32-06.1**Pandemic requirements for a licensed school child program.**

- (A) Notwithstanding Chapter 3301-32 of the Administrative Code, the program shall comply with rule 5101:2-12-02.2 of the Administrative Code.
- (B) Upon notice to the department, any program licensed under this chapter of the Administrative Code may operate during days or hours that children are participating in remote learning.
- (C) Notwithstanding chapter 3301-32 of the Administrative Code, a school district board of education, county board of developmental disabilities, community school, or eligible nonpublic school may apply to the department for a temporary pandemic school child program license. A program that is licensed under this rule may accept state or federal funds specified for school child are in accordance with rule 3301-32-11 of the Administrative Code. To be issued and to maintain a temporary pandemic school child program license, an applicant must comply with rule 5101:2-12-02.3 of the Administrative Code.
- (D) For the purposes of this rule, any reference in rule 5101:2-12-02.2 or 5101:2-12-02.3 of the Administrative Code that requires notice to the department of job and family services shall be construed as requiring notice to the department of education, with the following exception:
- (1) If an administrator, employee, or child care staff member employed by the center or a child enrolled in the school child program tests positive for COVID-19, the program shall notify the Ohio department of health in accordance with the director of health order requiring reporting and notification regarding COVID-19 cases in kindergarten through twelfth grade schools.
- (E) If an administrator, employee, or child care staff member employed by the school child program or a child enrolled in the program tests positive for COVID-19, the program shall notify the Ohio department of education by sending the program name to OELSR.licensing@education.ohio.gov.

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