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Dear Exempt and Informal Child Care Providers:

As a co-administrator of the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) in Georgia, I invite you to participate in a webinar next week being held exclusively to outline the CCDF monitoring requirements for your type of child care program.

As we have previously explained, the Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG) Act of 2014 requires that DECAL conduct monitoring visits to exempt and informal child care providers receiving subsidy payments through the CAPS program.

The webinar will provide you with an overview of what to expect during these monitoring visits by DECAL's Child Care Services (CCS) staff. We will also share the monitoring checklists that CCS consultants will use when visiting your program.

Below is the date, time, and registration link for this informational webinar:

Title: CCDF Monitoring Visits: Overview for Exempt Programs and Informal Caregivers

Date: Monday, May 22, 2017 **Time:** 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM EST

Click on the link below to register for the webinar.

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6223707886388517890

Share this information about the webinar with any staff members you want to hear the important details about these new requirements.

We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about the monitoring plan required by the CCDF reauthorization. Our desire is to prepare and support you as you continue to provide much needed services to Georgia's youngest citizens and their families.

Sincerely,

Kristie Lewis

Assistant Commissioner for Child Care Services