

Adult Foster Home Provider Alert

Policy updates, rule clarifications and announcements

Date: January 28th, 2022
To: APD Adult Foster Home Providers
From: Safety, Oversight and Quality Unit
Topic: **Portland State University (PSU) Questionnaire**



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Summary: Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS) asked the Institute on Aging at Portland State University (IOA-PSU) to collect information about adult foster homes (AFHs).

Your AFH might be one of 650 AFHs that were randomly selected from all AFHs in Oregon to complete a questionnaire mailed from IOA-PSU in December 2021. If you did not receive a questionnaire from PSU, you can ignore this alert.

The information that AFH owners provide helps us understand changes over time in resident needs and staffing levels, and how to achieve quality standards for AFHs and other Community-Based Care facilities. **ODHS requires the 650 randomly selected AFHs to complete the questionnaire and return it to PSU.**

The deadline for returning the questionnaire to IOA-PSU has been extended to February 11, 2022.

If you need another copy of the questionnaire, contact Jaclyn Winfree at cbcor@pdx.edu or 503-725-6563.

ODHS staff provided input on the questionnaire and they support this project. The prior AFH reports, along with reports about assisted living, residential care, and memory care communities, are available at <https://www.pdx.edu/ioa/oregon-community-based-care-project>.

If you have any questions, please email APD.AFHTeam@dhsosha.state.or.us