

Task Force on Child Care Members

Position	Representative
Department of Education and Early Development	Commissioner Heidi Teshner
Department of Health	Commissioner Heidi Hedberg – Chair
Department of Labor and Workforce Development	Acting Commissioner Cathy Munoz
One representative of a nonprofit that supports licensed child care programs	Stephanie Berglund
One representative of a licensed child care program	Jennifer Taylor
One representative of a faith-based or community-based child care program (including in-home programs)	Jennifer Patronas
One representative of a tribal child care programs	Bridie Trainor
One representative of a military child care program	Heather Weafer
One representative of a statewide organization representing business communities throughout Alaska	Kati Capozzi
One representative who is a local government official with experience developing local/community-based solutions to child care issues	Robert Barr
One representative of the general public who are parents who have navigated Alaska’s child care system	Matthew Bitinas
One representative from an organized labor group	Kim Hays
Alaska State Senate Ex-Officio	Senator Löki Tobin
Alaska House of Representatives Ex-officio	Representative Julie Coulombe
CCPO Representative	Based on topic