

Section I

Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59G-1.058 Eligibility

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of Rule 59G-1.058, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), is to specify Florida Medicaid policies and provider responsibilities. The rule designates recipient eligibility coverage categories and provider requirements to be reimbursed for covered services rendered to Florida Medicaid recipients.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Eligibility.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 409.919 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.903 FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: August 30, 2017, 2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Virginia Hardcastle. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Virginia Hardcastle, Bureau of Medicaid Policy, 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 20, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407, telephone: (850)412-4685, e-mail: Virginia.Hardcastle@ahca.myflorida.com.

Please note that a preliminary draft of the reference material, if available, will be posted prior to the workshop at <http://ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/review/index.shtml>.

Official comments to be entered into the rule record will be received from the date of this notice until 5:00 p.m. August 31, 2017. Comments may be e-mailed to MedicaidRuleComments@ahca.myflorida.com. For general inquiries and questions about the rule, please contact the person specified above.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

59G-1.058 Eligibility

(1) Purpose. This rule specifies recipient eligibility requirements for Florida Medicaid covered services and applies to all providers rendering Florida Medicaid covered services to recipients.

(2) Eligibility Determination. The Department of Children and Families (DCF) and the Social Security Administration (SSA) determine recipient eligibility for Florida Medicaid in accordance with section 409.902, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Rule Chapter 65A-1, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

(a) Eligibility Determined by Qualified Designated Providers. Qualified designated providers determine presumptive eligibility for pregnant women (PEPW) in accordance with Rule 65A-1.704, F.A.C.

(b) Eligibility Determined by Qualified Hospitals.

1. Qualified hospitals enrolled in Florida Medicaid may make presumptive eligibility determinations for the following:

a. Pregnant women.

b. Infants and children under the age of 19 years.

c. Parents and other caretakers or relatives.

d. Former foster care children.

2. The presumptive period begins on the date the determination is made and ends on the earlier of the following:

a. The last day of the month following the month in which the determination of presumptive eligibility is made.

b. The date the eligibility determination for ongoing Florida Medicaid is made by DCF.

(3) Newborn Presumptive Eligibility. A newborn is deemed eligible for full Florida Medicaid covered services when the mother is eligible for Florida Medicaid on the date of the child's birth, unless the mother is eligible under the PEPW category.

(a) A pregnant recipient may obtain a Florida Medicaid identification (ID) number and Florida Medicaid ID card for her unborn child from DCF. The cards are issued as "baby of" plus the mother's name, and assigned a card control number that providers use to obtain the baby's Medicaid ID number. The baby's Florida Medicaid ID number will not be active until after the baby is born.

(b) Providers may request a Florida Medicaid ID number assignment for a newborn via a Medical Assistance Referral Form, CF-ES 2039, April 2003, incorporated by reference in Rule 65A-1.400, F.A.C., and available on the DCF Web site at <https://eds.myflfamilies.com/DCFFormsInternet/Search/DCFFormSearch.aspx>.

(c) Providers may activate a newborn's Florida Medicaid ID number by submitting a completed Unborn Activation Form, AHCA Form 5240-006, February 2017, incorporated by reference in Rule 59G-1.045, F.A.C., to the Florida Medicaid fiscal agent.

(4) Proof of Eligibility. Providers must verify recipient eligibility prior to rendering services.

(5) Recipient Does Not Have an ID Card. Providers may verify eligibility and render services if the recipient does not have an ID card.

(6) Card Not Proof of Eligibility. Possession of a Florida Medicaid ID card does not constitute proof of eligibility.

(7) Eligibility Program Codes - Also Known as Aid Categories. Florida Medicaid eligibility program codes indicate benefit coverage and limitations, as follows:

FLORIDA MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CODES ON THE FMMIS RECIPIENT SUBSYSTEM		
Code	Description	Coverage
5007	<u>Provides assistance with Medicare Part B coinsurance for persons not eligible for Florida Medicaid or QMB, who were diagnosed with cancer or received an organ transplant and were receiving drugs to treat these conditions in December 2005 under the Medically Needy program, who were and continue, to be eligible for Medicare. This is not a Florida Medicaid service; it is funded in full by general revenue.</u>	<u>Pharmaceutical Expense Program</u>
<u>MA I</u>	<u>Former Foster Care Children Up to Age 26</u>	<u>Full Medicaid, except institutional care</u>
<u>MA R</u>	<u>Parents and Caretakers</u>	
<u>MB C</u>	<u>Mary Brogan Breast and Cervical Cancer Program</u>	
<u>MCFE</u>	<u>IV-E Foster Care and Adoption Subsidy Medicaid</u>	
<u>MCFN</u>	<u>Non IV-E Foster Care, Adoption Subsidy and</u>	

FLORIDA MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CODES ON THE FMMIS RECIPIENT SUBSYSTEM		
Code	Description	Coverage
	<u>Emergency Shelter Medicaid</u>	<u>Full Medicaid, except institutional care (cont.)</u>
<u>ME C</u>	<u>Extended Medicaid Due to Alimony or Spousal Support</u>	
<u>ME I</u>	<u>Transitional Medicaid Due to Caretaker Income</u>	
<u>MH H</u>	<u>Stand Alone Hospice Medicaid</u>	
<u>MH M</u>	<u>Hospice Medicaid Supplemental to MEDS-AD (MM S)</u>	
<u>MH S</u>	<u>Hospice Medicaid Supplemental to SSI Medicaid (MS)</u>	
<u>MM C</u>	<u>MEDS for Children Born After 09-30-1983 (Through age 18)</u>	
<u>MM I</u>	<u>MEDS for Infants Under 1 Year Old</u>	
<u>MM P</u>	<u>MEDS for Pregnant Women</u>	
<u>MM S</u>	<u>MEDS for Aged and Disabled</u>	
<u>MM T</u>	<u>MEDS for Pregnant Women (Protected Eligibility)</u>	
<u>MN</u>	<u>Presumptively Eligible Newborn Medicaid (PEN)</u>	
<u>MO Y</u>	<u>Low Income Family Medicaid for Age 19-20</u>	
<u>MREI</u>	<u>RAP/CHEP Extended Medicaid for Earned Income</u>	
<u>MR R</u>	<u>RAP/CHEP Direct Assistance Medical Assistance</u>	
<u>MS</u>	<u>SSI Medicaid</u>	
<u>MT A</u>	<u>Protected Medicaid for Widows 1 and Children</u>	

FLORIDA MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CODES ON THE FMMIS RECIPIENT SUBSYSTEM		
Code	Description	Coverage
<u>MT C</u>	<u>Regular Protected Medicaid (COLA)</u>	
<u>MT D</u>	<u>Protected Medicaid for Disabled Adult Children</u>	
<u>MT W</u>	<u>Protected Medicaid for Widows II</u>	
<u>MX</u>	<u>Continuous Coverage for SSI child who loses SSI eligibility</u>	
<u>MK A</u>	<u>MediKids (Subsidized - \$15)</u>	<u>Full Medicaid, except institutional care. Must be enrolled in managed care to be eligible.</u>
<u>MK B</u>	<u>MediKids (Subsidized - \$20)</u>	
<u>MK C</u>	<u>MediKids (Full pay - \$157)</u>	
<u>MI A</u>	<u>Institutional Care Medicaid Supplemental to LIF Medicaid</u>	<u>Full Medicaid, including institutional care</u>
<u>MI I</u>	<u>Stand Alone Institutional Care Medicaid</u>	
<u>MI M</u>	<u>Institutional Care Medicaid Supplemental to MEDS-AD (MM S)</u>	
<u>MI S</u>	<u>Institutional Care Medicaid Supplemental to SSI Medicaid (MS)</u>	
<u>MI T</u>	<u>Institutional Care Medicaid Failed-Transfer of Assets</u>	
<u>MW A</u>	<u>Medicaid Waivers</u>	<u>Full Medicaid, including HCBS wavier services when enrolled in an HCBS wavier.</u>
<u>ML A</u>	<u>AFDC Related Emergency Medical</u>	<u>Limited to emergency care (emergency</u>

FLORIDA MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CODES ON THE FMMIS RECIPIENT SUBSYSTEM		
Code	Description	Coverage
	<u>Assistance for Noncitizens</u>	<u>inpatient, emergency labor and delivery, kidney dialysis) for non-qualified aliens</u>
<u>ML S</u>	<u>SSI Related Emergency Medical Assistance for Noncitizens</u>	
<u>NA R</u>	<u>Medically Needy for Parents, Caretakers and Children</u>	<u>Medically Needy Program</u> <u>Must meet Share of Cost. Eligibility is displayed in FMMIS on the date the recipient attains Florida Medicaid eligibility by meeting his or her share of cost, through the end of that month.</u>
<u>NCFN</u>	<u>Non IV-E Foster Care Medically Needy</u>	<u>Medically Needy Program (cont.)</u>
<u>NM P</u>	<u>MEDS for Pregnant Women Medically Needy</u>	
<u>NO Y</u>	<u>Medically Needy for Children Ages 19 thru 20</u>	
<u>NR R</u>	<u>RAP/CHEP Medically Needy</u>	<u>Eligible for all services except:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Assistive Care Services;</u> • <u>Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (ICF/IID);</u> • <u>Home and Community Based Services Waiver Programs;</u> • <u>Nursing Facility Services</u> • <u>Regional Perinatal Intensive Care Center Services;</u> • <u>State Mental Hospital Services; and</u> • <u>Statewide Inpatient</u>
<u>NS</u>	<u>SSI-related Medically Needy Covers aged, blind or disabled</u>	

FLORIDA MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CODES ON THE FMMIS RECIPIENT SUBSYSTEM		
Code	Description	Coverage
		<u>Psychiatric Program (SIPP) services.</u>
<u>NL A</u>	<u>Family-related Emergency Medical Assistance for Noncitizens Medically Needy</u>	<u>Limited to emergency care (emergency inpatient, emergency labor and delivery, kidney dialysis) for non-qualified aliens; must meet Share of Cost.</u>
<u>NL S</u>	<u>SSI-related Emergency Medical Assistance for Noncitizens Medically Needy</u>	
<u>FP</u>	<u>Family Planning Medicaid</u>	<u>Limited to family planning services for certain women</u>
<u>MU</u>	<u>Presumptive Eligibility for Pregnant Women</u>	<u>Limited to outpatient, office, transportation, and emergency room services. Does not cover inpatient or delivery services.</u>
<u>QMB</u>	<u>Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries</u>	<u>Limited to Medicare premiums, deductibles, and coinsurance</u>
<u>QMBR</u>	<u>Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (Renal Disease)</u>	
<u>QI1</u>	<u>Qualifying Individuals 1</u>	<u>Limited to Medicare Part B premium only</u>
<u>SLMB</u>	<u>Special Low Income Beneficiaries</u>	
<u>WD</u>	<u>Working Disabled</u>	<u>Limited to Medicare Part A premiums only</u>

Rulemaking Authority 409.919 FS. Law Implemented 409.903, FS. History-New _____.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

RULE NO.: 59G-4.251
 RULE TITLE: Prescribed Drugs Reimbursement Methodology

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the amendment to Rule 59G-4.251, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), is to add definitions and update the dispensing fee for prescribed drugs service providers. The amendment specifies the dispensing fee used in the calculation of the reimbursement methodology, and adds definitions to clarify terms referenced in the rule.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Prescribed Drugs Payment Methodology.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 409.919 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.906, 409.908, 409.912 FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: August 28, 2017, 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: Agency for Health Care Administration, 2727 Mahan Drive, Building 3, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kym Holcomb. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Kym Holcomb, Bureau of Medicaid Policy, 2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 20, Tallahassee, Florida 32308-5407, telephone: (850)412-4251 e-mail: Kym.Holcomb@ahca.myflorida.com.

Please note that a preliminary draft of the reference material, if available, will be posted prior to the workshop at <http://ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/review/index.shtml>.

Official comments to be entered into the rule record will be received until 5:00 p.m. on August 29, 2017 and may be e-mailed to MedicaidRuleComments@ahca.myflorida.com. For general inquiries and questions about the rule, please contact the person specified above.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

59G-4.251 Prescribed Drugs Reimbursement Methodology.

(1) This rule applies to all prescribed drug service providers enrolled in the Florida Medicaid program that provide

services under the fee-for-service delivery system in accordance with Rule 59G-4.250, F.A.C.

(2) Definitions.

(a) Actual Acquisition Cost for Prescribed Drugs – (AAC) – The National Average Drug Acquisition Cost (NADAC) will be used for the AAC, when available. If the NADAC is unavailable, the AAC will be equal to the wholesaler acquisition cost.

(b) Federal Upper Limit of Payment – (FUL) – The rate of payment established by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for multiple source drugs.

(c) State Maximum Allowable Cost – (SMAC) – The maximum allowable unit cost established by the state; SMAC may be manually set.

(d) Usual and Customary Charge – (UAC) – The average charge to all other members of the general public, paying cash, customers in any quarter for the same drug, quantity, and strength.

(e) Wholesaler Acquisition Cost – (WAC) – The cost wholesalers pay for a prescribed drug.

(3) Reimbursement Methodology.

(a) Florida Medicaid reimburses for covered drugs dispensed by an approved Florida Medicaid pharmacy provider, or a provider enrolled as a dispensing practitioner, in an amount not to exceed the lesser of:

1. The AAC plus a professional dispensing fee of \$10.24.
2. The WAC plus a professional dispensing fee of \$10.24.
3. The SMAC plus a professional dispensing fee of \$10.24.
4. The provider’s UAC.

(b) The above reimbursement methodology applies to all of the following:

1. Brand and generic drugs.
2. Specialty drugs dispensed primarily through the mail.
3. Drugs not purchased pursuant to the 340B program by a covered entity.
4. Drugs acquired via the Federal Supply Schedule (FSS).
5. Drugs acquired at a nominal price (except for drugs purchased through the 340B program or FSS).
6. Drugs dispensed in an institutional or long-term care pharmacy, when not included as part of an inpatient stay.
7. Drugs dispensed by a retail community pharmacy.
8. Drugs that are prohibited from generic substitution in accordance with Rule 64B16-27.500, Florida Administrative Code.

(4) Florida Medicaid reimburses for drugs purchased under the 340B program at the actual purchased drug price, not to exceed the 340B ceiling price, plus a dispensing fee of \$10.24. This provision applies to covered entities, outpatient facilities, Indian Health Services, tribal organizations and urban Indian pharmacies, and federally qualified health centers or their

contracted agents that dispense drugs purchased at prices authorized under section 340B of the Public Health Service Act.

(5) Florida Medicaid reimburses for clotting factor to the vendors awarded the state’s hemophilia contract at the negotiated price.

(6) Florida Medicaid reimburses for covered prescribed drugs administered by a licensed practitioner in an office setting at WAC.

(7) Florida Medicaid reimburses for covered prescribed drugs administered in an outpatient facility at WAC.

~~reimburses for services in accordance with the provisions of Title 42, Code of Federal Regulations, sections 447.512-.516. Reimbursement amounts shall not exceed the lesser of:~~

~~(a) The wholesaler acquisition cost (WAC) plus 1.5%, plus a dispensing fee of \$3.73.~~

~~(b) The federal upper limit (FUL) established by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, plus a dispensing fee of \$3.73.~~

~~(c) The state maximum allowable cost (SMAC), plus a dispensing fee of \$3.73.~~

~~(d) The provider’s usual and customary (U&C) charge, including the dispensing fee.~~

~~(e) The actual acquisition cost, plus a dispensing fee of \$7.50. This provision only applies to covered entities and federally qualified health centers or their contracted agents that dispense or administer drugs purchased at prices authorized under section 340B of the Public Health Service Act.~~

Rulemaking Authority 409.919 FS. Law Implemented 409.906, 409.908, 409.912 FS. History–New 1-28-09, Amended 8-23-09, 5-20-12, 6-2-16,_____.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

RULE NO.: 64B17-8.002 RULE TITLE: Requirements for Prevention of Medical Errors Education

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the development of a rule amendment to address requirements for prevention of medical errors education.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Update rule language regarding requirements for prevention of medical errors education to address a recent statutory amendment.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.013(7) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.013(7) FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Allen

Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy Practice, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255, Allen.Hall@flhealth.gov.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

RULE NO.: 64B17-9.001
 RULE TITLE: Continuing Education

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the development of a rule amendment to address continuing education.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Update rule language regarding continuing education.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.013(6), 486.025, 486.109(5) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.013(6), 486.109 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

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THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Workers' Compensation

RULE NOS:	RULE TITLES:
69L-7.020,	Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual
69L-7.100.	Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs)
69L-7.501	Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the changes being made to Rules 69L-7.020, 69L-7.100, and 69L-7.501, F.A.C., is to incorporate the 2017 versions of the Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual, the Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs), and the Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals. The manuals contain the updated lists of Maximum

Reimbursement Allowances for various medical services, as approved by the Three-Member Panel on April 19, 2017, pursuant to section 440.13(12)(a), Florida Statutes.

SUBJECT AREA: Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual, 2017 Edition; Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs), 2017 Edition; Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals, 2017 Edition.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 440.13(4), 440.13(12), 440.13(13), 440.13(13)(b), 440.13(14), 440.59, 440.591, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 440.13(7), (12), (13), (13)(b), (14), FS.

A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE, AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: Friday, August 25, 2017, 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. (Hospitals – 69L-7.501), 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (Ambulatory Surgical Centers – 69L-7.100), 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. (Health Care Providers – 69L-7.020).

PLACE: Hartman Building, Room 102, 2012 Capital Circle SE, Tallahassee, FL 32301

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Theresa Pugh, telephone: (850)413-1721, email: Theresa.Pugh@myfloridacfo.com.

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THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE: Theresa Pugh, Program Administrator – Medical Services Section, Bureau of Monitoring and Auditing, Division of Workers' Compensation, Department of Financial Services, address: 2012 Capital Circle SE, Tallahassee, FL 32399-4229, telephone: (850)413-1721, email: Theresa.Pugh@myfloridacfo.com. The text of the proposed rules is also available on the Department's website at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/GeneralCounsel/RuleWorkshopMeetings/default.asp>

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

69L-7.020 Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual.

(1) The Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual (HCP RM), 2017 ~~2016~~ Edition, ~~eff. mm-yy to become effective on July 1, 2017,~~

~~http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref_07685~~, is ~~incorporated~~ ~~adopted~~ by reference as part of this rule. The manual contains the Maximum Reimbursement Allowances (MRAs) determined by the Three-Member Panel, pursuant to subsection 440.13(12), F.S., and establishes reimbursement policies, guidelines, codes, and MRAs ~~maximum reimbursement allowances~~ for services and supplies provided by health care providers. Also, the manual includes reimbursement policies and payment methodologies for pharmacists and medical suppliers. The policies, procedures, principles, and standards in the HCP RM are in addition to the requirements and responsibilities established throughout Rule Chapter 69L-7, F.A.C., Workers' Compensation Medical Reimbursement and Utilization Review.

(2) The CPT® ~~2017~~ ~~2016~~ Current Procedural Terminology Professional Edition, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2015~~, American Medical Association; the CDT-~~2017~~ ~~2016~~, Dental Procedure Codes, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2015~~, American Dental Association; and, in part, for D codes and for injectable J codes, and for other medical services and supply codes, the "~~2017~~ ~~2016~~ HCPCS Level II Professional Edition," American Medical Association, Copyright ~~2017~~ ~~2016~~, Elsevier Inc.; ~~are adopted by reference as part of this rule. When a health care provider performs a procedure or service which is not listed in the Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual, 2016 Edition, incorporated above, the provider must use a code contained in the CPT® 2016, CDT 2016 or HCPCS 2016 as specified in this section.~~ [The CPT® Assistant, American Medical Association, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2015~~; and the ~~2017~~ ~~2016~~ ICD-10-CM: The Complete Official Codebook, American Medical Association, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2015~~, Optum360, LLC, are also adopted by reference as part of this rule. A copy of the American Medical Association these reference materials may be obtained from the American Medical Association's website at <https://commerce.ama-assn.org/store/>. A copy of the CDT reference material may be obtained from the American Dental Association's website at <http://www.ada.org/en/publications/ada-catalog>. A copy of the HCPCS Level II reference material may be obtained from the American Medical Association's website at <http://commerce.ama-assn.org/store/>.

(3) The posting of the preceding copyrighted materials on the internet would constitute a violation of the federal copyright law. The preceding copyrighted materials are available for public inspection and examination, but may not be copied, during normal business hours at the Florida Department of Financial Services, Division of Workers' Compensation, Bureau of Monitoring and Audit, Hartman Building, 2012 Capital Circle Southeast, Tallahassee, Florida. The preceding non-copyrighted materials may be accessed online via the

Department's Division of Workers' Compensation website at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/wc/>.

Rulemaking Authority 440.13(13)(b), 440.591 FS. Law Implemented 440.13(7), (12), (13)(b) FS. History—New 10-1-82, Amended 3-16-83, 11-6-83, 5-21-85, Formerly 38F-7.20, Amended 4-1-88, 7-20-88, 6-1-91, 4-29-92, 2-18-96, 9-1-97, 12-15-97, 9-17-98, 9-30-01, 7-7-02, Formerly 38F-7.020, 4L-7.020, Amended 12-4-03, 1-1-04, 7-4-04, 5-9-05, 9-4-05, 11-16-06, 10-18-07, 2-4-09, 7-1-16, 7-1-17, ____.

Editorial Note: Ratified by Ch. 2016-203, LOF.

69L-7.100 Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs).

(1) The Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASC RM), ~~2017~~ ~~2015~~ Edition, ~~eff. mm-yy, effective January 1, 2016,~~ ~~http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref_05794~~ (ASC Reimbursement Manual) is incorporated by reference as part of this rule. The ASC RM Reimbursement Manual contains the Maximum Reimbursement Allowances (MRAs) determined by the Three-Member Panel, pursuant to subsection 440.13(12), F.S., and establishes reimbursement policies, guidelines, codes, and ~~maximum reimbursement allowances~~ (MRAs) for items and services provided to an injured worker in connection with a surgical procedure performed in an Ambulatory Surgical Center. The policies, procedures, principles, and standards in the ASC RM are in addition to the requirements and responsibilities established throughout Rule Chapter 69L-7, F.A.C., Workers' Compensation Medical Reimbursement and Utilization Review.

(2) The ASC RM Reimbursement Manual refers to a number of procedure codes and modifiers that are consistent with the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®), developed and published by the American Medical Association. When a service or procedure is performed that does not have a code listed in the ASC RM Reimbursement Manual, the Ambulatory Surgical Center shall refer to the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®), ~~2017~~ ~~2015~~ Professional Edition, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2014~~, American Medical Association, which is hereby incorporated by reference as part of this rule. The CPT® Assistant, American Medical Association, Copyright ~~2016~~ ~~2015~~; ~~the 2015 ICD-9 CM Professional Edition for Hospitals, Volumes 1, 2 & 3, American Medical Association, Copyright 2015; the 2015 ICD-9 CM Professional Edition for Physicians, Volumes 1 & 2, American Medical Association, Copyright 2015; the 2017 2015 ICD-10-CM: The Complete Official Draft Codebook, American Medical Association, Copyright 2016, Optum360, LLC 2014 OptumInsight, Inc.; and the 2017 2015 ICD-10-PCS: The Complete Official Draft Codebook, American Medical Association, Copyright 2016, Optum360, LLC, 2014 OptumInsight, Inc.~~ are also incorporated by reference as part of this rule. A copy of these reference materials

may be obtained from the American Medical Association's website at <https://commerce.ama-assn.org/store/>.

(3) The National Uniform Billing Committee, Official UB-04 Data Specifications Manual 2017, version 11.00, July 2016, as adopted by the National Uniform Billing Committee, is incorporated by reference as part of this rule. A copy of this manual can be obtained from the National Uniform Billing Committee's website at <http://www.nubc.org/subscriber/>.

(4)(3) The CDT 2017 2015, Dental Procedure Codes, Copyright 2016 2014, American Dental Association, is incorporated by reference as part of this rule, for dental D codes. A copy of the CDT reference material may be obtained from the American Dental Association's website at <http://www.ada.org/en/publications/ada-catalog>.

(5)(4) The posting of the preceding copyrighted materials on the Internet would constitute a violation of the federal copyright law. The preceding copyrighted materials are available for public inspection and examination, but may not be copied. The ASC ~~RM Reimbursement Manual~~ and copies of materials incorporated by reference in this rule are available for inspection during normal business hours at the Florida Department of Financial Services, ~~Division of Workers' Compensation, Bureau of Monitoring and Audit, Hartman Building, 2012 Capital Circle Southeast, Document Processing Section, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0311~~; The preceding non-copyrighted materials may be accessed online or via the Department's website at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/wc/>.

Rulemaking Authority 440.13(4), (13), 440.591 FS. Law Implemented 440.13(7), (12), (13) FS. History—New 8-7-91, Amended 12-31-92, Formerly 38F-7.100, 4L-7.100, Amended 9-4-05, 8-19-07, 11-13-11, 9-28-15, _____.

69L-7.501 Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals.

(1) The Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals, ("Hospital RM Manual"), 2017 2014 Edition, _____ eff. _____ mm-yy http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref_04109, effective January 1, 2015, is incorporated adopted by reference as part of this rule. The ~~Hospital RM Manual~~ contains the Maximum Reimbursement Allowances (~~MRA~~s) determined by the Three-Member Panel, pursuant to ~~subsection Section~~ 440.13(12), F.S., and establishes policy, procedures, principles, and standards for implementing statutory provisions regarding reimbursement for medically necessary services and supplies provided to injured workers in a hospital setting. The policy, procedures, principles, and standards in the ~~Hospital RM Manual~~ are in addition to the requirements and responsibilities established throughout by the Rule Chapter 69L-7, F.A.C., ~~Workers' Compensation Medical Reimbursement and Utilization Review, Florida Workers' Compensation Medical~~

~~Services Billing, Filing and Reporting Rule, Rule 69L-7.710, F.A.C. The Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals is available for inspection during normal business hours at the Florida Department of Financial Services, Document Processing Section, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0311, or may be obtained free of charge by print or download from the Department's website at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/wc/>; <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/wc/publications.html>.~~

(2) The Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®), 2017 Professional Edition, Copyright 2016, American Medical Association; the CPT® Assistant, American Medical Association, Copyright 2016; the 2017 ICD-10-CM: The Complete Official Codebook, American Medical Association, Copyright 2016, Optum360, LLC; the 2017 ICD-10-PCS: The Complete Official Codebook, American Medical Association, Copyright 2016, Optum360, LLC; the 2017 HCPCS Level II Professional Edition, American Medical Association, Copyright 2017, Elsevier Inc.; and the CDT 2017, Dental Procedure Codes, Copyright 2016, American Dental Association, are incorporated by reference as part of this rule. A copy of the American Medical Association's reference materials may be obtained from the American Medical Association's website at <https://commerce.ama-assn.org/store/>. A copy of the CDT reference material may be obtained from the American Dental Association's website at <http://www.ada.org/en/publications/ada-catalog>.

(3) The National Uniform Billing Committee, Official UB-04 Data Specifications Manual 2017, version 11.00, July 2016, as adopted by the National Uniform Billing Committee, is incorporated by reference as part of this rule. A copy of this manual can be obtained from the National Uniform Billing Committee's website at <http://www.nubc.org/subscriber/>.

(4)(2) The Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual ("HCP RM²"), incorporated by reference into Rule 69L-7.020, F.A.C.; and Rules 69L-7.710-7.750, F.A.C., which inform Health Care Providers and Insurers of their respective responsibilities in the billing, filing, reporting, and review of workers' compensation medical claims ~~the Workers' Compensation Medical Services Billing, Filing and Reporting Rule, Rule 69L-7.710, F.A.C., are recognized for use in conjunction with the Hospital RM Florida Workers' Compensation Reimbursement Manual for Hospitals, 2014 Edition, effective January 1, 2015.~~

(5) The ~~Both~~ rules, ~~the Hospital RM, and the HCP RM, and all incorporated resource materials~~ are available for public inspection and examination during normal business hours at the Florida Department of Financial Services, ~~Division of Workers' Compensation, Bureau of Monitoring and Audit, Hartman Building, 2012 Capital Circle Southeast, Document Processing Section, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-~~

0311 32301, or via the Department's website ~~web-site~~ at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/wc/> <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/wc/publications.html>. The copying or posting of any of the preceding copyrighted materials on the Internet would constitute a violation of the federal copyright law. The preceding non-copyrighted materials may be accessed online via the Division of Workers' Compensation website at <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/wc/>.
 Rulemaking Authority 440.13(12), (14), 440.591 FS. Law Implemented 440.13(7), (12), (14) FS. History--New 6-9-87, Amended 6-1-92, 10-27-99, 7-3-01, Formerly 38F-7.501, 4L-7.501, Amended 12-4-03, 1-1-04, 7-4-04, 10-1-07, 1-1-15, _____.

Section II Proposed Rules

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel

RULE NO.: 64B3-12.004
 RULE TITLE: Mediation Offenses

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Board proposes the rule amendment for needed updates regarding mediation offenses.

SUMMARY: The rule will be updated regarding mediation offenses.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: During discussion of the economic impact of this rule at its Board meeting, the Board, based upon the expertise and experience of its members, determined that a Statement of Estimated Regulatory Costs (SERC) was not necessary and that the rule will not require ratification by the Legislature. No person or interested party submitted additional information regarding the economic impact at that time.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 456.078, 483.805(4) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 456.078 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Anthony Spivey, Executive Director, Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

64B3-12.004 Mediation Offenses.

The Board designates the following violations of its practice act as being appropriate for mediation where the subject has an explanation and a differing view from the complainant as to the nature or extent of the violation as provided in Section 456.078, F.S., as these violations are economic in nature or can be remedied by the licensee:

(1) No change.

~~(2) Failure of the licensee to timely respond to a continuing education audit as required by subsection 64B3-11.001(7), F.A.C.~~

(3) through (4) renumbered (2) through (3) No change.

~~(5) Failure to complete continuing education in a specialty area solely because the subject contends that he or she was unaware that according to the Board's records the subject is still licensed in that specialty area, provided that the subject has not been actively practicing in that specialty area during the biennium, as required by Rule 64B3-11.001, F.A.C.~~

Rulemaking Specific Authority 456.078, 483.805(4) FS. Law Implemented 456.078 FS. History--New 9-21-94, Formerly 59O-12.004, Amended 1-28-99, 2-24-04, 11-25-08, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: June 2, 2017

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: July 26, 2017

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of State Fire Marshal

RULE NOS.: 69A-62.0001
 RULE TITLES: Definitions

69A-62.021 Minimum Requirements for a Firefighter Employer Comprehensive Safety and Health Program
 69A-62.030 Definitions

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The proposed amendments will update the rules by deleting obsolete language and clarifying the definitions of "fatality," "hazard," and "illness."

SUMMARY: Rule 69A-62.0001, F.A.C., is amended to update a statutory citation and delete a citation to a repealed rule. Rule 69A-62.021, F.A.C., is amended to remove a reference to a website that is no longer available. Rule 69A-62.030, F.A.C., is amended to update several definitions.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COSTS AND LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION:

The Agency has determined that this will not have an adverse impact on small business or likely increase directly or indirectly regulatory costs in excess of \$200,000 in the aggregate within one year after the implementation of the rule. A SERC has not been prepared by the Agency.

The Agency has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to require legislative ratification based on the statement of estimated regulatory costs or if no SERC is required, the information expressly relied upon and described herein: The Department conducted an economic analysis of the potential impact of the proposed rule and determined that there will be no adverse economic impact or regulatory increases that would require legislative ratification.

Any person who wishes to provide information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 633.104(1), 633.128(1)(a), 633.506, 633.508, 633.516, 633.518, FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 633.128(1)(a), 633.504, 633.508, 633.512, 633.516, 633.520, 633.522, 633.526, 633.518, FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 @ 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State Fire College, 11655 N.W. Gainesville Road, Ocala FL 34482

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Mike Tucker, telephone: (352)369-2829, email: Mike.Tucker@myfloridacfo.com.. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Mike Tucker, Superintendent, Florida State Fire College, Bureau of Fire Standards and Training, Department of Financial Services, address: 11655 N.W. Gainesville Rd., Ocala, FL 34482, telephone: (352)369-2829, email: Mike.Tucker@myfloridacfo.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

69A-62.0001 Definitions

Unless the text or context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in Section 633.504, F.S., are applicable to this rule chapter. In addition, for purposes of this rule chapter, the following definitions apply.

(1) "Act" means Sections 633.502 through 633.536 ~~508~~, F.S.

(2) through (3) No change.

(4) "Fire department" means any local fire department or fire district in the state responsible for municipal or county fire protection as recognized by the appropriate municipal or county government or the state. A fire department has the intent and purpose of carrying out the duties, functions, powers, and responsibilities normally associated with a fire department, ~~and which is in compliance with Rule 69A-62.006, F.A.C.~~ These duties, functions, powers, and responsibilities include but are not limited to the protection and saving of life and property against fire, explosions, and other hazards, the prevention and extinguishment of fires, and the enforcement of municipal, county, and state fire prevention codes, as well as of any law pertaining to the prevention and control of fires and hazardous materials incident mitigation.

(5) through (8) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 633.104(1), 633.128(1)(a), 633.508 FS. Law Implemented 633.128(1)(a), 633.504, 633.508 FS. History--New 9-6-04, Amended.

69A-62.021 Minimum Requirements for a Firefighter Employer Comprehensive Safety and Health Program

(1) through (2) No change.

(3) Safety and Health Training Program. Each firefighter employer shall implement a written safety and health training program, which shall address or include:

(a) through (c) No change.

(d) The firefighter employer shall ensure and document that each authorized emergency vehicle operator has completed a 16-hour course of instruction; on driving an authorized emergency vehicle, as defined by subsection ~~Section~~ 316.003(1), F.S., which includes, at a minimum, classroom and behind-the-wheel training in a vehicle of the largest size, type and class used for emergency response by the firefighter employer. Additionally, emergency vehicle operators shall be familiarized with any firefighter employer vehicles prior to operating the vehicle. The training shall consist of the following:

1. through 2. No change.

A list of approved courses/providers is ~~posted on the "Firefighter Safety and Health" webpage at~~ <http://www.myfloridacfo.com/sfm/bfst/SafetyHealth/SafetyFo>

~~ms.htm~~ or may be obtained from the Safety Program Office of the Bureau of Fire Standards and Training by calling (352)369-2800. Fire Department or Training Center requests for the approval of other courses must be directed to the same office.

- (e) through (k) No change.
- (4) through (7) No change.

Rulemaking Authority ~~633.506,~~ 633.508, 633.516 FS. Law Implemented 633.508, 633.512, 633.516, 633.520, 633.522, 633.526 FS. History—New 9-6-04, Amended 6-6-07, 1-1-09, 5-22-11, _____.

69A-62.030 Definitions

Part III of this rule chapter incorporates by reference the definition of “occupational disease” contained in subsection 440.151(2), F.S., and the definitions contained in Section 440.02, F.S. Further, with respect to Part III of these rules, the division adopts the following definitions:

- (1) through (3) No change.

(4) “Fatality” means any firefighter employee death that occurs as a result of workplace injury, illness, or occupational disease ~~and. The term~~ includes a firefighter employee death that results from workplace injury, illness, or occupational disease within one year of the report of the injury, illness, or disease to the Division of Workers’ Compensation of the Department of Financial Services.

(5) “Hazard” means the risk of exposure to materials, processes, or operating procedures or practices that can produce ~~a harmful effect by causing~~ injury, illness, occupational disease, or fatality.

(6) “Illness” or “occupational illness” means any abnormal condition or disorder, other than one resulting from an occupational injury, caused by exposure to environmental factors associated with employment. Illness ~~It~~ includes acute and chronic illnesses or diseases ~~that may be~~ caused by inhalation, absorption, ingestion, or direct contact with an environmental factor.

- (7) No change.

~~(8) “Multiple Injury Event” means either a single event during an incident that three or more firefighters receive serious incident level injuries such as a vehicle crash, or firefighters injured from a falling wall, or three of the same type of serious incident level injuries sustained during an entire incident such as three smoke inhalation injuries at the same fire.~~

- (9) through (11) renumbered to (8) through (10) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 633.518 FS. Law Implemented 633.518 FS. History—New 9-6-04, Amended 6-30-14, _____.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:
Mike Tucker, Superintendent, Florida State Fire College
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE

PROPOSED RULE: Jimmy Patronis, Chief Financial Officer
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY
HEAD: August 9, 2017
DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT
PUBLISHED IN FAR: November 30, 2016

Section III
Notice of Changes, Corrections and
Withdrawals

NONE

Section IV
Emergency Rules

NONE

Section V
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule
Variance or Waiver

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
REGULATION

Division of Hotels and Restaurants

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

61C-1.004 General Sanitation and Safety Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on August 10, 2017, the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurant, received a petition for a Routine Variance for paragraph 61C-1.004(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code, Paragraph 5-202.11(A), 2009 FDA Food Code, Paragraph 4-301.12(A), 2009 FDA Food Code, subsection 61C-4.010(5), Florida Administrative Code, Subparagraph 3-305.11(A)(2), 2009 FDA Food Code, and subsection 61C-4.010(1), Florida Administrative Code, from Stefano Espresso Co. Inc. located in Orlando. The above referenced F.A.C. addresses the requirement that each establishment have an approved plumbing system installed to transport potable water and wastewater; that dishwashing facilities for manually washing, rinsing and sanitizing equipment and utensils are provided, and that each establishment have areas for food storage. They are requesting to utilize holding tanks to provide potable water and to collect wastewater at the handwash sink and to share the dishwashing and food storage areas with another food service establishment under a different ownership and on the same premise.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication

of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received before 5:00 p.m.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Daisy.Aleman@myfloridalicense.com, Division of Hotels and Restaurants, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1011.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Hearing Aid Specialists

The Board of Hearing Aid Specialists hereby gives notice: Of the issuance of an Order regarding the Petition for Waiver or Variance, which was filed on May 31, 2017, by Sara Casey, Esquire, on behalf of Ellen Gartner. The Notice of Petition for Waiver or Variance was published in Volume 43, Number 105, of the June 5, 2017, Florida Administrative Register. The Petitioner was seeking a waiver or variance of Rule 64B4-6.004, Florida Administrative Code, entitled "Approval of Continuing Education Providers," which provides the requirements for approval of continuing education providers. The Board considered the instant Petition at a duly-noticed public meeting held July 14, 2017, in Orlando, Florida. The Board's Order, filed on July 28, 2017, denied the petition finding that the rule that Petitioner requested a waiver or variance of was adopted by the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling. Therefore, the Board denied the petition for waiver or variance for lack of jurisdiction.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Jennifer Wenhold, Executive Director, Board of Hearing Aid Specialists, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Board of Hearing Aid Specialists

The Board of Hearing Aid Specialists hereby gives notice: Of the issuance of an Order regarding the Petition for Waiver or Variance, which was filed on May 31, 2017, by Sara Casey, Esquire, on behalf of Tracy Clark. The Notice of Petition for Waiver or Variance was published in Volume 43, Number 105, of the June 5, 2017, Florida Administrative Register. The Petitioner was seeking a waiver or variance of Rule 64B4-6.004, Florida Administrative Code, entitled "Approval of Continuing Education Providers," which provides the requirements for approval of continuing education providers. The Board considered the instant Petition at a duly-noticed public meeting held July 14, 2017, in Orlando, Florida. The Board's Order, filed on July 28, 2017, denied the petition finding that the rule that Petitioner requested a waiver or variance of was adopted by the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling. Therefore, the Board denied the petition for waiver or variance for lack of jurisdiction.

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Section VI
Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Division of Cultural Affairs announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 11, 2017, 9:00 a.m. until conclusion.

PLACE: This meeting will be held via teleconference. Dial 1 (888)670-3525 then the participant code 6583652830#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and score grant applications for the 2018-2019 Presenter Level 1 and 2 and Projects grants & Arts in Education/Artists on Tour grants under the General Program Support and Specific Cultural Project Grant Programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470 or by visiting our website: www.florida-arts.org/calendar.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at Rachelle.Ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Hillary Crawford at (850)245.6462 or at Hillary.Crawford@dos.myflorida.com

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Division of Cultural Affairs announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 12, 2017, 9:00 a.m. until conclusion.

PLACE: This meeting will be held via teleconference. Dial 1(888)670-3525 then the participant code 6583652830#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and score grant applications for the 2018-2019 Literature grants under the General Program Support and Specific Cultural Project Grant Programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470 or by visiting our website: www.florida-arts.org/calendar.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at Rachelle.Ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Michelle Smith Grindberg at (850)245.6475 or at michelle.smithgrindberg@dos.myflorida.com

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Division of Cultural Affairs

The Florida Division of Cultural Affairs announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 13, 2017, 9:00 a.m. until conclusion.

PLACE: This meeting will be held via teleconference. Dial 1 (888)670-3525 then the participant code 6583652830#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To review and score grant applications for the 2018-2019 Traditional Arts grants under the General Program Support and Specific Cultural Project Grant Programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: the Division of Cultural Affairs at (850)245-6470 or by visiting our website: www.florida-arts.org/calendar.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rachelle Ashmore at rachelle.ashmore@dos.myflorida.com. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Michelle Smith Grindberg at (850)245.6475 or at michelle.smithgrindberg@dos.myflorida.com

REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS

Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council

The Local Emergency Planning Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 23, 2017, 10:30 a.m.

PLACE: 4000 Gateway Centre Blvd Ste.100 Pinellas Park Florida 33782

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the regular business of the Local Emergency Planning Committee

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Wren Krahl, Wren@tbrpc.org

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 4 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Wren Krahl, Wren@tbrpc.org. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Wren Krahl, Wren@tbrpc.org

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

The St. Johns River Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, August 21, 2017, 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

PLACE: Jesse Godbold Extension Education Building, 2463 State Road 16 W., Green Cove Springs, FL 32043

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Present information about the Black Creek Water Resource Development (WRD) Project to interested residents and stakeholders. The project, which will be built in southwest Clay County between Penney Farms and Camp Blanding, focuses on providing recharge to the Upper Floridan aquifer in the Keystone Heights region and Lower Santa Fe basin.

NOTE: One or more Governing Board members may attend and participate in the meetings by means of communications media technology.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: St. Johns River Water Management District, Attention: Teresa Monson at tmonson@sjrwmd.com or by phone at (904)730-6258.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: District Clerk at (386)329-4500. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

St. Johns River Water Management District

The St. Johns River Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, August 28, 2017, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: First Baptist Church, 550 E. Walker Drive, Keystone Heights, FL 32656

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Present information about the Black Creek Water Resource Development (WRD) Project to interested residents and stakeholders. The project, which will be built in southwest Clay County between Penney Farms and Camp Blanding, focuses on providing recharge to the Upper Floridan aquifer in the Keystone Heights region and Lower Santa Fe basin.

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SPACE FLORIDA

The Space Florida announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday August 21, 2017, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time

PLACE: The Westin Fort Lauderdale Beach Resort, 321 N Fort Lauderdale Beach Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304, Meeting Room: Rio Vista Room

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Space Florida Board of Directors Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Emma Newsham at enewsham@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301, Ext. 231.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Emma Newsham at enewsham@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301, Ext. 231. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Emma Newsham at enewsham@spaceflorida.gov or (321)730-5301, Ext. 231.

DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS

Division of Volunteer and Community Services

The Department of Elder Affairs announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 16, 2017, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Area Agency on Aging of North Florida, 2414 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, FL

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Meeting of the Dementia Cure and Care Initiative Task Force for Tallahassee/Leon County. The goal of the DCCI Task force is to engage communities across the state to be more dementia friendly, promote better care for Floridians affected by dementia, and support research efforts to find a cure. The vision of the DCCI Task Force to see all Florida communities engaged in providing better care for those affected by dementia while we work towards a cure.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Catherine Anne Avery, Department of Elder Affairs, (850)414-2180, averyc@elderaffairs.org

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AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Medicaid

The Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Board announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 21, 2017, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Tampa Westshore/Airport, 700 N. Westshore Blvd., Tampa, FL 33609, (813)289-8200

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This meeting involves review and approval of drug use criteria and standards for both prospective and retrospective drug use reviews; application of criteria and standards in the DUR activities; review and report results of drug use reviews; recommend and evaluate educational intervention programs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vern Hamilton at: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION
Medicaid

The Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 22, 2017, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Tampa Westshore/Airport, 700 N. Westshore Blvd., Tampa, FL 33609, (813)289-8200

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Recommendations for drugs to be included on the Preferred Drug List are made at this meeting. Members of the public who wish to testify at this meeting must contact Vern Hamilton at: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

The number of speakers is limited and will be accommodated in the order of notification to Mr. Hamilton.

Because of unforeseen events that may cause changes, interested parties are encouraged to monitor the website at http://www.ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/Prescribed_Drug/meetings.shtml

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Vern Hamilton at: Vern.Hamilton@ahca.myflorida.com.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
REGULATION

Board of Auctioneers

The Board of Auctioneers announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 7, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Courtyard Marriott Orlando International Drive/Convention Center, 8600 Austrian Court, Orlando, FL 32819-9343, (407)351-2244

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Board Business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Florida Board of Auctioneers, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Florida Board of Auctioneers, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence from which the appeal is to be issued.

For more information, you may contact: Florida Board of Auctioneers, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
REGULATION

Board of Pilot Commissioners

The Board of Pilot Commissioners announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: September 8, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Courtyard Marriott Orlando International Drive/Convention Center, 8600 Austrian Court, Orlando, FL 32819-9343, (407)351-2244.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Board business and probable cause panel (portions of which may be closed to the public).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Rd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Rd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

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For more information, you may contact: Board of Pilot Commissioners, 2601 Blair Stone Rd., Tallahassee, FL 32399, (850)717-1982.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 25, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Martin County Building Permits Office, Conference Rooms A & B, 900 Southeast Ruhnke Street, Stuart, FL 34994

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: This is a public meeting of interested stakeholders to discuss the St. Lucie River and Estuary Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) 5-Year Review. The BMAP is the means for implementation of the adopted Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs). The primary purpose of this meeting is to discuss the process of developing the 5-Year Review and its components.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sara C.

Davis, Watershed Planning and Coordination Section, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS 3565, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400 or by e-mail at Sara.C.Davis@dep.state.fl.us.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Sara C. Davis at (850)245-8825. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Physical Therapy Practice

The Board of Physical Therapy Practice announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, November 8, 2017, 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Sheraton Suites, 555 NW 62nd Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33309

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: to discuss Rule 64B17-6 regarding dry needling.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Allen Hall, Executive Director, Board of Physical Therapy Practice, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C05, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3255, Allen.Hall@flhealth.gov.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Allen Hall, Executive Director, at the contact information above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Freshwater Fish and Wildlife

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 29, 2016, 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: Teleconference only. Dial: (605)475-3220 and use participant access code: 588858#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Discussion of proposals submitted in response to the 2017 Announcement of Florida’s State Wildlife Grants Cycle.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Robyn McDole, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, State Wildlife Grants Assistant Coordinator at (850)617-9569.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the

agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: The ADA Coordinator at (850)488-6411. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Robyn McDole, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, State Wildlife Grants Assistant Coordinator at (850)617-9569.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

The Rules Committee of the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, operating under Chapter 497, Florida Statutes announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, August 18, 2017, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Alexander Building, Room 231A, 2020 Capital Circle, Tallahassee, Florida 32301

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss Rule Chapter 69K-30, F.A.C. The Notice of Public Meeting that published on August 10, 2017 at Vol. 43/155 had an incorrect end time of 2:00 p.m. The meeting will end at 3:00 p.m.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ellen Simon, Assistant Division Director, Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Department of Financial Services, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0361, (850)413-4985, Ellen.Simon@myfloridacfo.com. A copy of the agenda will be available the week of August 14, 2017.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ellen Simon, Assistant Division Director, at the contact information above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services

The Rules Committee of the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, operating under Chapter 497, Florida Statutes, announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, September 8, 2017, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, 1217 North Pearl Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To discuss Rule Chapter 69K-30, F.A.C. The Notice of Public

Meeting that published on August 10, 2017 at Vol. 43/155 had an incorrect end time of 2:00 p.m. The meeting will end at 3:00 p.m.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ellen Simon, Assistant Division Director, Division of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services, Department of Financial Services, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0361, (850)413-4985, Ellen.Simon@myfloridacfo.com. A copy of the agenda will be available the week of September 4, 2017.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ellen Simon, Assistant Division Director, at the contact information above. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

OIR – Insurance Regulation

The Office of Insurance Regulation announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 23, 2017, 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Kovens Conference Center, Florida International University, Biscayne Bay Campus, Bayview Ballroom South, Room 214A, 3000 NE 151st Street, North Miami, FL 33181-3000

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (“Citizens”) has requested statewide average rate changes for its business in the Coastal Account (“CA”), Commercial Lines Account (“CLA”), and Personal Lines Account (“PLA”). These accounts include, but are not limited to: commercial property, homeowners, mobile homeowners, and dwelling/fire. The below chart identifies the proposed rate changes that have already been filed with the Office:

- 17-16826: +6.7% to Homeowners Multi-Peril (PLA)
- 17-16827: +1.7% to Homeowners Wind Only (CA)
- 17-16966: +5.2% to Property/Personal (Dwelling Fire) (PLA)
- 17-16967: +6.3% to Property/Personal (Dwelling Fire) Wind Only (CA)
- 17-17210: +3.9% to Mobile Homeowners Multi-Peril (PLA)
- 17-17211: +9.8% to Mobile Homeowners Wind Only(CA)
- 17-17409: +7.1% to Mobile Homeowners (Dwelling Fire) (PLA)
- 17-17410: +10.0% to Mobile Homeowners (Dwelling Fire) (CA)

(There are no proposed rate changes for sinkhole coverage. Additional filings received prior to the hearing may also be discussed.)

The effective date for the Coastal Account (“CA”), Commercial Lines Account (“CLA”), and Personal Lines Account (“PLA”) is February 1, 2018, for new and renewal business.

An agenda listing the rate filings subject to this hearing will be posted on the Office’s website at <http://www.flor.com>.

Florida law allows the Office of Insurance Regulation to hold a public hearing for any purpose within the scope of the Insurance Code deemed to be necessary. Input from the insurer as well as interested parties will be received at this public hearing. If you are unable to attend this public hearing, please forward your comments to the Office of Insurance Regulation at ratehearings@flor.com; the subject line of your e-mail should read “Citizens.”

Any comments or concerns not addressed at the public hearing may be forwarded to ratehearings@flor.com; the subject line of your e-mail should read “Citizens.” The record will be open for public comment until August 31, 2017, for all filings.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Elenita Gomez, Esquire, (850)413-4186 or Gloria Merritt, (850)413-5356.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Gloria Merritt, (850)413-5356. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

For more information, you may contact: Elenita Gomez, Esquire, (850)413-4186 or Gloria Merritt, (850)413-5356.

PASCO-PINELLAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

The Area Agency on Aging of Pasco-Pinellas announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, August 21, 2017, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: 9549 Koger Blvd., Suite 100, St. Petersburg, FL 33702

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Items related to Area Agency on Aging of Pasco-Pinellas business and Board of Directors oversight.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Brenda Black at (727)570-9696 ext. 233

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For more information, you may contact: Brenda Black at (727)570-9696 ext. 233

MOFFITT CANCER CENTER & RESEARCH INSTITUTE
 The H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.
 DATE AND TIME: August 29, 2017, 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
 PLACE: Moffitt Cancer Center, Stabile Research Building Trustees Board Room
 GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct the general business of the Board of Directors.
 A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kim Chewning at (813)745-3229
 Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Kim Chewning at (813)745-3229. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

Section VII

Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Declaratory Statements

NONE

Section VIII

Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX

Notice of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

**Section X
Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee**

NONE

**Section XI
Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Florida State University

NOTICE TO CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS

Florida State University announces that construction management services will be required for the project listed below:

Project No. FS - 263

Student Union Replacement

Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida

The new FSU Student Union Building will provide space to house student activities, including food service, retail, recreation/entertainment, banquet, lounge, offices and meeting spaces for student government and administrative functions. The design is being developed by AL+W | Workshop, Joint Venture, Tallahassee, FL, and is anticipated to provide approximately 270,000 sf of new space. The project seeks to promote the renewal of an active campus hub by design of collaborative, “thick” spaces aimed at increasing the relational use of the Union. The project will be located at the SE corner of West Tennessee Street and Woodward Avenue and will become a prominent piece of the campus’ north gateway. Along with new construction, the project may include the demolition and/or renovation of the existing Oglesby Union Building. LEED Silver Certification (v.4) by the USGBC will be sought. It is expected that some existing Union functions will need to continue to operate during construction. Therefore, the project may include a requirement for construction phasing or occupancy during construction. The project may develop an additional phase(s) to include further renovation of other existing Union facilities should funding become available. The selected construction manager may, at the discretion of the University, be contracted for this work as well.

The estimated project budget is \$100,000,000, of which the construction budget is approximately \$85,000,000. An updated

facility program is in development and will be made available to shortlisted applicants. However, the original program can be found at the Facilities Design & Construction website, <http://www.facilities.fsu.edu/FDC/Advertisements/>

The contract for construction management services will consist of two phases. Phase one is pre-construction services, for which the construction manager will be paid a fixed fee. Phase one services include value engineering, constructability analyses, development of a cost model, estimating, and the development of a Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) at either the 50% or 100% Construction Document phase. The final determination of the exact timing of the GMP will be confirmed prior to entering into contract with the prospective Construction Manager. If the GMP is accepted, phase two, the construction phase, will be implemented. In phase two of the contract, the construction manager becomes the single point of responsibility for performance of the construction of the project and shall publicly bid trade contracts, encouraging the inclusion of Small and/or Minority Owned Business Enterprises. Failure to negotiate an acceptable fixed fee for phase one of the contract, or to arrive at an acceptable GMP within the time provided in the agreement may result in the termination of the construction manager's contract.

Selection of finalists for interviews will be made on the basis of construction manager qualifications, including experience and ability; past experience; bonding capacity; record-keeping/administrative ability, critical path scheduling expertise; cost estimating; cost control ability; quality control capability; and qualifications of the firm's personnel, staff and consultants. Finalists will be provided with a description of the final interview requirements, a copy of the standard Florida State University's construction management agreement, and will be given access to the updated building program and latest documentation prepared by the project architect/engineer. The Selection Committee may reject all proposals and stop the selection process at any time. The construction manager shall have no ownership, entrepreneurial or financial affiliation with the selected architect/engineer involved with this project.

Instructions:

Firms desiring to provide construction management services for the project shall submit a letter of application and the completed Florida State University "Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement". Proposals must not exceed 80 pages, including the Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement and letter of application. Pages must be numbered consecutively. Submittals which do not comply with these requirements or do not include the requested data may not be considered. No submittal material will be returned.

All applicants must be licensed to practice as general contractors in the State of Florida at the time of application. Corporations must be registered to operate in the State of

Florida by the Department of State, Division of Corporations, at the time of application. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a construction management firm may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected construction management firm must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$50,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

The Florida State University Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement forms and the Project Fact Sheet may be obtained through the website at <http://www.facilities.fsu.edu/FDC/Advertisements/> or by contacting:

Lynetta Mills, Facilities Design & Construction, 969 Learning Way, 109 Mendenhall Maintenance Building A, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida 32306-4152, (850)644-2843 telephone.

For further information on the project, contact: Kim Ball, Sr. Project Manager, at the address above, through email at: kstobel-ball@admin.fsu.edu or at (850) 644-1290.

Submit six (6) bound hard copies and one (1) electronic flash drive copy of the required proposal data. Submittals must be received at the address listed above by 2:00 p.m., local time, on Friday, September 8, 2017. FAX submittals will not be considered.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES
 Division of Building Construction
 BPPM-17025000-AE
 STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES
 DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT
 PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
 ARCHITECTURE
 August 11, 2017

The Department of Management Services (DMS), Division of Real Estate Development and Management, announces that professional services are required for the project listed below.

Project Number: BPPM-17025000
 Project Name: Lake City Correctional Facility Roof Replacement
 Project Location: Lake City, Florida
 Estimated Construction Budget: Construction budget is expected to be approximately \$5,300,000.00. Current funding is \$1,100,000.00 with additional funding contingent upon future appropriation by the Legislature.

Please visit the Department's website http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu and click on "Search Advertisements" – "Division of Real Estate Development and Management" Look for "Opportunities for Design and Construction Firms" and click on link.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES
 Division of Building Construction
 BPPM-17025000-CM
 STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES
 DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT
 PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS
 TO PROVIDE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AT RISK SERVICES
 August 11, 2017

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ): The Department of Management Services, Division of Real Estate Development and Management, request qualifications for licensed general contractors, to submit for Construction Management at Risk services on the following project:

Project Number: BPPM-17025000

Project Name: Lake City Correctional Facility Roof Replacement

Project Location: Lake City, Florida

Estimated Construction Budget: Construction budget is expected to be approximately \$5,300,000.00. Current funding is \$1,100,000.00 with additional funding contingent upon future appropriation by the Legislature.

For details please visit the Department's website http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu and click on "Search Advertisements – Division of Real Estate Development and Management" Look for "Opportunities for Design and Construction Firms" and click on link.

The award will be made in accordance with Section 255.29, Florida Statutes, and the procedures and criteria of the Departments Division of Real Estate Development and Management.

SARASOTA COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD
 REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS for ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES
PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT: The Sarasota County Public Hospital District d/b/a Sarasota Memorial Health Care System and its governing board (collectively, "the Hospital"), located in Sarasota County, Florida, is accepting statements of qualifications from Architectural/Engineering Consulting Firms under the provisions of the Consultants' Competitive

Negotiation Act, which is codified at Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The scope of work for this project includes architectural and engineering services for the renovation of an approximately 6600 sq. ft. medical office building located at 609 South Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL, to include but not limited to programming, schematic design, design development, construction documents, and construction administration for all architectural, interior design, civil, site work, parking and site work infrastructure. The site work infrastructure also includes, but is not limited to, public utilities, communications providers, mechanical, electrical, plumbing, fire protection and structural design work for the renovation of the medical office building.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE: The timelines to design and build the medical office building will be determined by the results of the planning study and potential revisions to the planning study as the medical office building design develops. In addition, the proposed schedule will be determined, and may be subject to change, based on the timing of regulatory and other necessary approvals. Project development, including professional services is contingent upon availability of funds.

Firms interested in being considered as candidates are required to submit five (5) bound statements of qualifications that include at least the following data, to be organized in the following order:

1. A copy of Florida design licensure and corporate registration certificates.
2. Proof of insurance in the following categories; Commercial General Liability to include, each occurrence \$1,000,000, Damage to Rented Premises, \$300,000 each occurrence, Medical Expenses to any one person \$10,000, Personal Injury \$1,000,000, General Aggregate \$2,000,000, Umbrella Liability, \$5,000,000, each occurrence. Worker Compensation & Employee Liability insurance is minimum \$1,000,000 each occurrence, \$1,000,000 each accident, \$1,000,000 disease each employee, \$1,000,000 disease policy limit. The Firm's insurer(s) shall be rated A- (or better) by A.M. Best.
3. A separate statement as to whether the Firm is a certified Minority Business Enterprise. If your Firm claims MBE, WMBE status, a copy of your Firm's current, valid MBE, WMBE certificate is required as part of the submission package.
4. Proposed design team to include individual resumes with relevant design experience as follows:
 - a. Planning and design of a medical office building;
 - b. Programming of a medical office building, preferably in the state of Florida; and
 - c. Examples of a similarly completed design of a medical office building project that includes:

- i. Relevancy in size and scope, preferably in the state of Florida;
 - ii. Experience in the City of Venice, and County of Sarasota, and other required agencies
 - iii. Site development to include but not limited to, Roadway access, Surface parking, Utilities, Lighting, Landscaping and Drainage.
5. A list of at least five client references consisting of name, title, address, telephone number and project name(s) for each project specified. Please ensure your references are updated and willing to reply. Reference responses are mandatory.
 6. Design and permitting experience within the County of Sarasota, Florida and other applicable permitting agencies.
 7. Location of the design Firm's main office, and proposed project team office location (if different from main).
 8. An explanation of how the Firm intends to respond expeditiously on urgent project matters and a summary of the Firm's approach to this particular project.

Facsimile (FAX) or electronic submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered. Applications on any other form may not be considered, and applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Submissions must be complete and on time. Incomplete or tardy submissions will be returned un-opened and the responding Firm disqualified. Submittals are part of the public record. Application materials will not be returned.

The basis for selection criteria for this project includes, but is not limited to:

1. The Firm's relevant design experience as it relates to the above referenced project;
2. The Firm's relevant experience with regulatory agencies with applicable jurisdictional authority, including, but not limited to, federal, state, and local agencies;
3. The Firm's depth of design team and the resources available for this assignment. This includes recent, current, and projected workloads of the Firm;
4. The location of the lead designer's main / corporate office;
5. The Firm's approach to this particular project;
6. The Firm's ability to respond quickly;
7. Whether or not the lead Firm is an MBE / WMBE (valid certificate from the Office of Supplier Diversity required); and
8. The volume of previously awarded projects to the Firm by the Hospital.

It is the Hospital's responsibility to negotiate a fair, competitive and reasonable compensation per Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. A fair, competitive and reasonable compensation shall be evaluated based upon the following information: (1) Compensation on similar projects; (2) other compensation reference data; and (3) after approval of the ranking, proposals requested from the shortlisted firms based upon a scope of services document to be provided at the time of negotiations.

All interested Firms are further informed as follows:

1. The Hospital reserves the right to reject any or all submittals at any time during this process.
2. The Hospital reserves the right to request additional information beyond the data set forth above.
3. Questions regarding submissions shall be directed only to Thomas Perigo, (941) 917-1804.

Submissions shall be titled:

Statement of Qualifications for
ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES

The Sarasota Memorial Hospital Health Care System
Medical Office at 609 S. Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL

4. Submittals must be received by the Hospital no later than 3:30 PM, Tuesday, September 5, 2017. Submit statements to Thomas Perigo, Director of Architecture and Construction, 1515 S. Osprey Avenue, Building A, Sarasota, FL 34239. Submittals received after this deadline will remain unopened and available for pick up.

5. Only Thomas Perigo shall be contacted with regard to this Request. Requests for meetings by individual Firms will not be granted. No communication shall take place between the applicants and the Hospital's Selection Committee members or employees of the Hospital. Failure to comply could result in immediate disqualification at the discretion of the Director of Architecture and Construction.

6. Interested persons should contact Thomas Perigo, (941) 917-1804 with any project-related questions.

7. The selection committee will meet in a public meeting in Sarasota Memorial Hospital's Waldemere Auditorium, 1700 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34239, first floor, on Wednesday, September 13, 2017 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM to hear presentations, discuss and announce the top three ranked Firms (unless fewer than three Firms deliver submittals) deemed to be the most highly qualified to perform the required services with whom the Hospital will subsequently engage in contract negotiations. If there are less than three (3) Firms responding, the Selection Committee shall also evaluate current statements of qualifications and performance data on file with Hospital, in determining which Firm is the most highly qualified to perform the required services and announce the top three ranked Firms. All interested parties are invited to attend.

SARASOTA COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD
REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS for
GENERAL CONTRACTING SERVICES
PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT: The Sarasota County Public Hospital District d/b/a Sarasota Memorial Hospital Health Care System and its governing board (collectively, "the Hospital"), located in Sarasota County, Florida, is accepting statements of qualifications from General Contracting Consulting Firms under the provisions of the Consultants' Competitive

Negotiation Act, which is codified at Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The scope of work for this project includes general contracting services for the renovation of an approximately 6600 sq. ft. medical office building located at 609 South Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL, to include but not limited to pre-construction phase services such as cost estimating, value engineering, critical path method scheduling, constructability reviews and cost control, in addition to phased construction management services, site work, parking and site work infrastructure. The site work infrastructure also includes, but is not limited to, public utilities, communications, mechanical, electrical, plumbing, fire protection and structural work for the renovation of the medical office building.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE: The timeline to renovate the medical office building will be determined by the results of the pre-construction services and potential revisions to the planning study as the medical office building design develops. In addition, the proposed schedule will be determined, and may be subject to change, based on the timing of regulatory and other necessary approvals. Project development, including professional services is contingent upon availability of funds. Firms interested in being considered as candidates are required to submit five (5) bound statements of qualifications that include at least the following data, to be organized in the following order:

1. A copy of Florida construction licensure and corporate registration certificates.
2. Completed AIA Document A305 Contractor's Qualification Statement, latest edition.
3. Proof of general, automobile and workers' compensation liability insurance coverage.
4. Proof of current bonding capacity and current usage of bonding their bonding capacity
5. A separate statement as to whether the firm is a certified Minority Business Enterprise. If your firm claims MBE, WMBE status, a copy of your firm's current, valid MBE, WMBE certificate is required as part of your qualification statement submittal.
6. A list of at least five client references consisting of name, title, address, telephone number and project name(s) for each project specified. Please ensure your references are updated and willing to reply. Reference responses are mandatory.
7. Construction and permitting experience within the City of Venice, FL and County of Sarasota, Florida and other applicable permitting agencies.
8. Resumes of key personnel that would be used on this project to include their project relevant experience.
9. Medical Office Building specific renovation experience.
10. Location of the firm's main office, and proposed project team office location (if different from main).

11. An explanation of how the Firm intends to respond expeditiously on urgent project matters and a summary of the Firm's approach to this particular project.

12. Site construction management experience to include but not limited to, Roadway Access, Surface parking, Utilities, Lighting, Landscaping and Drainage.

Facsimile (FAX) or electronic submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered. Applications on any other form may not be considered, and applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Submissions must be complete and on time. Incomplete or tardy submissions will be returned un-opened and the responding Firm disqualified. Submittals are part of the public record. Application materials will not be returned.

The basis for selection criteria for this project includes, but is not limited to:

1. The Firm's relevant construction / renovations experience as it relates to the above referenced project;
2. The Firm's relevant experience with regulatory agencies with applicable jurisdictional authority, including, but not limited to, federal, state, and local agencies;
3. The Firm's depth of construction project management team and the resources available for this assignment. This includes recent, current, and projected workloads of the Firm;
4. The location of Construction Management main / corporate office;
5. The Firm's approach to this particular project;
6. The Firm's ability to respond quickly;
7. Whether or not the lead Firm is an MBE / WMBE (valid certificate from the Office of Supplier Diversity required); and
8. The volume of previously awarded projects to the Firm by the Hospital.

9. Available bonding capacity remaining for this project
It is the Hospital's responsibility to negotiate a fair, competitive and reasonable compensation per Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. A fair, competitive and reasonable compensation shall be evaluated based upon the following information: (1) Compensation on similar projects; (2) other compensation reference data; and (3) after approval of the ranking, proposals requested from the shortlisted firms based upon a scope of services document to be provided at the time of negotiations.

All interested Firms are further informed as follows:

1. The Hospital reserves the right to reject any or all submittals at any time during this process.
2. The Hospital reserves the right to request additional information beyond the data set forth above.
3. Questions regarding submissions shall be directed only to Thomas Perigo, (941)917-1804.

Submissions shall be titled:

Statement of Qualifications for
General Contracting Services for

The Sarasota Memorial Hospital Health Care System Medical Office at 609 S. Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL

4. Submittals must be received by the Hospital no later than 3:30 PM, Tuesday, September 5, 2017. Submit statements to Thomas Perigo, Director of Architecture and Construction, 1515 S. Osprey Avenue, Building A, Sarasota, FL 34239. Submittals received after this deadline will remain unopened and available for pick up.

5. Only Thomas Perigo shall be contacted with regard to this Request. Requests for meetings by individual Firms will not be granted. No communication shall take place between the applicants and the Hospital’s Selection Committee members or employees of the Hospital. Failure to comply could result in immediate disqualification at the discretion of the Director of Architecture and Construction.

6. Interested persons should contact Thomas Perigo, (941) 917-1804 with any project-related questions.

7. The selection committee will meet in a public meeting Sarasota Memorial Hospital’s Waldemere Auditorium, 1700 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34239, first floor, on Wednesday, September 13, 2017 from 8:00 AM to 10:30 AM to hear presentations, discuss and announce the top three ranked Firms (unless fewer than three Firms deliver submittals) deemed to be the most highly qualified to perform the required services with whom the Hospital will subsequently engage in contract negotiations. If there are less than three (3) Firms responding, the Selection Committee shall also evaluate current statements of qualifications and performance data on file with Hospital, in determining which Firm is the most highly qualified to perform the required services and announce the top three ranked Firms. All interested parties are invited to attend.

**SARASOTA COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD
REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS
FOR HEALTH CARE CAPITAL PROGRAM
MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT: The Sarasota County Public Hospital District d/b/a Sarasota Memorial Health Care System and its governing board (collectively, “the Hospital”), located in Sarasota County, Florida, is accepting statements of qualifications from Health Care Program Management Consulting Firms under Section 255.103, Florida Statutes, and the provisions of the Consultants’ Competitive Negotiation Act, which is codified at Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

HEALTH CARE PROGRAM MANAGEMENT SERVICES DESCRIPTION: The scope of work for health care capital program management services (“Program Management Services”) includes, but is not limited to, the following: schedule control, cost control, and coordination in providing or procuring planning, design, and construction services; preparation of construction documents and bid documents for

capital projects; evaluation of construction bids; administration and supervision of construction; master planning; strategic planning; operational efficiency studies; land use management; market analysis; functional programming; capital expenditure strategy; owner representative services; and other relevant project management staff for the implementation and management of capital design and capital construction projects related to the development and integration of a new hospital campus location. The Program Management Services includes a grouping of substantially similar activities that include (i) the development of a 65 acre site to include a new 90 bed, approximately 315,000 square foot, acute care hospital consisting of 80 adult medical/surgical beds, 10 obstetric labor, delivery, recovery, postpartum room beds, 20 observation unit beds, and 25 emergency care treatment rooms, located at the southwest corner of Laurel Road and Interstate 75 in Venice/Nokomis, Florida (Zip Code 34275)(the “New Hospital Facility”), and (ii) integration and coordination of the New Hospital Facility into Sarasota Memorial Health Care System as it is operated currently, including coordination in capital planning, design, and construction services at Sarasota Memorial Health Care System’s current locations.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF SERVICES: Capital Design, Capital Construction Projects, and the rate of Capital Expenditure timelines will be determined by the approval of ongoing, master planning, strategic planning operational programming, and determination of optimal land use by hospital senior leadership and the Sarasota County Public Hospital District as well as project specific approvals required by relevant agencies having jurisdiction. Project development, including capital Program Management Services, is contingent upon availability of funds.

Firms interested in being considered as candidates are required to submit five (5) bound statements of qualifications that include at least the following data, to be organized in the following order:

1. A list of at least five client references consisting of name, title, address, telephone number and project name(s) for each project specified. Please ensure your references are updated and willing to reply. Reference responses are mandatory.
2. Florida Health Care Master Planning experience.
3. Florida Health Care Operational Programming experience.
4. Florida Health Care Land Use Planning experience.
5. Florida Health Care Capital Project Design review and experience.
6. Florida Health Care Construction Project Management feasibility experience.
7. Florida Health Care experience with agencies having jurisdiction.
8. Florida Health Care Market Analysis experience.

9. Location of the main office, and proposed project team office location (if different from main).

10. An explanation of how the Firm intends to respond expeditiously on urgent project matters and a summary of the Firm's approach to this particular project.

Additionally, services may include, but are not limited to, the study and reporting of health care specific market analysis and branding, physician integration, clinical and non-clinical operational efficiency, best practices, functional programming and feasibility, strategic capital expenditure, portfolio and performance development.

Facsimile (FAX) or electronic submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered. Applications on any other form may not be considered, and applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Submissions must be complete and on time. Incomplete or tardy submissions will be returned unopened and the responding Firm disqualified. Submittals are part of the public record. Application materials will not be returned.

The basis for selection criteria for this project includes, but is not limited to:

1. The Firm's relevant Florida Health Care experience as it relates to the above referenced services;
2. Florida Health Care Master Planning experience;
3. Florida Health Care Operational Programming experience;
4. Florida Health Care Land Use Planning experience;
5. Florida Health Care Capital Project Design review experience;
6. Florida Health Care Construction Project Management experience;
7. Florida Health Care experience with agencies having jurisdiction;
8. Location of the main office, and proposed project team office location (if different from main);
9. An explanation of how the Firm intends to respond expeditiously on urgent project matters and a summary of the Firm's approach to this particular scope of services;
10. The Firm's depth and the resources available for this assignment (This includes recent, current, and projected workloads of the Firm);
11. Whether or not the Firm is an MBE / WMBE (valid certificate from the Office of Supplier Diversity required); and
12. The volume of previously awarded projects to the Firm by the Hospital.

It is the Hospital's responsibility to negotiate a fair, competitive and reasonable compensation per Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. A fair, competitive and reasonable compensation shall

be evaluated based upon the following information: (1) Compensation on similar projects; (2) other compensation reference data; and (3) after approval of the ranking, proposals requested from the shortlisted firms based upon a scope of services document to be provided at the time of negotiations.

All interested Firms are further informed as follows:

1. The Hospital reserves the right to reject any or all submittals at any time during this process.

2. The Hospital reserves the right to request additional information beyond the data set forth above.

3. Questions regarding submissions shall be directed only to Thomas Perigo, (941) 917-1804.

Submissions shall be titled:

Statement of Qualifications for
HEALTH CARE CAPITAL PROGRAM MANAGEMENT
SERVICES for

Sarasota Memorial Health Care System

4. Submittals must be received by the Hospital no later than 3:30 PM, Wednesday, September 6, 2017. Submit statements to Thomas Perigo, Director of Architecture and Construction, 1515 S. Osprey Avenue, Building A, Sarasota, FL 34239. Submittals received after this deadline will remain unopened and available for pick up.

5. Only Thomas Perigo shall be contacted with regard to this Request. Requests for meetings by individual Firms will not be granted. No communication shall take place between the applicants and the Hospital's Selection Committee members or employees of the Hospital. Failure to comply could result in immediate disqualification at the discretion of the Director of Architecture and Construction.

6. Interested persons should contact Thomas Perigo, (941) 917-1804 with any project-related questions.

7. The selection committee will meet in a public meeting Sarasota Memorial Hospital's Waldemere Auditorium, 1700 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, FL 34239, first floor, on Wednesday, September 13, 2017 from 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM to hear presentations, discuss and announce the top three ranked Firms (unless fewer than three Firms deliver submittals) deemed to be the most highly qualified to perform the required services with whom the Hospital will subsequently engage in contract negotiations. If fewer than three (3) Firms respond, the Selection Committee shall also evaluate current statements of qualifications and performance data on file with Hospital, in determining which Firm is the most highly qualified to perform the required services and announce the top three ranked Firms. All interested parties are invited to attend.

**Section XII
Miscellaneous**

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to Section 120.55(1)(b)6. – 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 8:00 a.m., Friday, August 4, 2017 and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, August 10, 2017. An improved electronic publication system is forthcoming on the Florida Administrative Rules website, FLRules.org, which will accommodate complete publication of rules filed for adoption in the previous 7 days, including rules awaiting legislative action.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
61K1-3.033	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
64B5-16.006	8/9/2017	8/29/2017
64B5-16.007	8/9/2017	8/29/2017
64B9-15.008	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
64B9-15.0097	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
64B15-14.0076	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
64B15-19.005	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
68A-15.062	8/4/2017	9/1/2017
68B-14.0039	8/4/2017	8/31/2017
68D-36.108	8/4/2017	8/24/2017
LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES		
Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
40C-2.101	8/2/2017	**/**/****
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****
69L-7.100	12/19/2016	**/**/****
69L-7.501	12/19/2016	**/**/****

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

Certificate of Need

EXEMPTION

The Agency for Health Care Administration approved the following exemption on August 2, 2017 pursuant to Section 408.036(3), Florida Statutes:

ID # E170019 District: 7-4 (Seminole County)

Facility/Project: Village on the Green

Applicant: Lifespace Communities, Inc.

Project Description: Add 15 community nursing home beds to the 60-bed replacement facility authorized under Exemption #E170008

Proposed Project Cost: \$2,250,000

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling

Emergency Action

On August 10, 2017, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction Order with regard to the license of Pedro Julio Garcia, L.M.H.C., License # MH 5664. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General’s findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2017). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On August 10, 2017, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction Order with regard to the certification of Anthony O. Eastman, C.N.A., Certificate # CNA 283979. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General’s findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2017). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On August 10, 2017, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction Order with regard to the license of

Thomas G. Sprys, R.N., License # RN 9352772. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2017). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On August 10, 2017, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction Order with regard to the license of Robert Lee Patton, L.P.N., License # PN 5217550. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2017). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

Emergency Action

On August 10, 2017, the State Surgeon General issued an Order of Emergency Restriction Order with regard to the license of Mackenzie Rae Coppock, L.P.N., License # PN 5212660. This Emergency Restriction Order was predicated upon the State Surgeon General's findings of an immediate and serious danger to the public health, safety and welfare pursuant to Sections 456.073(8) and 120.60(6) Florida Statutes (2017). The State Surgeon General determined that this summary procedure was fair under the circumstances, in that there was no other method available to adequately protect the public.

Section XIII
Index to Rules Filed During Preceding
Week

NOTE: The above section will be published on Tuesday beginning October 2, 2012, unless Monday is a holiday, then it will be published on Wednesday of that week.
