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Written Statement: As a parent of a toddler I have been fortunate enough to find an amazing child care provider with the Stars program and have help to pay for that provider with the Best Beginnings Scholarship. Without the peace of mind, I have that our little girl is in great hands my husband and I would not be able to go to work and be productive every day. I chose my child care provider because they were a part of the Stars program. Seeing the sign saying they are a Stars to Quality provider lets me know that they have the ongoing training, and background to provide the high-quality care that I needed. Please continue to support the important work that the Early Childhood and Family Support Division does for the families of Montana.