



City of Detroit Detroit City Council

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Memorandum

TO: David Whitaker, Legislative Policy Division
THROUGH: Mary Sheffield, City Council President
FROM: Mary Waters, Councilmember At-Large
RE: Memo – Questions on Mandating Training for Child Care Center Owners and Workers in Detroit

Please investigate the legalities around the City of Detroit instituting an ordinance which mandates that all childcare facilities in the City of Detroit (currently operating and new ones) have their owners and all workers obtain certifications from the Childcare Accelerator Institute to ensure quality and operational excellence. Please identify any existing statutes such an ordinance may conflict with, if any, at the local, state, or federal level.

Thank you.