Faculty Senate of the LSU Health Sciences Center – New Orleans Resolution 10-01 Daycare Resolution

Whereas: The state of adequate daycare facilities in the greater New Orleans region remains insufficient following Hurricane Katrina;

Whereas: At present, the LSU Health Sciences Center in New Orleans does not provide a daycare facility or daycare services for its faculty, staff, and students with small children;

Whereas: The need for such services has previously been delineated through representative bodies within LSUHSC-NO, including the Faculty Senate, not only to serve the needs of existing faculty, staff, and students but also to enhance the process of attracting future healthcare professionals to LSUHSC-NO who likewise have existing or anticipated needs for daycare services;

Whereas: At present, no definitive plan exists for the creation of a daycare facility or for the provision of daycare services for faculty, staff, and students of LSUHSC-New Orleans;

Be it resolved that the Faculty Senate of LSUHSC-NO on behalf of the faculty, unanimously support the creation of a daycare facility and/or the provision of daycare services for the faculty, staff, and students of LSUHSC-NO with small children.