



**Waiver Attachment
More Than Two under Twenty-four Months**

Waivers to exceed a total number of two children under the age of twenty-four months may only be granted to accommodate a sibling group in which there are more than two under twenty-four months in the same family.

- 1. An explanation of the sibling group dynamics which require that the total number of two infants be exceeded.

Comment [D1]: User enterable text field with underline for each of the questions.

- 2. Can the home physically accommodate the additional child/children? The accommodations should include a bed, adequate closet space, and room for personal possessions and adequate privacy. Is adequate transportation available for the increased number of children?

- 3. Can the substitute parents meet the needs of another child or children? Would appropriate adult supervision be available at all times when the children are in the home? Is help, relief, or other support available to the family? Is the family managing well with the children already in the home?

- 4. Will the addition of another child adversely affect the quality of care and safety being given to the children currently in the home?

- 5. Can the children already in placement in the home accept additional children? Are there any children already living in the home or being considered for placement in the home who are particularly vulnerable? Can those children be adequately protected?

This type of waiver requires that both the Placement Director, or designee, and CEO approve the waiver *prior* to placement. The waiver form should be submitted to the Placement Director within 48 hours of placement for signature and, then, the document is forwarded to the CEO for signature.

* Verbal approval obtained from Placement Director? yes no Date: _____

* Verbal approval obtained from CEO prior to placement? yes no Date: _____

Placement Specialist: _____