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## **TASK OUTLINE**

Cancels: TSK 10.1.8.T Conducting Monitoring Visits

See also: POL 10.1.8 (E); TSK 10.1.8B (E); TSK 10.1.8C (E); RCW 43.216; 110-300; 110-301

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## TSK 10.1.8A (E) CONDUCTING EMERGENCY CHILD CARE MONITORING VISITS

In order to conduct a child care monitoring visit, the Licensing Staff:

- 1. **Reviews** assigned case load with Supervisor and **discusses** plan for completion.
  - If a second staff is assigned for virtual or health and safety verification visit, coordinates visit dates.
- 2. **Reviews** the following licensing information:
  - Last monitor visit date
  - Non-compliance history within previous three fiscal years
  - Valid complaints within previous 12 months
  - Previous compliance agreement completion
  - Previous inspection report completion
- 3. **Calls** to schedule virtual monitoring visit and determines platform to be used with provider. The virtual visit could be done through Facetime, or a video conferencing platform such as Zoom, Webex or others.
  - 3a. If provider is unwilling or unable to do a virtual visit, **staffs** with Supervisor and Area Administrator.
- 4. **Calls** and **initiates** a virtual visit per <u>TSK 10.1.8B (E) Conducting Child Care Virtual</u> Inspections before the annual due date (June 30<sup>th</sup>).
  - 4a. If provider is unavailable for visits, **staffs** with Supervisor to develop a plan for completing monitoring visit before June 30<sup>th</sup> due date.
  - 4b. If three failed attempts occur within a three month span prior to the June 30<sup>th</sup> due date, **consults** with Supervisor for plan of action.
- 5. Creates sub case per WA Compass User Manual
  - 5a. If there is a different Field Staff\*\* identified to complete the health and safety

verification visit, Virtual Staff\* **communicates** necessary information with Field Staff and **exits** procedure.

- 6. **Conducts** a health and safety verification visit per <u>TSK 10.1.8C Conducting</u> <u>Emergency Health and Safety Verification Visits to occur per leadership direction surrounding emergency circumstances.</u>
- 7. **Communicates** areas of assistance with Virtual Licensor.
  - 7a. If virtual licensor is not the case owner, **skips** to **step 8**.
- 8. **Reviews** any patterns of non-compliance or incomplete inspection reports/FLCAs with Supervisor. Any reviews will be conducted by the case owner's Supervisor.
- \*A Virtual Staff is a person who completes the virtual visit.
- \*\* A Field Staff is a person who completes on-site inspections.

Note: One staff person may do one or both parts of the virtual visit and on-site inspections.