

The parents of the children enrolled at Chiquitines Family Child Care have benefited greatly from the timely assistance of the fund on different occasions. Such as when the assistance offered by Dane county has changed the authorization, reducing the amount paid by the County and increasing family co pays, which is very difficult for families to pay, since their income does not increase by much and their family budget remains the same. The fund has also helped families that have had a decrease in their income, such as work hours being cut back, or there has been an emergency that affects their budget. Other families simply can't pay a co pay, so we use the Stabilization funds to help these families as well.

Chiquitines Family Child Care is very grateful for the valuable assistance of the Stabilization Fund and hopes to benefit from it during 2009. It would be of great significance to the families in our community to count on the Stabilization Fund and that the money assigned to the fund be increased, so that we may continue helping the children in our program.

We appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Family Child Care Provider