Information Memorandum Transmittal Aging and People with Disabilities



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<u>Topic</u> : Long Term Care	<u>Due date</u> :
Subject : Nursing Facility Contracts	
Applies to (check all that apply):	
☐ All DHS employees	County Mental Health Directors
Area Agencies on Aging: Type B	☐ Health Services
Aging and People with Disabilities	Office of Developmental
Self Sufficiency Programs	Disabilities Services (ODDS)
☐ County DD program managers	ODDS Children's Intensive In
☐ Support Service Brokerage Directors	Home Services
ODDS Children's Residential Services	☐ Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU)
☐ Child Welfare Programs	Other (please specify):

Message:

Aging and People with Disabilities (APD) Central Delivery Supports Unit has processed approximately 124 Nursing Facility (NF) Medicaid contracts with the Office of Contracts and Procurement (OC&P) over the past ten years.

After discussion with APD Leadership, Safety, Oversight and Quality (SOQ) Nursing Facility Licensing Team, Department of Justice, and Oregon Health Authority (OHA) Provider Services Unit it was agreed that Medicaid contracts are not required. Instead, we are moving to a provider enrollment agreement only, that process going forward will be as follows:

- o Central Delivery Supports Unit will terminate the existing Medicaid contracts by the end of 2022 and will ensure all NF provider enrollment agreements are active.
- o SOQ will coordinate with APD Administration to ensure provider tax payments are current via the Financial Review as part of any Change of Ownership (CHOW) or initial Medicaid certification application.
- SOQ will add new language in the online CHOW checklist to provide details on OHA Provider Enrollment process. Draft language:
 - Upon APD nursing facility licensing approval, the facility must complete the following forms to obtain a Medicaid provider number from OHA in

order to bill for Medicaid consumers:

- 1. The new applicant will complete OHA forms 3972, 3974, and 3975 and fax the completed forms to OHA Provider Enrollment at 503-378-3074.
- 2. Enrollment forms can be found here: https://www.oregon.gov/oha/hsd/ohp/pages/provider-enroll.aspx?wp2488=se:%22nursing+facility%22
- 3. New applicant will attach a copy of their APD nursing facility license.
- OHA ongoing NF revalidations will be completed every five years by OHA Provider Services. Provider Services will contact SOQ as needed for licensing and Medicaid certification information.
- Contact information for OHA provider enrollment can be obtained by contacting OHA Provider Enrollment at 800-336-6016 (option 6) or by email: provider.enrollment@odhsoha.oregon.gov
- o Questions regarding NF licensing can be sent to the Nursing Facility Licensing Unit email: NF.LICENSING@odhsoha.oregon.gov.

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