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Memo

Date: July 8, 2026
To: Economic Development Committee
From: Nicolas J. Webb, Business Services Representative, DuPage Workforce Development Division
RE: Incumbent Worker Training Application – Easterseals DuPage & Fox Valley

Easterseals DuPage & Fox Valley is a large nonprofit, multidisciplinary pediatric outpatient medical rehabilitation service provider in the Chicagoland area with locations in Villa Park, Naperville and Elgin. They pediatric rehabilitation therapy and supportive services for children with developmental disabilities/delays, complex disabilities, or undiagnosed concerns.

They will be participating in two training programs: Foundations of DIR Theory and Foundations of DIR Practice. The DIR educators are in the field of medicine, mental health, education, health practices, technology and the creative arts.

Training in the field of autism treatment requires staff to understand the individual differences between children and adults with developmental challenges.

Notes:

- * Easterseals DuPage & Fox Valley — 130 Employees
- * Located in Villa Park, Illinois
- * Number of Incumbent Workers to be Trained: 3
- „* Total Amount Approved: \$7,950.00