

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

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CR-101 FILED TO SUPPORT HCBS AND MEDICAID REQUIREMENTS

Dear Administrators and Providers:

On August 22, 2024, the Department of Social and Health Services (department) filed a CR-101 under WSR 24-18-013 to make updates to comply with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid regulations related to Home and Community Based Settings in Adult Family Homes, Assisted Living Facilities, and Enhanced Services Facilities. Compliance with the regulations is necessary to administer the state's Medicaid funded Long-Term Services and Supports programs. The department may amend other rules as necessary.

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If you have any questions, please contact Sondra Haas, ESF Policy Program Manager at (360) 688-0715 or Sondra.Haas@dshs.wa.gov

Sincerely,

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