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Home Grown's Statement on the Biden-Harris Administration Executive Order to Improve Care in History

Home Grown, a national collaborative of funders committed to improving the quality of and access to home-based child care, applauds President Biden's Executive Order with more than 50 directives across the federal government agencies to expand access to care and provide support for care workers.

Care is crucial to the economy, and we know how critical home-based child care is to children, families and communities. For working families to do their best on the job, they need to know that their child is in a safe, loving, quality setting. We are excited to see children and child care in the context of family caregiving in the Executive Order. Family, friend and neighbor child care is the most used and least supported child care arrangement in the U.S. We look forward to continuing to explore this with the Administration.

We are glad the President is taking a broad view of the levers available, and the breadth of the departments that will be tasked with this work. There are many ways different parts of government can contribute to the solutions and we stand ready to help identify and implement those solutions.

We thank the President for continuing to prioritize child care and engaging in this way. We hope this can inspire Members of Congress and others to act boldly, prioritize this issue, and push for transformational investments nationwide.

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