

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 10-93
CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CABINET**

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Section 1(A) of Executive Order 10-93 is hereby amended to include the chief executive officer or his designee of the Free Library of Philadelphia as a member of the Children and Families Cabinet.

Edward G Rendell

Edward G. Rendell, Mayor

October 21, 1993

Date

(TO BE ATTACHED TO EXECUTIVE ORDER 10-93, ISSUED AUGUST 5, 1993)

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

Section 1(A) of Executive Order 10-93 is hereby amended to include the Chief Executive Officer of the Mayor's Commission on Literacy or his/her designee as a member of the Children and Families Cabinet and to remove the City Solicitor as a member of the Children and Families Cabinet.

May 16, 1996

Date

Edward G. Rendell

Edward G. Rendell, Mayor

(TO BE ATTACHED TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 10-93, ISSUED AUGUST 5, 1993)

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

Section 1(A) of Executive Order 10-93 is hereby amended to include the Commissioner of the Department of Licenses and Inspections or his/her designee as a member of the Children and Families Cabinet.

February 9, 1998

Date

Edward G. Rendell

Edward G. Rendell, Mayor

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CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CABINET

WHEREAS, the future of Philadelphia and the well-being of the City's 400,000 children are one; and

WHEREAS, the life prospects for children are enhanced and protected by supporting and strengthening families in the communities where they live; and

WHEREAS, many City agencies, departments, and quasi-governmental bodies are concerned with the quality of life for children and families; and

WHEREAS, there is currently no central organization to coordinate the work of these various agencies in responding to the needs of families and children.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Edward G. Rendell, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, in accordance with Section 3-100 of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter, do hereby order as follows:

SECTION 1. CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CABINET

A. There is hereby established a Children and Families Cabinet composed of the chief executive officers (or their designees) of the following City departments, offices, agencies, commissions, quasi-governmental agencies, and other governmental entities:

Department of Human Services
Department of Health
Department of Recreation
Philadelphia Housing Authority
Office of Housing and Community Development
Mayor's Office of Community Services
Office of Services to the Homeless and Adults
School District of Philadelphia
Fairmount Park Commission
Mayor's Office
City Council
Managing Director's Office
Common Pleas Court.

B. The Commissioner of the Department of Human Services will chair the Children and Families Cabinet. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to speak on behalf of the Mayor on all matters before the Children and Families Cabinet. The Department of Human Services shall provide administrative support for the Cabinet's operations.

SECTION 2. CHARGE OF THE CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CABINET

The Children and Families Cabinet will undertake, at a minimum, the following responsibilities:

A. Advise the Mayor on the initiation, development and implementation of policies and programs throughout City government to achieve the purposes and goals of this Executive Order.

B. Implement a five-year plan for children and families.

C. Implement the Administration's overall strategy for the nurturing and protection of children within their families.

D. Review the major funding sources, policy proposals and coordination of the activities of all City and City-related agencies providing services to children and families.

SECTION 3. ADVISORY COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

An Advisory Commission on Children and Families is hereby established to integrate the viewpoints and concerns of families, advocacy groups, the religious community, civic groups, and non-governmental family service-related agencies and organizations that share a commitment to the purpose of this Cabinet. The Mayor will appoint, as members of the Commission, individuals who have a record of leadership in implementation of services to children and families in their communities. The Commission will assist the Children and Families Cabinet in fulfilling the charge of this Executive Order by providing advice and counsel and through its support of the Cabinet's activities.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Order shall become effective immediately.

August 5, 1993
Date

Edward G. Rendell

Edward G. Rendell, Mayor