

VERIFICATION OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
FOR THE
CHILD CARE PAYMENT PROGRAM

NAME OF CUSTODIAL PARENT: _____

SOCIAL SECURITY NO. OF CUSTODIAL PARENT: _____

I am applying for child care subsidy. I understand that per Mississippi law, I am required to cooperate with MDHS Division of Child Support Enforcement in order to be eligible for assistance.

PLEASE ONLY LIST CHILDREN WHO NEED CHILD CARE SUBSIDY ASSISTANCE		
Child's Name	Child Support case is open with MDHS Division of Child Support Enforcement (check if this is true)	I do not currently have an open Child Support Case (check if this is true)
1.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- A. If either or zero biological parents are NOT living in the same household with the child, parents/guardians are required to have an open child support case in order to receive child care subsidy.
- B. If no child support case is open, parents MUST contact their local MDHS Division of Child Support Enforcement Office to make an appointment to open a case. NOTE: This requirement INCLUDES cases in which parents have an existing court-ordered child support agreement. Mississippi law states that ALL child support cases must be handled through MDHS Division of Child Support Enforcement.
- C. In some cases, MDHS Division of Child Support can provide documentation that parents are excused from cooperating with Child Support. (This is typically due to a CS case being closed because the absent parent could not be located.) The statement from a CS officer should name the child or children and should be signed, dated, and include the official stamp of the county office.
- D. In some cases in which pursuing Child Support would place either the custodial parent or the child in physical, emotional, or mental danger DECCD may waive this requirement. If this applies to you, please contact DECCD for instructions.