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Policy Transmittal

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Topic: Foster Care

Transmitting (check the box that best applies):

- New Policy
 Policy Change
 Policy Clarification
 Executive Letter
 Administrative Rule
 Manual Update
 Other: _____

Applies to (check all that apply):

- All DHS employees
 County Mental Health Directors
 Area Agencies on Aging
 Health Services
 Children, Adults and Families
 Seniors and People with Disabilities
 County DD Program Managers
 Other (please specify):

Policy/Rule Title:	Family Group Home Standards		
Policy/Rule Number(s):	II-B.2, OAR 413-200-0210 to 413-200-0220	Release No:	
Effective Date:	May 15, 2006	Expiration:	
References:	ORS 418.005, 418.635		
Web Address:	http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/manual_2/ii-b2.pdf		

Discussion/Interpretation: II-B.2 is being amended to incorporate language formerly part of I-E.4.2.1, Family Foster Group Homes, which will be deleted. OAR 413-200-0210 is amended to update terminology and indicate importance of safety as a purpose of the rule.

Implementation/Transition Instructions:

Training/Communication Plan: Child Welfare Program Managers will receive copies of revised rule at the June meeting. Contracted Family Group Homes will each receive a copy of revised rule by mail.

Local/Branch Action Required: Central Office will provide each branch who has an assigned Family Group Home liaison with an updated copy of II-B.2.

Central Office Action Required: No specific action required.

Field/Stakeholder review: Yes No

If yes, reviewed by: Rule revision workgroup and Child Welfare Policy Council.

Filing Instructions:

If you have any questions about this policy, contact:

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