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SUBJECT: Policy FYI-476 | Name Change for the Office of Child Support Services (OCSS)

On December 19, 2025, the Administration for Children and Families published a notice in the [Federal Register, Volume 90, Number 242, Page 59525](#) to announce that the name of the Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) has been changed back to the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE). The change became effective upon completion of a Congressional notification period. Including the word “enforcement” in our office name demonstrates our commitment to ensuring that orders are enforced once they’re established. It also reiterates the child support enforcement program’s commitment and resolve to use all available resources to ensure compliance.

References to OCSS will be replaced with OCSE as we update these resources in phases:

- Website content
- Interface systems
- OMB-approved forms

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