

- (7) Early Childhood Care and Education Committee.
- (a) There is hereby created an Early Childhood Care and Education Committee as a committee of the Committee to serve as an advisory body to the Committee and the Office of Community Services on the operation of the Madison Day Care Program. (Am. by Ord. 12,806, Adopted 4-3-01)
 - (b) The Early Childhood Care and Education Committee shall consist of eleven (11) members with experience and/or expertise necessary for proper performance of the duties assigned; two (2) members shall be specialists in the field of child care; eight (8) members shall be other citizen members to include one (1) member who is a day care service consumer and one (1) member who is a day care worker; and one (1) Alderperson. (Am. by Ord. 12,504, 11-19-99; Ord. 12,806, Adopted 4-3-01; Ord. 13,161, 10-8-02)
 - (c) Members shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Common Council to three (3) year terms with the exception of the Alderperson whose term shall expire with the expiration of their term as alderperson. All Committee members shall serve without compensation. All terms shall commence on the first (1st) day of May, with the exception of the Alderperson, whose term shall begin on the third Tuesday in April. Initial appointments shall be one (1), two (2) and three (3) years, respectively, for the child care specialists; one (1) year for two (2) members; two (2) years for two members; and three (3) years for one (1) member of the other five (5) citizen members; and one (1) year for the Alderperson. Members terms shall automatically be terminated when the member no longer meets the requirements set forth in Section 33.16(7)(b). (Am. by Ord. 13.161, 10-8-02; Ord. 13,206, 12-10-02)
 - (d) The committee members shall choose from among their citizen members a chairperson and vice chairperson. The Community Services Supervisor or his/her designee shall serve as secretary to the committee. (Am. by Ord. 8099, 8-12-83)
 - (e) It shall be the general duty of the Early Childhood Care and Education Committee to advise and make recommendations to the Committee and the Office of Community Services on policy and guidelines for the Madison Day Care program. Those duties shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - 1. Evaluation of programs and assessment of community needs;
 - 2. Eligibility criteria for approved Day Care Centers;
 - 3. Eligibility criteria for tuition aid;
 - 4. Eligibility criteria for grants and loans; and
 - 5. Implementation of the Day Care Program.(Am. by ORD-09-00052, Pub. 4-2-09, Eff. 8-1-09)
 - (f) The Committee shall conduct hearings and make determinations in appeals from actions of the Community Services Supervisor pursuant to Section 3.12(10)(c)3.e. of these ordinances. (Am. by Ord. 8099, 8-12-83)
- (Am. by ORD-09-00052, Pub. 4-2-09, Eff. 8-1-09)