

**238.17 Forms for registration and record — preservation and maintenance.**

1. The department shall prescribe forms for the registration and record of children cared for by any child-placing agency licensed under [this chapter](#) and for reports required by the department from the agencies.

2. If, for any reason, a child-placing agency ceases to exist, all records of registration and placement and all other records of any kind and character maintained by the child-placing agency shall be turned over to the department to be preserved and maintained by the department as a permanent record.

[C27, 31, 35, §3661-a74; C39, §**3661.088**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §238.17]

[2009 Acts, ch 133, §233](#); [2023 Acts, ch 19, §769](#)

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