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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):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Children, Adults and Families | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors and People with Disabilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |

Policy/Rule Title:

I-A.5.2 Contested Case Hearings
I-A.5.2.1 Contested Case Hearings Policy
I-B.1 Monitoring Child Safety
I-B.1.6 Enhanced Supervision
I-B.3.1 Developing and Monitoring the Case Plan
I-E.3.1 Placement Matching
I-E.4.1 Shelter Care
I-E.5.1 Payment for Family Foster Care, Base Rate, Shelter Care, Enhanced Shelter Care, Level of Care, Chafee Housing, and Independent Living Housing Subsidy
I-E.5.1.1 Payment Procedures
I-E.5.1.2 Personal Care Services
I-G.3.1 Adoption Assistance

Policy/Rule Number(s):	OAR 413-015-0100 thru 0125 OAR 413-080-0040 thru 0067 OAR 413-020-0200 thru 0255 OAR 413-040-0000 thru 0032 OAR 413-070-0600 thru -645 OAR 413-080-0000 thru 0030 OAR 413-090-0000 thru 0050 OAR 413-090-0100 thru 0210 OAR 413-130-0000 thru 0130	Release No:	
Effective Date:	December 29, 2009	Expiration:	
References:			
Web Address:	http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-a52.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/manual_1/i-a521.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-b1.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-b16.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-b31.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-e31.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-e41.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-e51.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-e512.pdf http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/drafts/2009/i-q31.pdf		

Discussion/Interpretation:

These rule changes are necessary to clarify and describe the Department's responsibilities for payments to certified families on behalf of an eligible child or young adult and responsibilities to ensure the appropriate level of care for enhanced supervision and personal care services are provided to eligible children and young adults in substitute care when living with a certified family.

These rules are draft rules available for comment until end of business on November 30, 2009, and will become permanent rules effective on December 29, 2009.

Implementation/Transition Instructions: The implementation of the rate redesign to a level of care system, and the redesign of Personal Care Services has been presented to all child welfare staff over the past year. Temporary rules have been in effect since 07/01/2009.

Training/Communication Plan: Ongoing program updates provided at regularly scheduled District Manager and Child Welfare Program Manager meetings, and Supervisor quarterlies. Ongoing technical assistance provided by the Foster Care Coordinators and Adoption Assistance Coordinators.

Local/Branch Action Required: Review draft rules and provide feedback.

Central Office Action Required: Receive and review feedback.

Field/Stakeholder review: Yes No

If yes, reviewed by: Child Welfare Policy Council and Rule Advisory Committee

Filing Instructions:

If you have any questions about this policy, contact:

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