

WAC Reference (originally came up for review)	Term & Definition	# in WAC	Notes	WAC 170-300-0005 definition and suggestion revisions
170-300-0100	Supervision: "Supervision should change to oversight/direction- or other- meaning they can be alone"	79	DEL creating new definitions for "supervision" and "active supervision"	<p>"Supervise" or "Supervision" see "Active Supervision"</p> <hr/> <p>"Active supervision" or "actively supervise" means focused attention and intentional observation of children at all times. An early learning provider must position themselves to observe all children: watching, counting, and listening at all times. They must also use their knowledge of each child's development and abilities to anticipate what a child may do, and get involved or redirect children if necessary. Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers must be supervised at all times including daily routines such as sleeping, eating, changing diapers, or using the bathroom.</p> <hr/> <p>DEL Licensors propose:</p> <p>Supervise or Supervision: When supervising children, an early learning provider must be able to see or hear the children they are responsible for at all times. Early learning providers must use their knowledge of each child's development and behavior to anticipate what may occur to prevent unsafe or unhealthy events or conduct, or to intervene in such circumstances as soon as possible. Early learning providers must also reposition themselves or the children to be aware of where children are and what they are doing at all</p>

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				<p>times. An early learning provider must reassess and adjust their supervision each time child care activities change. See “active supervision” for a heightened standard of care.</p> <p>Actively Supervise or Active Supervision: refers to a heightened standard of care to see and hear children at all times. Early learning providers must use their knowledge of each child’s development and behavior to anticipate what may occur to prevent unsafe or unhealthy events or conduct, or to intervene in such circumstances as soon as possible. Early learning providers must also reposition themselves or the children to be aware of where children are and what they are doing at all times. An early learning provider must reassess and adjust their supervision each time child care activities change.</p>
170-300-0010 (3)	Family Child Care: “The definition of family child care should be tightened up for clarity”	0	"Family home child care" has same meaning as "Family day care provider" in 43.215.010 (1)(c) .	“Family home early learning program” means an early learning program licensed by the department where a Family Home Licensee provides child care or education services for twelve or fewer children in the family living quarters where the Family Home Licensee resides as provided in RCW 43.215.010(1)(c) (“family day care provider”). “Family home early learning program licensee” or “Family Home Licensee” means an individual licensee authorized by the department to operate a family home early learning program within

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				the licensee's family living quarters.
170-300-0100 (8)	Volunteer:170-300-0100 (8); 0105 (2) as it relates to background clearances and supervision in 0111	35	DEL creating new definitions for "volunteer" per federal law	<p>"Volunteer" means any person who gratuitously provides labor or services to an early learning provider without compensation, financial reward, or consideration.</p> <hr/> <p>DEL tech rewrite to comply with federal law:</p> <p>"Volunteer" includes any person who provides labor or services to an early learning provider but is not compensated with employment pay or benefits. A volunteer must never have unsupervised access to a child unless the volunteer is the parent or guardian of that child, or an authorized person pursuant to WAC 170-300-0345(1)(c). "Unsupervised access" as used here has the same meaning as in WAC 170-06-0020.</p>
170-300-0100 (1) (b); (3) (b) (i); (5)(b) (i) 170-300-0111 (1) (b)	Dependably available	3	DEL is removing this definition and revised 0100 and 0111	
170-300-0111 (4)	Brief/Short period of time	1/0	Brief period of time was removed. Now, lower level employees may attend to personal needs (which is defined) without a time limit.	

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170-300-0120 (4)	Medication	109	Medication is interpreted as it's commonly understood throughout chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise. Plus, medication is not used in the section indicated.	
170-300-0130	Accessible	82	Both "accessible to children" and "inaccessible to children" are defined. Otherwise, the context and common understanding of this word is sufficient.	"Accessible to children" means items, areas, or materials of an early learning program that a child can reasonably reach, enter, use, or get to on their own. "Inaccessible to children" means a method to prevent a child from reasonably reaching, entering, using, or getting to items, areas, or materials of an early learning program.
170-300-0135	"If Available"	3	The context and common understanding of this word is sufficient.	
170-300-0145 (6)	Deter	1	The context and common understanding of this word is sufficient.	
170-300-0155	Screen Time	12	Screen time is defined and used consistently	"Screen time" means watching, using, or playing television, computers, video games, video or DVD players, mobile communication devices or similar devices.

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170-300-0165 (5) (a)	Tamper-resistant covers	4	The context makes the definition clear	
170-300-0190	Written Food Plans: DEL to look at definition of IEP- as the way it is written it appears the focus is food allergies. “A child with a medical, or behavioral health condition...” The definition should reflect all needs, not focus on food	7	The definition already complies with this request	“Individual Care Plan” a specific plan to meet the individual needs of a child with a food allergy, special dietary requirement due to a health condition, other special needs or circumstances.
170-300-0221 (2)	“diaper changing station” vs. “diaper changing area”	5/15	The difference between these two phrases is apparent in their use—a diaper changing area is a designated space where diapers are changed, and a diaper changing station is a particular piece of equipment upon which children have their diapers changed	
170-300-0235 (4)	Immediately	38	“Immediately” is to represent action taken at once. This is the common understanding of the word. Here action is triggered by test results indicating lead or	

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			copper are at or above the EPA action level.	
170-300-0240 (1) (e)	Guidelines for Mixing Bleach Solutions for Child Care and Similar Environments	1	A definition is not appropriate here, but DEL/DCYF can provide a link to DOH information on the agency website.	
170-300-0350 (1)	Water Activities: <u>“Water activities” refer to early learning program activities in which enrolled children swim or play in a body of water that poses a risk of drowning for children. Water activities do not include using sensory tables in an early learning program.</u>	16	Definition was added to 0350 and reached consensus at Nov NRM.	
170-300-0425 (3)	Anniversary Date: <u>The anniversary date is the date the first initial license was issued, pursuant to RCW</u>	6	Definition was added to 0425.	

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	<u>43.215.260.</u>			
170-300-0442	Technical Assistance: Add providing technical assistance in a providers own language to the definition of technical assistance	20	DEL guarantees procedural implementation of this provision and is committed to provide TA as required. Depending on availability of funding and resources, DEL will make every effort to offer TA in a provider's own language.	"Technical assistance" means a service provided to early learning providers by department staff or a contracted third party. The goal of technical assistance is to offer guidance, information, and resources to help a provider fully comply with the licensing requirements of chapters 43.215 RCW and 170-300 WAC. A
170-300-0460 170-300-0475	Incident	17	"Incident" means any event that seriously impacts or may seriously impact the health or safety of a child that is not a physical injury.	
170-300-0495 (1)	Consistent Care	15	Consistent Care is defined by context in 0495(1).	
170-300-0100	Organizational Classroom Support		This language is being eliminated; DEL Tech writers clarifying language without this phrase.	