



NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT
OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

New Jersey Department of Children and Families Policy Manual

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| Section | 1 | Purpose (N.J.A.C. 10:122B-1.1) | |

§10:122B-1.1 Purpose

(a) The purpose of this chapter is to state:

1. The definitions of certain words and terms used in this chapter and N.J.A.C. 10:122C, 10:122D, and 10:122E;
2. The Division's non-discrimination policy regarding resource parent applicants, resource parents, and children in placement;
3. When and how services to children in placement may be limited;
4. The circumstances under which a Department employee, household member, or relative can become a resource parent;
5. The Division's responsibilities for completing the home study process;
6. The Division's and contract agencies' responsibilities to the resource parent;
7. When a resource parent applicant can be reimbursed for a physical examination and other expenses incurred related to becoming a licensed resource parent;
8. How the Division approves and pays for child care when the resource parent is working; and
9. The Division's pre-service training program.

(b) The purpose of this chapter, N.J.A.C. 10:122C, 10:122D, and 10:122E does not:

1. Create an employer/employee relationship between the Division and a licensed resource parent; or
2. Create any right to be a resource parent, apart from that which may exist under statute or case law.

