

Education Committee

Tuesday, January 7, 2014

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

102 HOB

Action Packet

Will Weatherford
Speaker

H. Marlene O'Toole
Chair

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Education Committee

1/7/2014 1:00:00PM

Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Summary: No Bills Considered

Committee meeting was reported out: Tuesday, January 07, 2014 4:05:57PM

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
H. Marlene O'Toole (Chair)	X		
Janet Adkins	X		
Michael Bileca	X		
Mark Danish	X		
Manny Diaz, Jr.	X		
Reggie Fullwood	X		
James Grant	X		
Travis Hutson	X		
Charles McBurney	X		
Jeanette Nuñez	X		
W. Keith Perry	X		
Kathleen Peters	X		
Elizabeth Porter	X		
Betty Reed	X		
Joe Saunders	X		
Cynthia Stafford	X		
Victor Torres, Jr.	X		
Carl Zimmermann	X		
Totals:	18	0	0

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Presentation/Workshop/Other Business Appearances:

Absenteeism and Truancy

Tappen, Mary Jane (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Florida Department of Education
325 W. Gaines St.
Tallahassee FL 32399
Phone: 850-245-0509

Absenteeism and Truancy

Fletcher, Jane (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Florida Department of Education
325 W. Gaines St.
Tallahassee FL 32399
Phone: 850-245-0429

Attendance

LaFountain, Jeanne (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Lee County School District-Early Childhood Learning Services
3650 Michigan Avenue, Suite 4
Fort Myers FL 33916
Phone: 239-332-2512

Attendance

Goff, Shan (Lobbyist) (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Office of Early Learning
250 Marriot Drive
Tallahassee Florida 32312
Phone: 850-717-8564

Attendance

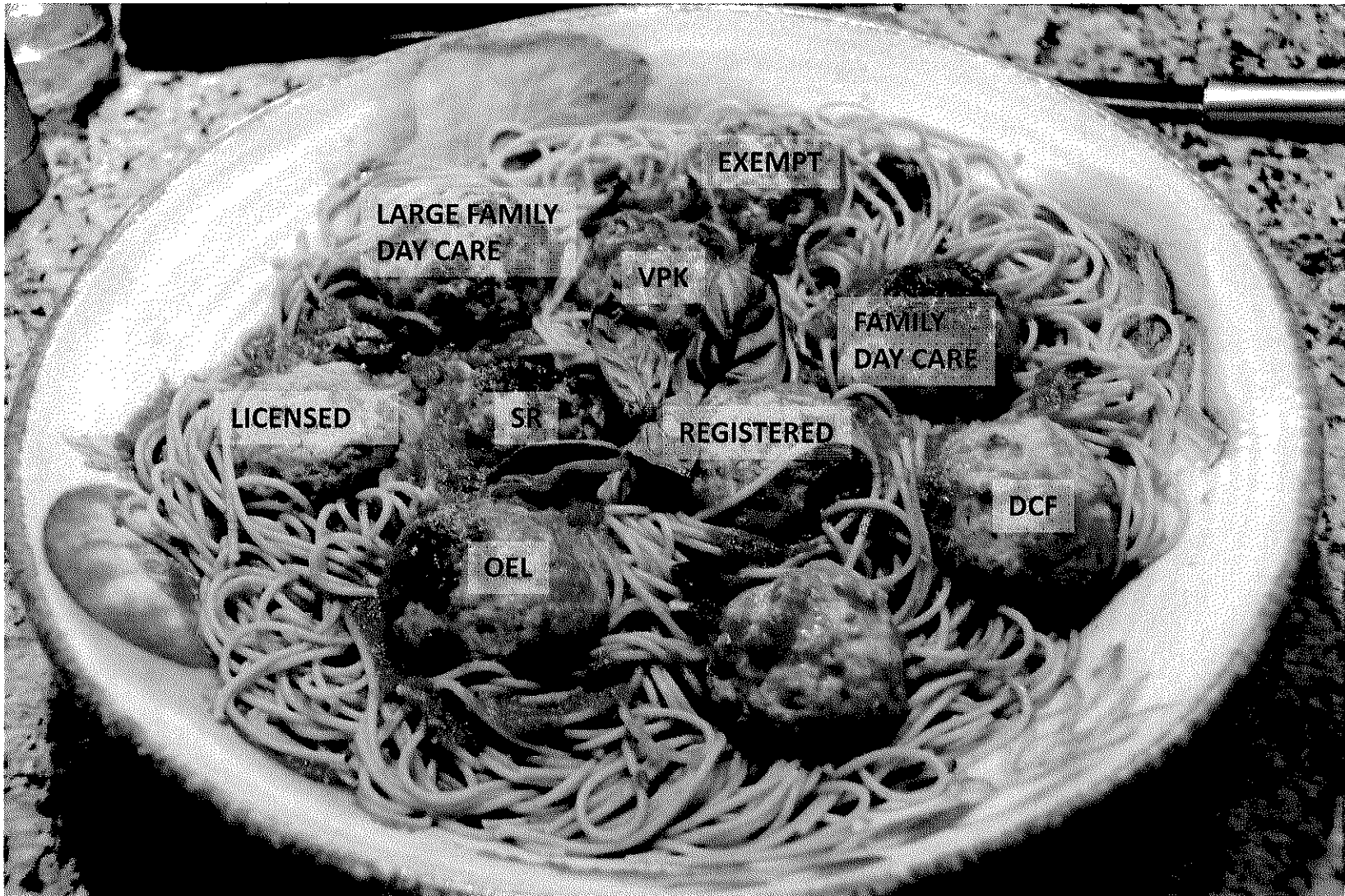
Fothergill, Sue (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Attendanceworks.org

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Kindergarten Student Absences

	Percentage of Students		
	All Students	Free/ Reduced Lunch	Not – Free/Reduced Lunch
Students Absent 21 or More Days	10%	7%	3%
Students Absent 18 or More Days (10% of the School Year)	14%	10%	4%

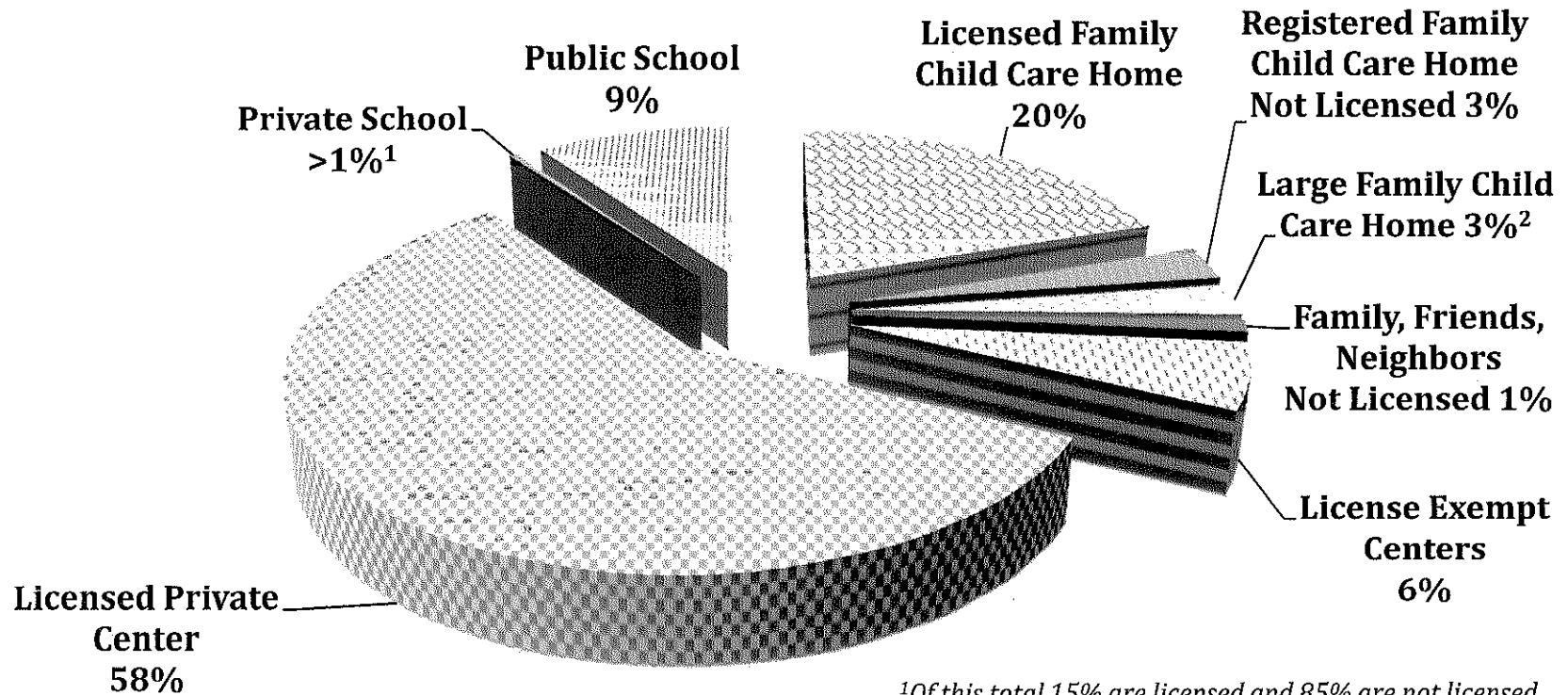
Parents can choose from different types of providers, but are they all the same?



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School Readiness Providers by Type 2012-2013

9,818 Total Providers



¹Of this total 15% are licensed and 85% are not licensed.

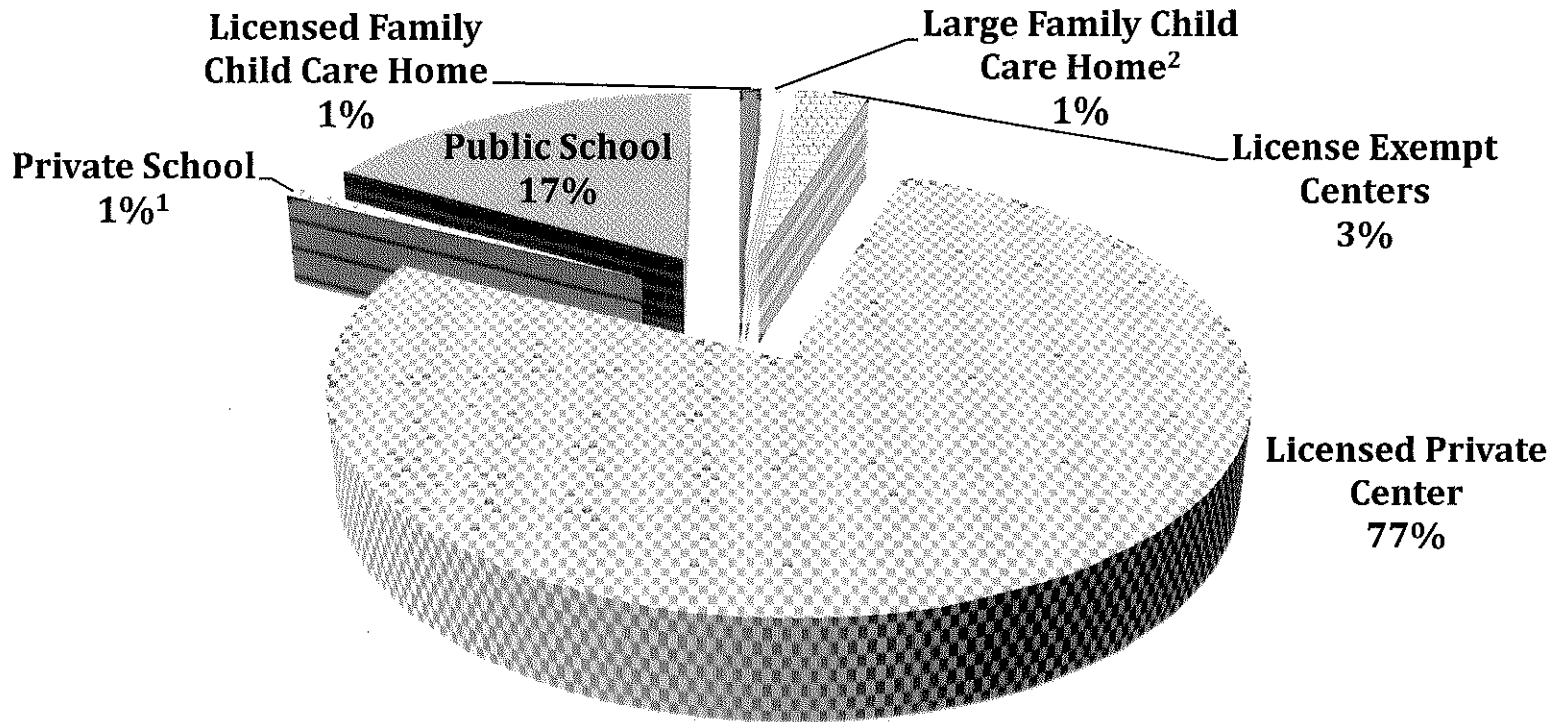
²Of this total 82% are licensed and 18% are not licensed.

Source: Consolidated Database as of July 2013.
The numbers for 2012-2013 will be finalized December 31, 2013.



VPK Providers by Type 2012-2013

6,421 Total Providers



¹Of this total 15% are licensed and 85% are not licensed.

²Of this total 75% are licensed and 25% are not licensed.

Source: Consolidated Database as of July 2013.

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PROVIDER COUNTS FROM DCF AND OEL

Child Care Facilities (Licensed)	Family Day Care Home (Licensed)	Large Family Child Care Home (Licensed)	Family Day Care Home (Registered)
<p>6,784</p> <p>SR: 5,677 (58%)</p> <p>VPK: 4,981 (77%)</p>	<p>2,941</p> <p>SR: 1,941 (20%)</p> <p>VPK: 58 (1%)</p>	<p>429</p> <p>SR: 267 (3%)</p> <p>VPK: 53 (1%)</p>	<p>1,037</p> <p>SR: 284 (3%)</p> <p>VPK: N/A</p>
Religious Exempt (Exempt)	Public and Non-Public Schools (Exempt)	Informal Child Care	
<p>455</p> <p>SR: 177 (2%)</p> <p>VPK: 160 (2%)</p>	<p>1,841</p> <p>SR: 977 (10%)</p> <p>VPK: 1,126 (18%)</p>	<p>0</p> <p>SR: 105 (1%)</p> <p>VPK: N/A</p>	

**SR: FY12-13*

**VPK: PY12-13*

BROAD CATEGORIES OF HEALTH & SAFETY STANDARDS

Health and Safety Standards	Child Care Facility	Large Family Child Care Home	Licensed Family Day Care Home	Registered Family Day Care Home	Religious Exempt	Public/ Nonpublic Schools	Informal Provider
Licensure	✓	✓	✓				
Background Screening	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ Level 1
Age Requirements	✓ (21)(16)	✓ (21)	✓ (18)				
Supervision	✓	✓	✓				
Transportation	✓	✓	✓				
Child Discipline	✓	✓	✓				
Access	✓	✓	✓				
Maintain Attendance	✓						
Planned Activities	✓	✓	✓				
Child Discipline	✓	✓	✓				
Physical Environment	✓	✓	✓				
Outdoor Play Area	✓	✓	✓				
Square footage/Space	✓	✓					
Cribs, Bedding and Linens	✓	✓	✓				
Diapering Standards	✓	✓	✓				
First Aid/CPR	✓	✓	✓				
Indoor/Outdoor Equipment	✓	✓	✓				
Immunizations/Physicals	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Fire Drills and Emergency Preparedness	✓	✓	✓				
Fire Inspections	✓	✓			✓	✓	
Credentials (Director/Staff)	✓ (DC/SC)	✓ (SC)					
Training	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
Literacy Training	✓	✓	✓				
Food Hygiene/Nutrition	✓	✓	✓				
Enforcement	✓	✓	✓				
On-site Inspections	✓	✓	✓				
Self Attestation/Checklist				✓			