The Netstudy 2.0 Background Study Process for New Applicants

<u>Step 1:</u> The *Data Collection* form:

- A Data Collection form must be *filled out by each individual* requiring a study.
- Enter the full Name and DOB on the form *exactly as it is shown on the ID* that will be used at the Fingerprinting Station.
- All communication from the DHS and our agency will be *sent via email* so it is important that <u>*each*</u> <u>*account has a separate email address*</u> listed and that account is checked frequently for the documents that are date sensitive.

<u>Step 2</u>: The *Notice of Privacy Practices* Form: Review this form completely.

- Step 3: ID verification of each Background Study subjects.
 - Adults Send us a *clear, colored copy of a Photo ID.*
 - ✓ A State Photo Driver's License
 - ✓ State-issued Photo ID
 - ✓ US Passport can be used
 - Minors, under the age of 18 MUST HAVE FULL FIRST & LAST NAME AND DOB ON ID!
 - ✓ Send us a *clear, colored copy of an ID*
 - ✓ A State Photo Driver's License
 - ✓ State-issued Photo ID
 - ✓ School ID card
 - ✓ School record or report card
 - ✓ Clinic record

Step 4: Return these two forms to our agency: Data Collection Forms, and a copy of an ID

Email: jhoese@carvercountymn.gov

Or send to: Carver County Child Care Licensing Health and Human Services Bldg. 602 East 4th Street Chaska, MN 55318

<u>Step</u> 5: The *Applicant Initiated Instruction* document:

- This document will be generated and be sent to the provider's e-mail address within 1-2 weeks.
- This form will describe how to *create an account in Netstudy 2.0 and enter data*.
- Each individual background study subject must *create a separate account*!
- There are Instructions on how to pay the \$44 Background Study Fee for each subject (for Minors \$20).
- Please contact us when you have completed the instructions on the form above.

Step 6: Fingerprinting:

- After the subject enters their data into the Netstudy 2.0 System *we will review & submit it.*
- The study subject will receive an email from IDEMIA/IdentoGo to Schedule a fingerprint appointment. This email will come from nobody@uemail.identogo.com with a subject line that reads: IdentoGo Service Confirmation – MN DHS Background Study. This will include an individual specific tracking number called a Universal Enrollment Identification (UE ID).
- Subject will then complete IDEMIA's pre-enrollment process online (this will replace the previous Fingerprint Authorization.)
- Schedule an appointment through IDEMIA/IdentoGO.
- What to take along to the *Fingerprinting Station*:
 - ✓ **Photo ID** used for Data Collection form (Name and DOB must match exactly what was on the form)

NOTE: Accounts set up for a minor will automatically be Name and Date of Birth based, not Fingerprint based.

However, if the minor meets any of the following requirements and they are required to be fingerprinted an e-mail will be sent and a *fingerprinting Fee of \$10.50* must be paid.

- They are employed by the childcare provider or supervise children served by the program; (must mark employed in the system.
- They currently live outside of Minnesota.
- They have lived outside of Minnesota at any time in the last five years;
- They have a Minnesota criminal record; or
- Information is received that the person may have a criminal record in another state.

FINGERPRINTING FEE: There is a Fingerprinting Fee of \$10.50 *** Cash is NOT accepted ***

The following payment types are accepted:

- Debit and credit cards
- Personal, business, and cashier's checks
- Money orders
- Authorization code from entities/providers.

EXPIRATION DATE: The subject must be fingerprinted and photographed at the Fingerprinting Station by the date listed in the e-mail from IDEMIA/IdentoGo.

<u>NOTE</u>: If the fingerprinting process is **<u>NOT completed by the expiration date</u>** the application will be removed from the system and the subject will have to start the process from the beginning, including paying all fees again.

Step 7: The subject will be notified via email of the Background Study results.