

**142B.67 CHILD CARE CENTER HIRING PRACTICES.**

As part of the employment assessment process, a child care center license holder or staff person may observe how a prospective employee interacts with children in the licensed facility. The prospective employee is not considered a child care background study subject under section 245C.02, subdivision 6a, provided the prospective employee is under continuous direct supervision by a staff person when the prospective employee has physical access to a child served by the center. The observation period shall not be longer than two hours, and a prospective employee must not be counted in staff-to-child ratios.

**History:** 2023 c 70 art 8 s 26; 2024 c 80 art 2 s 74; 2024 c 115 art 16 s 41