Office of Early Childhood and Out-of-School Learning

Grace Period Policy,

Policy is in place to ensure that providers who have families that are homeless, or part of the foster care system have a grace period to provide medical (child physical), birth certificates and immunization information to the child care program.

A licensed child care center, licensed home, unlicensed registered ministry, and a legally license exempt provider may allow a 90 day grace period to receive immunization records and birth certificates if the child's file contains a signed parent/guardian statement indicating that the family is homeless

(658E(c)(2)(I)(i)(I); 98.41(a)(1)(i)(C)).