

## **Proposed Changes to the Federal Child Care and Development Block Grant**

Sen. Robert Casey (D-PA) has proposed amending the Child Care and Development Block Grant. The bill, entitled Starting Early, Starting Right Act amends the Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG) and recognizes that **affordable, high-quality child care helps children develop the skills they need** to be ready for school. The bill also helps families get ahead by giving parents the support and peace of mind they need to be productive at work. Visit the National Women's Law Center for more information and how you can support these efforts. [www.nwlc.org](http://www.nwlc.org)

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