

## Section I

### Notice of Development of Proposed Rules and Negotiated Rulemaking

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

**Agency for Persons with Disabilities**

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**PURPOSE AND EFFECT:** The purpose and effect of these rules and rule amendments is to clarify the process and criteria used by the Agency for Persons with Disabilities (“Agency”) to review and approve or deny requests for Individual and Family Support (“IFS”) services, including requests for in-home subsidies, for which rule making is mandatory pursuant to section 393.0695, Florida Statutes.

**SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED:** The rule language addresses the procedures used by the Agency to receive, review, and respond to requests for IFS funding, including requests for in-home subsidies. The language also describes the criteria used by the Agency to determine whether to approve a request for IFS funding.

**RULEMAKING AUTHORITY:** 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S.

**LAW IMPLEMENTED:** 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S.

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

**DATE AND TIME:** January 25, 2022 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

**PLACE:** Attendees may register for the hearing at: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6312556159650884109>. After registering, a confirmation email will be received containing information about joining the webinar, and opportunities to offer comments and questions will be available. 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: Brett Taylor at (850) 410-1309. If you are hearing

or speech impaired, please contact the Commission office using the Florida Dual Party Relay System, which can be reached at 1(800)955-8700 (Voice) or 1(800)955-8771 (TTD). 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 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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THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS:

**Substantial rewording of Rule 65G-13.001, F.A.C. follows. See Florida Administrative Code for current text.**

**65G-13.001 Definitions-**

(1) “Applicant” means an individual who has not yet been determined eligible for Agency for Persons with Disabilities (“Agency”) services pursuant to section 393.065(1), Florida Statutes (“F.S.”), but who is applying to receive Agency services.

(2) “Act of nature” means a natural disaster such as a hurricane, flood, tornado, earthquake, or insect infestation.

(3) “Central Record” means, as described in section 393.13(4)(i), F.S., a collection of paper or electronic files established by the Agency that pertains to each client or applicant. Each client or applicant’s central record is maintained by his or her support coordinator and contains the client or applicant’s updated demographic information; contact information for the client or applicant’s legal representative(s); releases of information; legal documents (such as a designation of power of attorney, healthcare surrogate, or guardianship, as well as guardian advocate papers and court orders); medical and medication information; results of assessments, eligibility determinations, and evaluations; and service delivery information, including cost plans, written service authorizations, and implementation plans, as required.

(4) “Client” means an individual served by the Agency who meets eligibility criteria as defined in Chapter 393, F.S., and Rules 65G-4.014 through 4.017, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), regardless of whether or not one is on the Waiting List or Waiver.

(5) “Family Care Services” means medically necessary services provided to clients who live in the family home that are necessary to avoid institutionalization or more costly out-of-home residential placement.

(6) “Family Home” means the primary residence occupied by the client and the client’s family member(s).

(7) “Family Member” means a spouse, child, parent, grandparent, sibling, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, stepchild, stepparent, stepsibling, in-law, and adoptive relationships, who is not a client of the Agency.

(8) “Fiscal agent” means a person who serves as the designated payee of a disability benefit payment, is a co-signer on bank accounts, maintains physical possession of banking records, or otherwise controls the client’s finances.

(9) “Guardian advocate referrals” mean referrals or recommendations to organizations in order to obtain a guardian advocate, as defined in section 393.063, F.S., to represent a client of the Agency pursuant to section 393.12, F.S.

(10) “Habilitative services” means specific training activities that help a client to acquire, maintain, or improve self-help, socialization, and adaptive skills to enable a client to reside in the community.

(11) “Home and Community-Based Services (“HCBS”) Waiver” or “Waiver” means the Medicaid waiver program authorized by 42 U.S.C. 1396n(c)(1) of the Federal Social Security Act and section 409.906, F.S., the administration of which the Agency for Health Care Administration (“AHCA”) is responsible, and which consists of the Waiver service delivery system and utilizes individual budgets that are required pursuant to section 393.0662, F.S., under which the Agency, in consultation with AHCA, operates the Developmental Disabilities Individual Budgeting (“iBudget”) Waiver.

(12) “iConnect” means the Agency’s designated data management system as described in section 393.066(2), F.S., chapter 65G-12, F.A.C., and the Florida Medicaid Developmental Disabilities Individual Budgeting Waiver Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook, which is incorporated by reference in rule 59G-13.070, F.A.C.

(13) “Imminent risk” means a situation in which a client or other individual(s) are likely to experience or sustain substantial harm or the client would require institutionalization within the immediate future.

(14) “Individual and Family Supports (“IFS”)” means temporary assistance the Agency provides to meet critical service needs of clients, funded by Social Services Block Grant funds and General Revenue funds.

(15) “Individual Financial Profile” means a profile developed by a client of the Agency or a client’s legal representative and the client’s support coordinator or, if applicable, supported living coach, which accurately reflects the client’s finances and is required to determine the client’s need for an in-home subsidy.

(16) “In-Home Subsidy” means a type of financial assistance the Agency may provide to a client living in his or her own home, based on the client’s needs identified in his or

her Individual Financial Profile. The subsidy includes the following:

(a) “Emergency In-Home Subsidy” means an In-Home Subsidy:

1. that the Agency may approve for a period of up to 90 days; and

2. which may occur when the financial situation of the client suddenly changes and that client risks losing his or her housing due to the change.

(b) “Ongoing In-Home Subsidy” means financial assistance the Agency may provide on a monthly basis to a client who has demonstrated an ongoing need for financial assistance in order to live in his or her own home. Ongoing In-Home Subsidies are also known as Recurring In-Home Subsidies and can only be approved for a time limited basis not to exceed the end of the current fiscal year.

(c) “Start-Up In-Home Subsidy” means financial assistance the Agency may provide to a client who is moving to his or her own home, which is approved on a one-time basis as a single supplement to the client’s income to cover start-up costs based on the client’s individual needs.

(d) “Temporary In-Home Subsidy” means financial assistance the Agency may provide to a client who loses a roommate who shared expenses with the client until a new roommate is selected to share costs.

(17) “Legal representative” means parent(s) of an unemancipated child whose parental rights remain intact, someone acting through a Power of Attorney or Durable Power of Attorney, a health care surrogate, a medical proxy under chapter 765, F.S., or anyone appointed by a Florida court as a guardian or guardian advocate under chapter 393 or 744, F.S.

(18) “Medicaid State Plan” means a comprehensive written statement established by the AHCA, as the single state agency, describing the scope and nature of the Medicaid program. The Plan outlines current Medicaid eligibility standards, policies and reimbursement methodologies to ensure the state program receives matching federal funds under Title XIX of the Social Security Act.

(19) “Medical/dental services” means the same as defined in section 393.063(26), F.S.

(20) “Natural support” means unpaid supports that are or may be provided voluntarily to the client in lieu of Waiver or IFS. Any determination of the availability of natural supports includes but is not limited to consideration of the client’s caregiver(s) age, physical and mental health, travel and work or school schedule, responsibility for other dependents, sleep, and ancillary tasks necessary to the health and well-being of the client.

(21) “Own home” means a house, apartment, or comparable living space that:

(a) The client chooses, rents or owns, controls, and occupies as a primary place of residence;

(b) Meets community housing standards identified on the Housing Survey Form identified in Rule 59G-13.070, F.A.C.; and

(c) Is not a family home as defined in section (6) of this Rule.

(22) "Parent training" means training classes in the community and individualized training in the home for parents/caregivers of clients which is designed to increase his or her knowledge of developmental disabilities, child development, parenting skills, advocacy skills, or accessing and organizing services for the client. This includes parent and caregiver training as part of Behavior Analysis and Behavior Assistant services.

(23) "Provider" means an individual vendor, agency, or direct service staff of an agency certified or approved by the Agency to provide services to Agency clients.

(24) "Quarterly meeting" means a meeting initiated by the support coordinator to assess a client's progress in achieving goals, to determine if services are sufficient and satisfactory, and to review the Health and Safety Checklist and Housing Survey in order to identify any needed changes or follow up. The Health and Safety Checklist and Housing Survey forms are found in the Florida Medicaid Developmental Disabilities Individual Budgeting Waiver Services Coverage and Limitations Handbook, as adopted in Rule 59G-13.070, F.A.C.

(25) "Recreation" means services that utilize recreation and other leisure-based activities to address the assessed needs of clients as a means to increase the client's independence in the home and integration into the community. These services may be provided in the family home, the client's own home, or in community settings.

(26) "Regional office" means one of the Agency's offices serving a designated geographic area of the State.

(27) "Rehabilitative services" mean specific training activities that help a client to restore or regain self-help, socialization, and adaptive skills to enable a client to reside in the community.

(28) "Residential facility services" means room and board, personal care services, supervision, training activities, and other habilitative and rehabilitative services provided to persons with developmental disabilities in a residential facility as defined in sections 393.063(32) and (33), F.S.

(29) "Respite services" means appropriate, short-term, temporary care provided due to a primary caregiver's brief planned or emergency absence, or when the primary caregiver is available but temporarily physically unable to care for or supervise the client for a brief period of time.

(30) "Roommate" means an individual who resides with a client and pays a share of the housing's expenses.

(31) "Significant" means of considerable magnitude or considerable effect.

(32) "Social services" mean services provided by a support coordinator.

(33) "Specialized therapies" mean treatments or activities prescribed and provided by an appropriately trained, licensed, or certified professional or staff person, including but not limited to physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, respiratory therapy, specialized mental health counseling, behavior analysis, behavior assistant services, and physical management services.

(34) "Support coordinator" means an employee of a qualified organization, designated by the agency as provided in s. 393.0663, F.S., to assist individuals and families in identifying their capacities, needs, and resources, as well as finding and gaining access to necessary supports and services; coordinating the delivery of supports and services; advocating on behalf of the individual and family; maintaining relevant records; and monitoring and evaluating the delivery of supports and services to determine the extent to which they meet the needs and expectations identified by the individual, family, and others who participated in the development of the support plan. For clients enrolled in the CDC+ Program, this term includes the CDC+ Consultant.

(35) "Supported living coach" means a care provider who assists a client in locating appropriate housing; and who assists a client in the acquisition, retention, or improvement of skills related to the activities of daily living, household chores, meal preparation, shopping, personal finances, and any social and adaptive skills necessary to enable the client to reside in his or her own home.

(36) "Supported living services" means a category of individually determined services designed and coordinated in such a manner as to provide assistance to adult clients who require ongoing supports to live as independently as possible in his or her own homes, to be integrated into the community, and to participate in community life to the fullest extent possible as stated in section 393.63(43), F.S., which meets the requirements described in chapter 65G-5, F.A.C. These services include supported living coaching and personal supports.

(37) "Support plan" means an individualized and person-centered plan of supports and services designed to meet the daily needs of a client and to help the client live as independently as possible.

(38) "Transportation" means provision of rides to and from services or employment to enable a client to receive the supports and services identified on the support plan and authorized by the Agency.

(39) "Unavailability of funds" means the Agency has obligated all of its available budgeted funds for IFS

expenditures. The Agency shall be the final authority as to the unavailability of funds.

(40) "Waiting List" means the prioritized list of clients, maintained by the Agency, that have been determined eligible for Agency services and are waiting to receive Waiver services when funding becomes available pursuant to s. 393.065(5), F.S. Rulemaking Authority 393.066(8), 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501(4), F.S. Law Implemented 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History—New 8-28-16; Amended\_\_\_\_\_.

**Substantial rewording of Rule 65G-13.002, F.A.C. follows. See Florida Administrative Code for current text.**

**65G-13.002 Individual and Family Supports (IFS) Determination Procedure.**

(1) Requesting IFS.

(a) A request for IFS can be made orally or in writing to the Agency's Regional Office by an applicant, client, or his or her legal representative, or support coordinator. IFS can also be initiated by the Agency. To request IFS, the applicant, client, his or her legal representative, or support coordinator shall provide the following:

1. The applicant or client's name;
2. The region where the applicant or client resides;
3. The applicant or client's legal representative and support coordinator's names, if applicable;
4. A description of the specific client need to be addressed by the requested IFS service(s);
5. Documentation that demonstrates the specific client need to be addressed by the requested IFS service(s); and
6. An explanation of the efforts taken to address those needs through other funding sources and natural supports.

(b) Within 30 calendar days of receipt of a request for IFS, the Agency will approve, partially approve, deny, or request additional documentation or information to supplement the request. If additional documentation or information is requested, the deadline for the Agency's response shall be extended to 60 calendar days following the receipt of the original request for IFS.

1. If the Agency requests additional documentation or information:

a. the applicant or client shall provide the requested documentation or information within 10 calendar days of the date of the written notice; or

b. notify the Agency in writing that the applicant or client wishes the Agency to render its decision based upon the documentation and information provided with the initial request.

2. If the applicant or client fails to timely respond to the Agency's notice requesting additional documentation or information, the Agency will deny or partially approve the request for IFS based on the information available.

(c) Prior to authorizing the use of IFS, the support coordinator or, if the client is not enrolled on the Waiver, the Agency, shall assist the applicant or client with exploring other alternative funding options for which the individual may be eligible to receive. The individual shall utilize all available Medicaid State Plan services, school-based services, private insurance, natural supports, and any other resources that may be available to the individual before the Agency approves IFS. If additional alternative funding or services are available, the Agency shall deny the request for IFS or partially approve IFS to the extent not covered from the alternative funding or services.

(2) Approval for IFS.

(a) IFS funds can only be encumbered for the current fiscal year.

(b) Service authorizations will not be approved retroactively, except:

1. when obtaining prior authorization is impossible due to extenuating circumstances; or
2. without IFS, the client or others would be at imminent risk.

(c) The Regional Office shall only approve IFS for applicants or clients who meet the IFS eligibility criteria described in Rule 65G-13.003, F.A.C. If those criteria are met and the Agency has available funds, the Regional Office will provide written notice of IFS to the client or client's legal representative within 30 calendar days of the receipt of the request or within 60 calendar days if additional documentation is needed as described in subsection (1)(b) of this rule.

(d) IFS shall not be approved for goods or services if the client:

1. Requested and was denied the same goods or services provided under the Medicaid State Plan or the Waiver; or
2. Is in the process of disputing a denial or termination pertaining to the same goods or services under the Medicaid State Plan or the Waiver.

(3) Denial or Termination of IFS.

(a) If the Regional Office concludes that the applicant or client does not meet the IFS criteria described in Rule 65G-13.003, F.A.C., the Regional Office shall deny the IFS request and provide written notification of the denial to the client or client's legal representative within 30 calendar days of receipt of the request or within 60 calendar days if additional documentation is needed. Clients denied IFS have the right to request an administrative hearing pursuant to sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., within 30 calendar days of notification of the denial, partial approval or termination.

(b) If the Agency denies IFS based on lack of documentation and additional documentation subsequently becomes available, or there is a change in the applicant's or

client's situation, the applicant or client may submit a new request for IFS, at any time, to the Regional Office.

(c) The Agency shall not authorize the use of IFS that exceed the appropriation amount. Unavailability of funds is sufficient reason to deny a request for IFS.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066(8), 393.0663, 393.501(4), F.S. Law Implemented 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, F.S. History—New 8-28-16; Amended \_\_\_\_\_.

**Substantial rewording of Rule 65G-13.003, F.A.C. follows. See Florida Administrative Code for current text.**

**65G-13.003 Individual and Family Supports ~~Prioritization~~ Criteria for Approval.**

(1) IFS for applicants may only be approved for the following:

(a) A comprehensive assessment as defined in section 393.063(9), F.S., for purposes of determining eligibility for Agency services pursuant to section 393.065(1), F.S.; or

(b) When he or she requires assistance completing the application for Agency services, including any process relating to the eligibility determination and support planning activities.

(2) IFS for clients may only be approved for the following:

(a) Except for a client eligible for in-home subsidies under Rule 65G-13.004, F.A.C., to receive IFS, the client shall demonstrate that:

1. Community-based services are medically necessary to prevent institutionalization under section 393.066(3), F.S.; or

2. one-time or temporary IFS will avert a crisis pursuant to section 393.065(5)(a), F.S., and division 65G, F.A.C.

(b) In addition to meeting the requirements of (a) of this section:

1. For a client actively enrolling onto the Waiver, the client shall demonstrate an imminent risk prior to Waiver enrollment. The provision of IFS shall only be approved to directly address the imminent risk and must end on the effective date upon commencement of waiver services that addresses the imminent risk.

2. For a client with a pending Significant Additional Needs (“SANs”) request, as described in Rule 65G-4.0218, F.A.C., IFS may only be approved:

a. For a service or services that directly address the SANs request;

b. To address an imminent risk; and

c. Must terminate:

i. Upon denial of the SANs request; or

ii. After approval of the SANs request and upon commencement of waiver services that addresses the imminent risk.

(3) Clients enrolled on the Waiver must not receive IFS services that are the same or substantially the same as the services offered on the Waiver.

(4) In order for an applicant or client to receive a specific IFS service, the service must not be offered or available by any other resource. Other resources include, but are not limited to:

1. Medicaid State Plan;

2. The Waiver, except as provided for in subsection (2)(b) of this Rule;

3. Natural supports;

4. Other agencies or programs; and

5. Other paid supports, such as Medicare or private insurance.

(5) The following services are allowable under IFS:

(a) Adult day training, as defined in section 393.063, F.S.;

(b) Employment services;

(c) Family care services;

(d) Guardian advocate referrals, as described in section 393.12, F.S.;

(e) In-home subsidies, as described in Rules 65G-13.004 to 13.009, F.A.C.;

(f) Medical and dental services, which include but are not limited to nursing services, consumable medical supplies, durable medical equipment, medical evaluations, and dental services;

(g) Parent training;

(h) Personal care services, as defined in section 393.063, F.S.;

(i) Recreation;

(j) Residential facility services;

(k) Respite services, as defined in section 393.063, F.S.;

(l) Social services;

(m) Specialized therapies;

(n) Supporting living services;

(o) Transportation; and

(p) Other habilitative and rehabilitative services.

(6) Non-allowable IFS services include but are not limited to the following:

(a) Home repairs;

(b) Installation or maintenance of spas or swimming pools;

(c) Constructing, erecting, or maintaining fences;

(d) Restraint devices;

(e) Satellite or cable television services or the purchase of a television;

(f) Vacation travel or accommodations;

(g) Aesthetic home improvements;

(h) Contractor services;

(i) Any portion of the principal or interest of a mortgage payment except in emergency situations in which the client is granted an Emergency In-Home Subsidy;

(j) Premiums for life, auto, medical/health, renter's, or homeowner's insurance;

(k) Loans, debts, or credit card payments;

(l) Personal spending funds or savings accounts;

- (m) Alcohol or nicotine products or supplies;
  - (n) Alimony payments or child support payments, or any payments that are for the direct benefit of a child or children who reside in the home with a client receiving an In-Home Subsidy;
  - (o) Purchase or replacement of major appliances such as refrigerators, stoves, dishwasher, or washer/dryer;
  - (p) Computing devices, such as computers and tablet personal computers;
  - (q) Telephones for persons in the family home or a licensed facility;
  - (r) Second telephone line in person’s own home;
  - (s) Court costs, lawyer fees, traffic tickets, or fines;
  - (t) Recreational items or expenses related to events and activities that a client attends that do not address an assessed need of the client;
  - (u) Reimbursement of money owed for cost of expenses related to events and activities that a client attends;
  - (v) Capital improvements to property;
  - (w) General repair and maintenance of property, such as repair of major appliances and heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems;
  - (x) Fees related to legal guardianship and legal guardianship reports;
  - (y) Property taxes;
  - (z) Supporting or subsidizing any other person living in the client’s household;
  - (aa) Providing direct services and supports to a client who is the recipient of the In-Home Subsidy; and
  - (ab) Covering or replacing supports or services that are allowable under the Medicaid State Plan, the Waiver, or any other governmental program after the client has been determined eligible for the Medicaid State Plan, the Waiver, or other governmental program.
- Rulemaking Authority 393.065, 393.066(8), 393.0663, 393.501(4), F.S. Law Implemented 393.063, 393.065, 393.066, 393.0663, F.S. History—New 8-28-16; Amended\_\_\_\_\_.

**65G-13.004 Eligibility Requirements for In-Home Subsidies**

- (1) All in-home subsidy funding is limited to essential needs that relate to the client’s goal of remaining in his or her own home.
- (2) The request for an in-home subsidy must:
  - (a) Conform with the requirements of 65G-13.002(1)(a), F.A.C.; and
  - (b) Include a complete and accurate Individual Financial Profile, Form 65G-13.004 A, effective \_\_\_\_\_, adopted and incorporated herein, which may be found at <http://apdcares.org/customers/supported-living/docs/Individual%20Financial%20Profile.pdf> and

- \_\_\_\_\_ , to the Agency, the results of which substantiate a need for the in-home subsidy; and
- (c) Include documentation that demonstrates the need of the client to remain in his or her own home.
- (3) To be eligible for an in-home subsidy, the client must establish:
  - (a) he or she is eighteen years of age or older;
  - (b) he or she would be unable to remain in his or her own home without the in-home subsidy; and
  - (c) that living in his or her own home:
    - 1. Is in the client’s best interest;
    - 2. Does not jeopardize his or her health and safety needs;
  - and
  - 3. Is more cost-effective than other options.
  - (4) Costs related to the in-home subsidy request shall be reasonable for the geographical area where the client lives.
  - (5) The maximum amount for an in-home subsidy will be based on client need, as determined by the client’s Individual Financial Profile that was approved by the Agency, and the availability of Agency funds.
  - (6) In-home subsidies are funds of last resort and will only be granted when all other available resources are exhausted, including those described in Rule 65G-13.003(3)(b), F.A.C. The client shall utilize all resources or options, other than moving into the family home, to reduce costs of living, including the requirements in subsections (a)-(d), below, before in-home subsidies may be authorized.
    - (a) A client requesting an in-home subsidy for rental assistance shall show proof that he or she has applied for and been denied rental assistance through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development or other local governmental organization (e.g., the local public housing authority).
    - (b) A client is expected to participate in utility/telephone company budget plans, if available, or other low-income cellular phone assistance programs. In-home subsidy funds may be used to pay the cost of cellular phone service if it does not cost more than a landline telephone service. A cost comparison of cellular phone services and landline telephone service shall be included in the client’s Individual Financial Profile.
    - (c) A client who intends to use the in-home subsidy funds for food shall show proof that he or she has been approved or denied supplemental nutrition assistance program (“SNAP”) benefits within the last twelve (12) months.
    - (d) A client is expected to live within his or her means, which may include living with a roommate or roommates.
  - (7) The need for an in-home subsidy cannot be created by mismanagement or misuse of the client’s funds, which means spending funds on services or equipment that were not authorized when the application for funds was submitted and approved for a specific use.

(8) A month-to-month lease is not considered a valid lease for the purposes of this rule unless the client's circumstances meet any of the criteria listed in subsections (a)-(c) of this section and may not be used for more than three consecutive months per fiscal year.

(a) All available housing options that meet a client's identified needs require a month-to-month lease. For purposes of this paragraph, "available housing options" means the options that are reasonable relative to the client's financial means, as identified in the Individual Financial Profile;

(b) Alternative living arrangements that offer long-term leases, such as annual leases, cannot reasonably meet the client's identified needs as described in his or her support plan; or

(c) The client's health, safety, and welfare require he or she sign a month-to-month lease.

(9) With the exception of Start-Up In-Home Subsidies, a copy of the current signed lease agreement between the client and landlord shall be provided to the appropriate Regional Office. The client shall sign any renewal lease on or before the renewal date and provide it to the Agency annually or, if signed each month, monthly.

(10) The Agency will deny payment for an in-home subsidy requested by a client or legal representative who did not request prior authorization. In-home subsidies will not be approved retroactively. In limited circumstances, an exception may be made on a case-by-case basis by the Agency's regional office to correct an administrative error or to consider a health and safety risk or emergency situation.

(11) A week-to-week lease is not considered a valid lease for the purposes of this rule.

(12) The Agency identifies and approves funds on a one-time or ongoing basis based on the client's identified needs. Criteria restricting items that may be purchased with In-Home Subsidy funds can be found in Rule 65G-13.007, F.A.C. In-home subsidies include the following:

(a) Start-Up In-Home Subsidy.

1. A Start-Up In-Home Subsidy is financial assistance the Agency may provide to a client moving to his or her own home that is provided on a one-time basis as a single supplement to the client's income. To qualify for a Start-Up In-Home Subsidy, the client shall:

a. Demonstrate that he or she requires financial assistance in order to obtain a valid lease and move into his or her own home; and

b. Submit to the Agency a copy of the un-signed proposed lease before approval of the Start-Up In-Home Subsidy.

2. The Agency will not reimburse start-up expenses that the client incurred prior to receiving approval for a Start-Up In-Home Subsidy.

(b) Temporary In-Home Subsidy.

1. A Temporary In-Home Subsidy is financial assistance the Agency may provide to a client who loses a roommate who shared expenses with the client until a new roommate is selected to share costs.

2. If the Agency approves a Temporary In-Home Subsidy, the Agency will review the need for the subsidy every 30 calendar days. The client's support coordinator or, if applicable, supported living coach, shall provide a written explanation of efforts taken to find a roommate on a monthly basis or more frequently as requested by the Agency. Failure to demonstrate that the client is actively seeking a roommate will result in termination of the Temporary In-Home Subsidy.

3. If, after six months of receiving a Temporary In-Home Subsidy or the end of the current fiscal year, whichever comes first, the client has not found a replacement roommate, the support coordinator or supported living coach, if applicable, shall submit an updated Individual Financial Profile for reevaluation of the need for the Temporary In-Home Subsidy, and if, at that time, the client's need persists:

a. The support coordinator or supported living coach, if applicable, will work with the client to find a less costly alternative, such as a different living environment; and

b. If no less costly alternative is identified, the client's updated Individual Financial Profile shall demonstrate that he or she has used all resources or options to reduce the costs of living as part of the Agency's re-evaluation.

c. If it is determined by the Agency that the client has not used all other resources or options, then the Temporary In-Home Subsidy may either be reduced or terminated, as appropriate, accordingly.

(c) Emergency In-Home Subsidy.

1. An Emergency In-Home Subsidy is financial assistance the Agency may provide to supplement a client's income, or another In-Home Subsidy, when the financial situation of the client suddenly changes and that client risks losing his or her housing due to the change. The client shall demonstrate that he or she requires financial assistance in order to maintain residence in his or her own home due to a sudden change the client recently experienced or will soon experience in his or her financial situation. This includes completing a new or updated Individual Financial Profile to substantiate the need for an Emergency In-Home Subsidy.

a. For the purposes of subsection (c) above, a "sudden change" includes:

(I) The death or debilitating injury of a person who provides financial assistance to the client such that this person cannot provide financial assistance;

(II) A medical emergency that requires payment from the client; or

(III) An act of nature that necessitates payment to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the client.

b. A “sudden change” does not include the occurrence of events that are not proximate in time, such as weeks or months, to when the client requests the Emergency In-Home Subsidy.

2. If the Agency approves an Emergency In-Home Subsidy, the Agency will review the need for the subsidy every 30 calendar days. An Emergency In-Home Subsidy will not be approved for longer than 90 days.

3. A client who is the recipient of an Emergency Subsidy shall manage the use of such funds with the assistance of his or her designated fiscal agent, support coordinator, and/or supported living coach.

4. If the client provides documentation, including a new or updated Individual Financial Profile, supporting his or her request for an Emergency In-Home Subsidy when the client requests the subsidy, the Agency shall render a decision as soon as is practicable to prevent the client’s health, safety, or welfare from being placed in jeopardy. In no event shall the Agency take longer than 30 calendar days to render a decision regarding a request for an Emergency In-Home Subsidy. Failure to complete a new or updated Individual Financial Profile to substantiate the need for an Emergency In-Home Subsidy constitutes grounds for denial or partial approval of the client’s request for an Emergency In-Home Subsidy.

(d) Ongoing In-Home Subsidy.

1. An Ongoing In-Home Subsidy is financial assistance the Agency may provide on a monthly basis to a client who demonstrates a need for ongoing financial support in order to live in his or her own home.

2. An Ongoing In-Home Subsidy will not be approved beyond the remainder of the current fiscal year.

3. An approval for Ongoing In-Home Subsidy will be based on the client’s Individual Financial Profile and demonstrated need for the Ongoing In-Home Subsidy, subject to availability of funds. In order for the Agency to review a client’s ongoing need for an Ongoing In-Home Subsidy, a client shall request renewal of the Ongoing In-Home Subsidy by the earliest of the following:

a. 30 calendar days prior to the end of the approval period designated in the Agency’s notice approving the in-home subsidy;

b. 30 calendar days prior to the new fiscal year, or May 1 of each year; or

c. 30 calendar days before the end of a lease.

4. If the support coordinator’s or, if applicable, supported living coach’s face-to-face quarterly meeting, described in Rules 59G-13.070 and 65G-13.007, F.A.C., includes review of this documentation within 60 days of the lease ending, then this review does not need to be repeated for purposes of this rule.

(13) Upon request by the Agency, the recipient of any in-home subsidy shall provide an updated Individual Financial Profile within 10 calendar days of the Agency’s request. Failure

to submit an updated and accurate Individual Financial Profile may result in denial, partial approval, or termination of the subsidy.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

**65G-13.005 Approval Process for In-Home Subsidies**

(1) The Agency will distribute funds for in-home subsidies in accordance with the client’s individual determination of need as requested in the client’s Individual Financial Profile and approved by the Agency as detailed in the Agency’s notice to the client and will be subject to the availability of funds.

(2) The client shall complete an Individual Financial Profile, which is adopted and incorporated by reference in Rule 65G-13.004, F.A.C., to request an in-home subsidy.

(3) The Agency shall not approve an In-Home Subsidy request if the client, his or her support coordinator or, if applicable, supported living coach, does not provide an accurate and up-to-date Individual Financial Profile to substantiate the request.

(4) The following individuals shall provide assistance in completing or updating the Individual Financial Profile:

(a) If a client has a supported living coach, the supported living coach shall assist the client or legal representative in completing his or her Individual Financial Profile to substantiate the need for an in-home subsidy. The client or the client’s supported living coach shall send the client’s completed Individual Financial Profile to the support coordinator no more than 10 calendar days following the selection of housing by the client and prior to signing the lease.

(b) The support coordinator shall review the Individual Financial Profile to verify that it accurately reflects all sources of income and monthly expenses of the client. The support coordinator shall submit the client’s Individual Financial Profile to the Regional Office within 5 calendar days of receipt.

(c) If a client does not have a supported living coach, the support coordinator shall assist the client or legal representative in completing his or her Individual Financial Profile and submit the Individual Financial Profile to the Regional Office no more than 10 calendar days following the selection of housing by the client and prior to signing the lease.

(5) The Agency will follow the same review and determination process within the timeframes described in 65G-13.002, F.A.C.

(a) If a client requests an Emergency In-Home Subsidy, the Agency will review the request and determine the client’s eligibility for the subsidy as soon as practicable, but no later than 30 calendar days from receipt of the client’s Individual Financial Profile.



(6) A client who requests to receive an in-home subsidy from the Agency shall not commit to a living situation that is beyond his or her financial means prior to having the Agency review and approve his or her Individual Financial Profile for an in-home subsidy. The Agency is not responsible for the costs of the living arrangement that the client agrees to in a lease or mortgage without Agency approval.

(7) The client shall exhaust any other funding source available before the Agency will approve a subsidy. The support coordinator and supported living coach shall assist the client in obtaining additional funding sources and document all such efforts in the request for the in-home subsidy. Analysis of other funding sources for the client, may include, but is not limited to:

- (a) Seeking employment;
- (b) Obtaining potential roommates to share costs with the client;
- (c) Seeking any subsidized housing options for the client;
- (d) Applying for supplemental nutrition assistance program (“SNAP”); and
- (e) Seeking any other resources available to the client.

(8) Unavailability of funds is sufficient reason to deny a request for an in-home subsidy. The approval of all in-home subsidies may be reduced or eliminated if funds are not available or if funds are used outside the scope of what was approved by the Agency as shown in the notice approving the in-home subsidy.

(9) If an in-home subsidy is approved, the client shall provide a copy of the signed lease to his or her support coordinator. The support coordinator shall place the copy of the signed lease in the client’s central record.

(10) Upon approval of any in-home subsidy, the Agency will issue a notice that the request was approved to the client or to the client’s legal representative that reflects the approved subsidy amount, the period of time to which it applies, and the specifically approved use(s) of such funds.

(a) The support coordinator shall place a copy of the notice in the client’s central record.

(b) In-home subsidy funds shall be used to purchase the less costly version of the items listed in the notice.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History–New \_\_\_\_\_.

**65G-13.006 In-Home Subsidy Fund Restrictions**

(1) In-home subsidy funds shall not be used to purchase restricted items, which include:

- (a) Satellite or cable television services or the purchase of a television;
- (b) Maintenance of a swimming pool;
- (c) Vacation travel or accommodations;

- (d) Aesthetic home improvements;
- (e) Contractor services;
- (f) Medical or dental services;
- (g) Medicines, medical supplies, or adaptive equipment or aids;

(h) Any portion of the principal or interest of a mortgage payment except in emergency situations in which the client is granted an Emergency In-Home Subsidy;

(i) Premiums for life, auto, medical/health, renter’s, or homeowner’s insurance;

(j) Loans, debts, or credit card payments;

(k) Personal spending funds or savings accounts;

(l) Alcohol or nicotine products or supplies;

(m) Alimony payments or child support payments, or any payments that are for the direct benefit of a child or children who reside in the home with a client receiving the In-Home Subsidy;

(n) Purchase or replacement of major appliances such as refrigerators, stoves, dishwasher, or washer/dryer;

(o) Computers or tablet personal computers;

(p) Second telephone line;

(q) Court costs, lawyer fees, traffic tickets, or fines;

(r) Recreational items or expenses related to events and activities that an client attends;

(s) Reimbursement of money owed for cost of expenses related to events and activities that an client attends;

(t) Capital improvements to property;

(u) General repair and maintenance of property, such as repair of major appliances and heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems;

(v) Fees related to legal guardianship and legal guardianship reports;

(w) Property taxes;

(x) Supporting or subsidizing any other person living in the client’s household;

(y) Providing direct services and supports to a client who is the recipient of the In-Home Subsidy;

(z) Internet; and

(aa) Covering or replacing supports or services which are allowable under the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Medicaid State Plan, the Medicaid Home and Community-Based Services Waiver, or any other governmental agency.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History–New \_\_\_\_\_.

**65G-13.007 Reviews and Adjustments to Subsidy Amount**

(1) The supported living coach, or the support coordinator if there is no supported living coach, shall reassess a client’s

need for the in-home subsidy on a quarterly basis, or more frequently if necessary, to determine the client's ongoing need for the subsidy. The support coordinator shall document this activity in his or her progress/case notes.

(2) Support coordinators shall verify that the in-home subsidy funds have been spent appropriately, as described in the approval notice sent by the Agency, which shall be documented in the client's progress/case notes. This includes reviewing receipts during quarterly meetings to verify that designated items were purchased as approved by the Agency.

(3) In-home subsidy funds shall be used in a manner that is approved by the Agency.

(a) Support coordinators and supported living coaches shall notify the Agency upon discovering any use of in-home subsidies that was not previously approved by the Agency.

(b) Support coordinators and supported living coaches shall take appropriate action to address any unapproved use of such funds, which may include:

1. Providing additional supports to the client who is the recipient of the in-home subsidy, such as training or assistance with money management;

2. Assisting in locating someone to provide financial management for the client who is the recipient of the in-home subsidy.

(c) In any case where in-home subsidy funds are not used in a manner that was previously approved by the Agency, the Agency shall take appropriate action necessary to ensure that the use of in-home subsidy funds is in compliance with this chapter and Florida Statutes, including:

1. Terminating or decreasing the amount of the subsidy; or

2. Disbursing direct payment to the vendor (such as a landlord or utility company) instead of disbursing an in-home subsidy payment to the client or the client's guardian.

(4) If a family member, fiscal agent or any other person who controls the finances of a client who is the recipient of an in-home subsidy uses the funds in a way that is not for the sole benefit of the client or inconsistent with the notice of approval sent by the Agency, the person who misused the funds shall repay the funds to the Agency. If necessary, the Agency will make appropriate referrals to the State Attorney, Department of Children and Families, law enforcement, or other appropriate authorities in accordance with chapters 39 and 415, F.S.

(5) Pursuant to the requirements of Rules 65G-13.004 and 13.006, F.A.C., a client shall complete and submit a new Individual Financial Profile to the Regional Office when circumstances affect the client's need for an in-home subsidy. Circumstances that affect a client's need for an in-home subsidy include, but are not limited to:

(a) A change in Social Security payments;

(b) The client receives any back payment for Social Security income or other benefits;

(c) A change in cost-sharing arrangements between roommates;

(d) A change in employment status;

(e) A change in availability of subsidized housing;

(f) A change in the client's income;

(g) A change in housing or rent expenses;

(h) Eviction due to non-payment of rent requiring the client to secure an alternative living arrangement;

(i) Pest infestation not covered in rental agreement;

(j) Loss of child support payments for any client who has children;

(k) Major home repairs and or damages not covered by the landlord under a lease or agreement, renter insurance, or homeowners insurance; and

(l) A change in expenditures that results in financial hardship not attributable to mismanagement of the client's funds.

(6) Each client's unique circumstances will determine the need for an increase or decrease of an in-home subsidy.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **65G-13.008 Payment**

(1) Details regarding the intent and payment plan of the in-home subsidy shall be documented by the client's support coordinator in the client's support plan or its addendum which shall be maintained in the client's central record.

(2) Upon receipt of an approved invoice, payments shall be made to the entity for which the subsidy is being requested (such as a landlord or utility or phone company) in lieu of payments directly to the client or client's guardian whenever possible.

(3) If the client has been adjudicated incompetent, payments will be made to the guardian, appointed fiscal agent, or representative payee when payments directly to the vendor are not possible. The guardian, client's fiscal agent, or representative payee, who receives the funds on behalf of the client, shall not be the provider of the client's IFS.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **65G-13.009 Notice of Denial or Change of In-Home Subsidy Amount**

(1) The Agency shall inform the client of the decision to deny, partially approve, reduce, or terminate an in-home subsidy by providing adequate notice of any rights to an administrative hearing pursuant to sections 120.569, and 120.57, F.S. Circumstances for a denial include, but are not limited to, the following:

(a) The client does not reside in an eligible supported living arrangement as defined in sections 393.063(43) or 393.0695, F.S., and chapter 65G-5, F.A.C.;

(b) The client is requesting an in-home subsidy for items not authorized by subsection 393.0695(2), F.S., and chapter 65G-13, F.A.C.;

(c) The client’s request exceeds the limits of the Agency’s appropriated funds;

(d) The client’s request does not contain documentation demonstrating the need of the requested in-home subsidy; and

(e) The client’s request is in excess of the client’s needs to remain in the client’s own home pursuant to the Individual Financial Profile.

Rulemaking Authority 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, 393.501, F.S. Law Implemented, 393.063, 393.066, 393.0663, 393.0695, F.S. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

## Section II Proposed Rules

### DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

#### Substance Abuse Program

RULE NO.: 65D-30.0142      RULE TITLE: Clinical and Operational Standards for Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Department intends to amend Rule 65D-30.0142, F.A.C., Clinical and Operational Standards for Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders. This rule amendment will reduce staffing and fiscal burdens on providers of Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders, while implementing new evidence-informed practices for individuals receiving these services.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule amendment adopts a rule substantively identical to the federal regulations adopted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration at Title 42 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 8.12(i)(3) (42 C.F.R 8.12(i)(3)), aligns the maximum caseload requirements for counselors with other rule chapter service components, and allows physicians to conduct annual assessments through telehealth.

#### 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.

A SERC Checklist was prepared and a SERC is not required.

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 used a checklist to conduct an economic analysis and determine if there is an adverse impact or regulatory costs associated with this rule that exceeds the criteria in section 120.541(2)(a), F.S. Based upon this analysis, the Department has determined that the proposed rule is not expected to 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: 397.321(5), FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 397.311(26), 397.321, 397.410, 397.427, 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:

PLACE:

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Elizabeth Floyd. Elizabeth Floyd can be reached at Elizabeth.Floyd@myflfamilies.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

#### **65D-30.0142 Clinical and Operational Standards for Medication-Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders.**

(1) General Requirements.

(a) through (d) No change.

(e) Minimum Responsibilities of the Physician. Physicians must adhere to best practice standards for an individual receiving methadone medication-assisted treatment. Best practices are evidence-based practices which are subject to scientific evaluation for effectiveness and efficacy. Best practice standards may be established by entities such as the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, national trade associations, accrediting organizations recognized by the Department, or comparable authorities in substance use treatment. In addition, the responsibilities of the physician include the following:

1. through 4. No change.

5. To ensure that ~~an a face to face~~ assessment is conducted, either face-to-face or via telehealth, with each individual at least annually, including evaluation of the individual’s physical/medical status, progress in treatment, and justification for continued maintenance or medical clearance for voluntary withdrawal or a dosage reduction protocol. The initial

assessment for methadone medication-assisted treatment shall be conducted face-to-face. The assessment shall be conducted by a physician or a P.A. or A.P.R.N. under the supervision of a physician. The protocol shall include criteria and the conditions under which the assessment would be conducted more frequently.

- (f) through (h) No change.
- (2) Maintenance Treatment Standards.
- (a) through (f) No change.
- (g) Methadone Take-home Privileges.

1. Take-home doses of methadone are permitted only for individuals participating in a methadone medication-assisted treatment program. Requests for take-home doses greater than the amount allowed, as stipulated in paragraph (2)(h) of this rule, must be entered into the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration/Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (SAMHSA/CSAT) Opioid Treatment Program Extranet for federal and state approval. The following must be indicated on the exception request:

- a. through b. No change.
- ~~e. Dates and results of last three (3) drug screens, for individuals in treatment longer than 90 days;~~
- d. through f. are redesignated c. through e. No change.
- 2. through 5. No change.

(h) Take-home Phases. To be considered for take-home privileges, all individuals shall be in compliance with criteria as stated in 42 CFR 8.12(i)(2).

- 1. No change.
- 2. Take-home privileges shall be limited to the following:
  - a. During the first 90 days of treatment, the take-home supply is limited to a single dose each week. The individual shall ingest all other doses under appropriate medical supervision.

b. In the second 90 days of treatment, the take-home supply is limited to two doses per week.

c. In the third 90 days of treatment, the take-home supply is limited to three doses per week.

d. In the remaining months of the first year, an individual may be given a maximum of six-day supply of take-home medication.

e. After one year of continuous treatment, an individual may be given a maximum two-week supply of take-home medication.

f. After two years of continuous treatment, an individual may be given a maximum of one-month supply of take-home medication, but must make monthly visits.

~~2. No take homes shall be permitted during the first 30 days following placement, unless approved by both the state and federal authorities.~~

~~a. Phase I. Following 30 consecutive days in treatment, the individual may be eligible for one (1) take home per week from~~

~~day 31 through day 90, provided that the individual has had negative drug screens and is following program requirements for the preceding 30 days.~~

~~b. Phase II. Following 90 consecutive days in treatment, the individual may be eligible for two (2) take homes per week from day 91 through day 180, provided that the individual has had negative drug screens for the preceding 60 days.~~

~~e. Phase III. Following 180 consecutive days in treatment, the individual may be eligible for three (3) take homes per week with no more than a two (2) day supply at any one time from day 181 through one (1) year, provided that the individual has had negative drug screens for the preceding 90 days.~~

~~d. Phase IV. Following one (1) year in continuous treatment, the individual may be eligible for four (4) take-homes per week through the second year of treatment, provided that the individual has had negative drug screens for the preceding 90 days.~~

~~e. Phase V. Following two (2) years in continuous treatment, the individual may be eligible for five (5) take homes per week, provided that the individual has had negative drug screens for the preceding 90 days.~~

~~f. Phase VI. Following three (3) years in treatment, the individual may be eligible for six (6) take homes per week provided that the individual had all negative drug screens for the past year.~~

### 3. Diversion Control Requirements.

a. All individuals in medical maintenance shall receive their medication orally in the form of liquid, diskette or tablet. Diskettes and tablets are allowed if formulated to reduce potential parenteral abuse.

b. All individuals will participate in a "call back" program by reporting back to the provider upon notice for a medication count.

c. All criteria for take-home privileges as listed under paragraph (2)(g) shall continue to be met.

~~Methodone Medical Maintenance. Providers may place an individual on methadone medical maintenance in cases where it can be demonstrated that the potential benefits of medical maintenance to the individual exceed the potential risks, in the professional judgment of the physician. Only a physician may authorize placement of an individual on medical maintenance. The physician shall provide justification in the clinical record regarding the decision to place an individual on medical maintenance.~~

~~The following conditions shall apply to medical maintenance.~~

~~a. To qualify for partial medical maintenance, an individual may receive no more than 13 take homes and must have been in continuous treatment for four (4) years with negative drug screens for the previous two (2) years.~~

~~b. To qualify for full medical maintenance an individual may receive no more than 27 take homes and must have been in continuous treatment for five (5) years with negative drug screen for the prious two (2) years.~~

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~~e. All criteria for take homes as listed under paragraph (2)(g) shall continue to be met.~~

(i) through (m) No change.

(n) Caseload. No full-time counselor shall have a caseload that exceeds the equivalent of 50 ~~32~~ currently participating individuals. Participating individual equivalents are determined in the following manner.

1. An individual seen once per week would count as 1.0 equivalent.

2. An individual seen bi-weekly would count as a .5 equivalent.

3. An individual seen monthly or less would count as a .25 equivalent.

~~4. As an example, a counselor has a caseload of 15 individuals that are seen weekly (counts as an equivalent of 15), 30 individuals seen biweekly (counts as an equivalent of 15), and 8 individuals seen monthly (counts as an equivalent of 2). The counselor would have a total caseload of 53 individuals equaling 32 equivalent individuals.~~

(o) through (r) No change.

(3) through (5) No change.

(6) This rule will be reviewed and repealed, modified, or renewed through the rulemaking process five years from the effective date.

Rulemaking Authority 397.321(5) FS. Law Implemented 397.311(26), 397.321, 397.410, 397.427 FS. History—New 8-10-20. Amended

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Chris Weller

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Shevaun L. Harris

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 28, 2021

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: January 6, 2022

### Section III Notice of Changes, Corrections and Withdrawals

#### FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

##### Vessel Registration and Boating Safety

RULE NO.: 68D-24.021      RULE TITLE: Ochlockonee River Boating Restricted Areas

##### NOTICE OF CORRECTION

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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.

#### FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

##### Vessel Registration and Boating Safety

RULE NO.: 68D-24.0035      RULE TITLE: Protection Zones for Springs

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Additionally, paragraph (3) of the rule language was missing a period at the end of the sentence. The language is amended to add that non-substantive change, as provided below:

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

**68D-24.0035 Protection Zones for Springs.**

(1) The Commission will establish a springs protection zone restricting speed and operation or prohibiting anchoring, mooring, beaching, or grounding of vessels within a first, second, or third magnitude spring or spring group, and associated spring runs when evidence demonstrates that a zone will protect or prevent the spring, spring group, or spring run from harm of the type identified in section 327.45, Florida Statutes.

(2) Evidence of the need for spring protection or to prevent harm may include vessel carrying capacity studies, vessel traffic studies, vegetation or water quality studies, or any facts or data that are of a type reasonably relied upon by scientists, environmental professionals, boating professionals or engineers.

(3) Any person may provide evidence to the Commission for use in the evaluation of a spring, spring group, or spring run under subsection (1).

(4) Springs protection zones shall be no larger than necessary to protect or prevent specified harms to springs, spring runs, and spring groups.

(5) Following the Commission’s adoption of a springs protection zone by rule, the zone will be enforceable once the Commission posts uniform waterway markers notifying the public of the regulations applicable in the zone. Rulemaking Authority 327.04, 327.45 FS. Law Implemented 327.45 FS. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

**Section IV  
Emergency Rules**

**NONE**

**Section V  
Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Rule  
Variance or Waiver**

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

The Public Employees Relations Commission hereby gives notice: On January 5, 2022, the Public Employees Relations Commission issued a final order in Case No. MS-2021-050 granting an unopposed emergency petition for variance from Florida Administrative Code Rule 60CC-4.002 filed by Elizabeth Albert and the Volusia United Educators, Inc., Local 1605, FEA, AFT, NEA, AFL-CIO. The variance allows the Petitioners to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The Public Employees Relations Commission determined that the Petitioners had demonstrated an emergency existed and that they would suffer a substantial hardship if the variance was not granted. The petition was filed on December 7, 2021, and the notice of receipt of the petition was published on December 9, 2021, on the Commission’s website and in Volume 47, Number 237 F.A.R. No comments were received on the petition.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

The Public Employees Relations Commission hereby gives notice: On January 5, 2022, the Public Employees Relations Commission issued a final order in Case No. MS-2021-051 granting an unopposed emergency petition for variance from Florida Administrative Code Rule 60CC-4.002 filed by Elizabeth Albert and the Volusia United Educators, Inc., Local 1605, FEA, AFT, NEA, AFL-CIO. The variance allows the Petitioners to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The Public Employees Relations Commission determined that the Petitioners had demonstrated an emergency existed and that they would suffer a substantial hardship if the variance was not granted. The petition was filed on December 7, 2021, and the notice of receipt of the petition was published on December 9, 2021, on the Commission’s website and in Volume 47, Number 237 F.A.R. No comments were received on the petition.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

Public Employees Relations Commission

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

60CC-4.002 Ratification by Members of Bargaining Unit

The Public Employees Relations Commission hereby gives notice: On January 5, 2022, the Public Employees Relations Commission issued a final order in Case No. MS-2021-052 granting an unopposed emergency petition for variance from Florida Administrative Code Rule 60CC-4.002 filed by Robert Cassanello and the United Faculty of Florida. The variance allows the Petitioners to conduct all aspects of a ratification election electronically. The Public Employees Relations Commission determined that the Petitioners had demonstrated an emergency existed and that they would suffer a substantial hardship if the variance was not granted. The petition was filed on December 15, 2021, and the notice of receipt of the petition was published on December 16, 2021, on the Commission's website and in Volume 47, Number 242 F.A.R. No comments were received on the petition.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: The Clerk, Public Employees Relations Commission, 4708 Capital Circle Northwest, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32303-7256.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Nursing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B9-3.002 Qualifications for Examination

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 4, 2022, the Board of Nursing, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Elizabeth Ford. Petitioner requests a variance or waiver from subsection 64B9-3.002(3), F.A.C., which states that or an applicant writing the examination for practical nurses on the basis of practical nursing education equivalency, a completed Practical Nurse Equivalence (PNEQ) Application Letter or an official certified transcript which sets forth graduation from an approved professional program.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Joe R. Baker, Jr, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C02, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3252; MQA.Nursing@flhealth.gov.

Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Nursing within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Optometry

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B13-4.001 Examination Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 28, 2021, the Board of Optometry, received a petition for waiver or variance filed by Veronia Abadeer. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subparagraphs 64B13-4.001(1)(d)2. and 3., F.A.C., which states in part that the licensure examination authorized in subsection 463.006(2), F.S., shall consist of four parts with one being the Florida Practical Examination. The Florida Practical Examination shall consist of three (3) tested skills and the Board requires passage of all three (3) skills on the same test attempt. The three (3) skills are Biomicroscopy, Binocular Indirect Ophthalmoscopy, Dilated Biomicroscopy and Non-Contact Fundus Lens Evaluation and are weighted equally. The passing score for each skill shall be seventy-five percent (75%) or better, and a passing score on each of the three (3) skills must be obtained on the same test attempt.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Christina McGinnis, Executive Director, Board of Optometry, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, christina.mcginnis@flhealth.com. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Optometry within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Optometry

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B13-4.001 Examination Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 28, 2021, the Board of Optometry, received a petition for waiver or variance filed by Jake Dubin. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subparagraphs 64B13-4.001(1)(d)2. and 3., F.A.C., which states in part that the licensure examination authorized in subsection 463.006(2), F.S., shall consist of four parts with one being the Florida Practical Examination. The Florida Practical Examination shall consist of three (3) tested skills and the Board requires passage of all three (3) skills on the same test attempt. The three (3) skills are Biomicroscopy, Binocular Indirect Ophthalmoscopy, Dilated Biomicroscopy and Non-Contact Fundus Lens Evaluation and are weighted equally. The passing score for each skill shall be seventy-five percent (75%) or better, and a passing score on each of the three (3) skills must be obtained on the same test attempt.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Christina McGinnis, Executive Director, Board of Optometry, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257, christina.mcginnis@flhealth.com. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Optometry within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Optometry

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

64B13-4.001 Examination Requirements

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on December 28, 2021, the Board of Optometry, received a petition for waiver or variance filed by Nathan Climo. Petitioner is seeking a variance or waiver of subparagraphs 64B13-4.001(1)(d)2. and 3., F.A.C., which states in part that the licensure examination authorized in subsection 463.006(2), F.S., shall consist of four parts with one being the Florida Practical Examination. The Florida Practical Examination shall consist of three (3) tested skills and the Board requires passage of all three (3) skills on the same test attempt. The three (3) skills are Biomicroscopy, Binocular Indirect Ophthalmoscopy, Dilated Biomicroscopy and Non-Contact Fundus Lens Evaluation and are weighted equally. The passing score for each skill shall be seventy-five percent (75%) or better, and a passing score on each of the three (3) skills must be obtained on the same test attempt.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Christina McGinnis, Executive Director, Board of Optometry, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257; christina.mcginis@flhealth.com. Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Optometry within 14 days of publication of this notice.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Board of Podiatric Medicine

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 4, 2022, the Board of Podiatric Medicine, received a petition for variance or waiver filed by Dr. Stephanie M. Kane, DPM. Petitioner seeks a variance or waiver of Rule 64B18-17.005, F.A.C., which requires that during the first biennium or within 24 months of initial licensure, whichever ends later, practitioners are required to obtain five (5) hours of continuing education in the subject area of risk management by attending one full day of a meeting of the Board of Podiatric Medicine at which disciplinary hearings are conducted. The practitioner is then exempt from any other continuing education requirements for his or her first renewal except for a 1-hour course on human trafficking and the hours mandated for prevention of medical errors and HIV/AIDS. Petitioner also seeks a permanent waiver from attending a disciplinary hearing due to the vacancies on the Florida Board of Podiatric Medicine.

Comments on this petition should be filed with the Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1708, within 14 days of publication of this notice.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Janet Hartman, Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C08,

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1708, or by electronic mail- Janet.Hartman@flhealth.gov.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:

67-21.0025 Miscellaneous Criteria

67-21.003 Application and Selection Process for Developments

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 5, 2022, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver of paragraph 67-21.003(1)(b) and the Non-Competitive Application Package (Rev. 03-2021) and subsection 67-21.0025(7) Florida Administrative Code from Poinciana Leased Housing Associates I, LLLP for a waiver of the requirement that the Petitioner's Principal Disclosure Form must identify the Principals of the Applicant and the requirement that only natural persons may be all Principals disclosed by or at the third principal disclosure level of the Principal Disclosure Form.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also been posted on Florida Housing's website at floridahousing.org. Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:

67-48.002 Definitions

67-48.0072 Credit Underwriting and Loan Procedures

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 6, 2022, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, received a petition for waiver of paragraph 67-48-0072(21)(b) and subsection 67-48.002(96), Florida Administrative Code and Qualified Allocation Plan's Requirement for Returning Housing Credit Allocations from Dockside at Sugarloaf Key, LLC requesting an extension of the deadline to secure a firm loan commitment from January 31, 2022 to January 31, 2023, requesting an immediate return of Petitioner's 2021 Housing Credit Allocation, and requesting an immediate allocation of 2022 Housing Credits to Petitioner with a later placed service date, in an equal amount of its 2021 Housing Credit Allocation.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329. The Petition has also



been posted on Florida Housing’s website at [floridahousing.org](http://floridahousing.org). Florida Housing will accept comments concerning the Petition for 14 days from the date of publication of this notice. To be considered, comments must be received on or before 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, on the 14th day after publication of this notice at Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION  
RULE NOS.:RULE TITLES:**

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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION  
RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:**

67-48.023 Housing Credits General Program Procedures and Requirements

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation hereby gives notice: On January 6, 2022, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation issued an order granting the variance from Rule 67-48.023(2) F.A.C. for Hogan Creek Redevelopment Partners, LLC, to allow for calculation of the minimum set aside percentage based on income averaging. Florida Housing determined that the Petitioner had demonstrated that it would suffer a substantial hardship if the waiver was not granted. The amended petition was filed on December 9, 2021 and notice of the receipt of

petition was published on December 13, 2021 in Vol. 47, Number 239 F.A.R.

A copy of the Order or additional information may be obtained by contacting: Ana McGlamory, Corporation Clerk, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 N. Bronough St., Ste. 5000, Tallahassee, FL 32301-1329.

**Section VI**

**Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings**

**DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS**

The Statewide Council on Human Trafficking announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Monday, January 31, 2022, 11:00 a.m. until conclusion

PLACE: Phone: (571)317-3116, Access Code: 584-824-677, <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/584824677>, and additionally will be covered and streamed live on [TheFloridaChannel.org](http://TheFloridaChannel.org)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Council Business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Ned Hance at [Ned.Hance@myfloridalegal.com](mailto:Ned.Hance@myfloridalegal.com) and will be posted at:

<http://myfloridalegal.com/pages.nsf/Main/8AEA5858B1253D0D85257D34005AFA72>.

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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: the Office of the Attorney General, Ashley Moody, at (850)414-3300. 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: Ned Hance at [Ned.Hance@myfloridalegal.com](mailto:Ned.Hance@myfloridalegal.com) or by telephone at 1(813)287-7900.

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

Division of Administration

The Agriculture Innovation Workgroup (AIW) announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 21, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Zoom:  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82775578598?pwd=UE4wRHZwQ0d2SHZEOFBWVYtpVHVkQT09> Or phone access: (929)205-6099, Meeting ID: 827 7557 8598, Passcode: 745308

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Agriculture Innovation Workgroup (AIW) will meet to discuss general business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Franco Ripple at (850)631-1450 or [Franco.Ripple@fdacs.gov](mailto:Franco.Ripple@fdacs.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 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Franco Ripple at (850)631-1450 or [Franco.Ripple@fdacs.gov](mailto:Franco.Ripple@fdacs.gov). 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 AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Florida Forest Service

The Friends of Florida State Forests announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 25, 2022, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Virtual Go ToMeeting

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/727813365>

You can also dial in using your phone. (For supported devices, tap a one-touch number below to join instantly.)

United States (Toll Free): 1(877)309-2073, One-touch: tel:+18773092073,,727813365#

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Join from a video-conferencing room or system. Dial in or type: 67.217.95.2 or [inroomlink.goto.com](https://inroomlink.goto.com), Meeting ID: 727 813 365 or dial directly: 727813365@67.217.95.2 or 67.217.95.2##727813365

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This meeting will be recorded.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Board of Directors Meeting. General business review and planning.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.gov](mailto:Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.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 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: [Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.gov](mailto:Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.gov). 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: [Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.gov](mailto:Lorna.Radcliff@FDACS.gov).

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Volunteer Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 2:00 p.m. ET until all business is complete.

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Code: 721648837#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, [aly@volunteerflorida.org](mailto:aly@volunteerflorida.org), (850)414-7400.

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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Aly Simons, [aly@volunteerflorida.org](mailto:aly@volunteerflorida.org), (850)414-7400. 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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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Volunteer Florida announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 27, 2022, 9:00 a.m. ET until all business is complete

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, Code: 721648837#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, [aly@volunteerflorida.org](mailto:aly@volunteerflorida.org), (850)414-7400.

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7400. 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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**EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

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

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 2:00 p.m. ET until all business is complete

PLACE: Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

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**EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

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

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 27, 2022, 9:00 a.m. ET until all business is complete

PLACE: Tallahassee, Florida.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

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7400. 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: Aly Simons, aly@volunteerflorida.org, (850)414-7400.

**EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

Division of Emergency Management

The Division of Emergency Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 18, 2022, 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Dial in Number: 1(888)585-9008, Conference Room-527-059-248

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Invitation to Bid ITB-DEM-21-22-018

Heavy Duty Truck

The Florida Division of Emergency Management announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited. Anyone who wants to attend, may so via conference call. At this time, the Division is not open to the public. At the time of the meeting, the Division will open and read aloud the names of Respondents that came in before the deadline of 2:30 p.m. on January 18, 2022.

In accordance with the timeframe set forth in section 120.525, Florida Statutes, a Public Opening of responses is hereby noticed within the Schedule of Events for the Invitation to Bid # ITB-DEM-21-22-018 for a Heavy-Duty Truck.

The Division reserves the right to issue amendments, addenda, and changes to the Schedule of Events and specifically to the meeting notice listed above. The Division will post notice of any changes or additional meetings within the Vendor Bid System (VBS) in accordance with subsection 287.042(3), Florida Statutes, and will not re-advertise notice in the Florida Administrative Review (FAR). Access the VBS at: [http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main\\_menu](http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu).

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Tara Walters, Florida Division of Emergency Management, 2555 Shumard Oak Blvd, Tallahassee, FL 32399, Phone: (850)815-4606 Email: Tara.Walters@em.myflorida.com.

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: 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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**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS**

Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council  
 The Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 20, 2022, 9:00 a.m.  
 PLACE: The South Florida Water Management District Office: 2301 McGregor Blvd., Ft. Myers, Florida 33901

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Quarterly meeting of the Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rebekah Harp, rharp@swfrpc.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Rebekah Harp, rharp@swfrpc.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Rebekah Harp, rharp@swfrpc.org.

**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS**

Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council  
 The Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 20, 2022, 9:05 a.m.  
 PLACE: The South Florida Water Management District Office: 2301 McGregor Blvd., Ft. Myers, Florida 33901

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Meeting of the SWFRPC's Executive Committee

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Rebekah Harp, rharp@swfrpc.org.

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For more information, you may contact: Rebekah Harp, rharp@swfrpc.org.

**REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCILS**

Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council  
 The Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 14, 2022, 9:00 a.m.  
 PLACE: Virtual Meeting: Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86890337474>, Meeting ID: 868 9033 7474

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 +19292056099,,86890337474# US (New York)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Regional Councils Association will hold a Virtual Winter Policy Board Forum on January 14, 2022. Council's FRCA Policy Board Members and Alternates may be present at this meeting. The meeting will be held remotely.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Liz Gulick at (772)221-4060 or lgulick@tcrpc.org

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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

Southwest Florida Water Management District  
 The Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 25, 2022, 10:30 a.m.  
 PLACE: SWFWMD, 7601 US 301 North, Tampa, FL 33637

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Governing Board Planning Workshop at 10:30 a.m.: Governing Board members will conduct a workshop to review the District’s water supply and financial projections. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology in order to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: WaterMatters.org – Boards, Meetings & Event Calendar, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211.

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: SWFWMD Human Resources Office, (352)796-7211, ext. 4747, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only), ext. 4747 or TDD (FL only) 1(800)231-6103, or email to ADACoordinator@WaterMatters.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).

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For more information, you may contact: Lori.Manuel@watermatters.org, 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211, x4606 EXE0819.

**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

Southwest Florida Water Management District  
The Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022, 9:00 a.m.

**PLACE:** SWFWMD, 7601 US 301 North, Tampa, FL 33637

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Governing Board Meeting, Committee Meetings and Public Hearing: Consider SWFWMD business. All or part of this meeting may be conducted by means of communications media technology to permit maximum participation of Governing Board members.

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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

South Florida Water Management District  
The South Florida Water Management District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Tuesday, January 18, 2022, 10:00 a.m., Quarterly meeting of the Everglades Technical Oversight Committee

**PLACE:** SFWMD Headquarters, B-1 Building, 3301 Gun Club Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33406

TOC Members and the public may participate and provide public comment in-person or via Zoom, a media technology free for the public to use. [https://sfwmd.gov.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_1QtPgTOISiaiTVjFcmH91w](https://sfwmd.gov.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1QtPgTOISiaiTVjFcmH91w)

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Everglades Technical Oversight Committee meeting is a public meeting held quarterly to provide an update on water quality conditions in the Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge and at inflows to Everglades National Park relative to the 1991 Settlement Agreement, entered as a Consent Decree in 1992, and modified in 1995.

The public and stakeholders will have an opportunity to view and comment on the meeting by utilizing the following link: [https://sfwmd-](https://sfwmd.gov.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1QtPgTOISiaiTVjFcmH91w)

[gov.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_1QtPgTOISiaiTVjFcmH91w](https://sfwmd.gov.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1QtPgTOISiaiTVjFcmH91w)

This link will go live at approximately 10:00 a.m. on January 18, 2022.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Julianne LaRock at (561)682-6747, [jlarock@sfwmd.gov](mailto:jlarock@sfwmd.gov), or [www.SFWMD.gov/toc](http://www.SFWMD.gov/toc), seven days prior to the meeting.

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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: Julianne LaRock at (561)682-6747 or jlarock@sfwmd.gov.

**REGIONAL UTILITY AUTHORITIES**

Tampa Bay Water - A Regional Water Supply Authority  
 The Tampa Bay Water, A Regional Water Supply Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, February 3, 2021, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. or until completed

PLACE: Tampa Bay Water Administrative Offices, Clearwater Board Room, 1st Floor, 2575 Enterprise Road, Clearwater, Florida 33763

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting of the Selection Committee for The Request for Proposals for the As-Needed Utility Management Consulting Services, Contract Nos. 2022-019 thru 021. As a part of the selection process, the Selection Committee will meet to review and discuss the responses and ranking of the firms, determine if interviews are needed and review potential interview questions. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Records Department at (727)796-2355.

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 3 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Records Department at (727)796-2355. 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: Records Department at (727)796-2355.

**REGIONAL UTILITY AUTHORITIES**

Tampa Bay Water - A Regional Water Supply Authority  
 The Tampa Bay Water, A Regional Water Supply Authority announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, February 16, 2022, 9:00 a.m. and until completed (if interviews are deemed necessary).

PLACE: Tampa Bay Water Administrative Offices, Clearwater Board Room, 1st Floor, 2575 Enterprise Road, Clearwater, Florida 33763.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: A public meeting of the Selection Committee for As-Needed Utility Management Consulting Services, Contract No.'s 2022-019 thru 021. As a part of the selection process, the Selection Committee will hear presentations and conduct interviews with short-listed firms in order to determine the highest ranking firm to recommend for award.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Records Department at (727)796-2355.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

The Correctional Medical Authority (CMA) announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 21, 2022, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008 (toll-free), Conference Room: 344085830#

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: CMA Quarterly Board Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: CMA@flhealth.gov, or (850)841-8430.

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: The Department of Health at (850)245-4444. 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: CMA@flhealth.gov.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

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

The FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: February 10, 2022, 8:00 a.m.

PLACE: Holiday Inn Tallahassee East Capitol, 2003 Apalachee Pkwy, Tallahassee, FL 32301

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General board business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/meeting-information/>.

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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Ashleigh Irving, Program Operations, Administrator by phone at (850)245-4292, by email at

ashleigh.irving@flhealth.gov or by mail: 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-08, Tallahassee, FL 32399. 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: Ashleigh Irving, Program Operations, Administrator by phone at (850)245-4292, by email at ashleigh.irving@flhealth.gov or by mail: 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-08, Tallahassee, FL 32399.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

##### Board of Medicine

The Board of Medicine – Credentials Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, February 3, 2022, 8:00 a.m. ET or soon thereafter

PLACE: Marriott Orlando Downtown, 400 West Livingston St, Orlando, Florida, 32801. The hotel phone number is (407)868-8686.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business of the Committee. If held, Committee meetings are conducted prior to each Full Board meeting. Committee meetings may be cancelled or changed prior to the meeting date. Please check the Board website at <https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information/> for cancellations or changes or call the Board of Medicine at (850)245-4131 for information. The hotel website is <https://www.marriott.com/hotels/hotel-rooms/mcodo-marriott-orlando-downtown/> and the public rate is \$159 per night.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Board of Medicine at <https://flboardofmedicine.gov/meeting-information/>.

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For more information, you may contact: The Board of Medicine by email at BOM.MeetingMaterials@flhealth.gov or by calling the Board of Medicine at (850)245-4131.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

##### Board of Pharmacy

The Board of Pharmacy, White and Brown Bagging Workgroup announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: February 9, 2022, 1:00 p.m. ET

PLACE: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Deerfield Beach – Boca Raton, 100 Fairway Dr., Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Members of the Board of Pharmacy will conduct a workgroup meeting to discuss white bagging and brown bagging pharmacy practices.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [www.floridaspharmacy.gov](http://www.floridaspharmacy.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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (850)245-4474. 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: (850)245-4474.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

##### Board of Pharmacy

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

DATE AND TIME: February 10, 2022, 9:00 a.m. ET

PLACE: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Deerfield Beach, Boca Raton, 100 Fairway Dr., Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General Business Meeting and Disciplinary Matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [www.floridaspharmacy.gov](http://www.floridaspharmacy.gov).

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DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Mental Health Program

The Department of Children and Families, Division of Purchasing announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 18, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: See meeting information below.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: DCF RFP 2122 029 - First Responder Regional Supports - Proposal Opening.

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

<https://www.gotomeet.me/SolicitationAdministration>.

You can also dial in using your phone. United States (Toll Free): 1(866)899-4679, United States: (571)317-3116, Access Code: 687-621-357.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [michele.staffieri@myflfamilies.com](mailto:michele.staffieri@myflfamilies.com).

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Mental Health Program

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DATE AND TIME: January 18, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: See meeting information below.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: DCF RFP 2122 030 - First Responder Toolkit - Proposal Opening.

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A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [michele.staffieri@myflfamilies.com](mailto:michele.staffieri@myflfamilies.com).

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: January 21, 2022, 8:30 a.m. until adjourned

PLACE: Augustus B. Turnbull Conference Center, 555 W. Pensacola Street, Tallahassee FL 32306

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: 1. Consider financing and acknowledgement resolutions for various multifamily developments, under any multifamily program, including the ranking of developments.

2. Consider appointment of professionals including but not limited to trustee and/or originator/servicer for upcoming and/or past multifamily programs and single-family programs.

3. Consider approval of all bond documents for and terms of all upcoming single-family and multifamily bond sales, including those secured by third-party guarantors, letters-of-credit, insurance or other mechanisms.

4. Consider adopting resolutions authorizing negotiated or competitive sale of bonds on various single-family and multifamily issues.

5. Consider directing Staff to submit summaries of various TEFRA/Public Hearings to the Governor.

6. Consideration of policy issues concerning ongoing and upcoming single-family bond issues including initiation of request for proposals on an emergency basis, and structuring new issues.

7. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the Multifamily Bond Program.

8. Consideration of approval of underwriters for inclusion on approved master list and teams.

9. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the HOME Rental Program.

10. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the HC (Housing Credits) Program.

11. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the SAIL (State Apartment Incentive Loan) Program.

12. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the SHIP (State Housing Initiatives Partnership) Program.

13. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the PLP (Predevelopment Loan) Program.

14. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to the Homeownership Programs.

15. Consideration of all necessary actions for initiating new rules or rule amendments on an emergency or non-emergency basis.

16. Consideration of Appeals from Requests for Applications funding selection with entry of final orders.

17. Consideration of workouts or modifications for existing projects funded by the Corporation.

18. Consideration of matters relating to the stated purpose of the Corporation to provide safe and sanitary housing that is affordable for the residents of Florida.

19. Consideration of funding additional reserves for the Guarantee Fund.

20. Consideration of audit issues.

21. Evaluation of professional and consultant performance.

22. Such other matters as may be included on the Agenda for the January 21, 2022, Board Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Sheila Freaney, Board Liaison, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (850)488-4197, or by visiting the Corporation's website at [www.floridahousing.org](http://www.floridahousing.org).



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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION**

The FHFC II, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** January 21, 2022, 11:00 a.m. or upon adjournment of the Florida Housing Finance Corporation Board of Directors meeting, until adjourned

**PLACE:** Augustus B. Turnbull Conference Center, 555 W. Pensacola Street, Tallahassee FL 32306

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** 1. Conduct business necessary for the organization of FHFC II, INC.

2. Consider adopting resolutions delegating operational authority to the Executive Director.
3. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to any property owned or held by FHFC II, Inc.
4. Consideration of approval of underwriters for inclusion on approved master list and teams.
5. Consideration of all necessary actions for initiating new rules or rule amendments on an emergency or non-emergency basis.
6. Consideration of status, workouts, or modifications for existing projects.
7. Consideration of matters relating to the statutory purpose of FHFC II, Inc., to provide safe and sanitary housing that is affordable for the residents of Florida.
8. Such other matters as may be included on the Agenda for the January 21, 2022, Board Meeting.

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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION**

The FHFC III, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** January 21, 2022, 11:00 a.m. or upon adjournment of the Florida Housing Finance Corporation Board of Directors meeting, until adjourned

**PLACE:** Augustus B. Turnbull Conference Center, 555 W. Pensacola Street, Tallahassee FL 32306

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** 1. Conduct business necessary for the organization of FHFC III, INC.

2. Consider adopting resolutions delegating operational authority to the Executive Director.
3. Consideration of all necessary actions with regard to any property owned or held by FHFC III, Inc.
4. Consideration of approval of underwriters for inclusion on approved master list and teams.
5. Consideration of all necessary actions for initiating new rules or rule amendments on an emergency or non-emergency basis.
6. Consideration of status, workouts, or modifications for existing projects.
7. Consideration of matters relating to the statutory purpose of FHFC III, Inc., to provide safe and sanitary housing that is affordable for the residents of Florida.
8. Such other matters as may be included on the Agenda for the January 21, 2022, Board Meeting.

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**FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION**

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation Board of Directors Audit Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** January 20, 2022, 4:00 p.m. until adjourned

**PLACE:** Florida Housing Finance Corporation, Seltzer Room, 6th Floor, 227 N. Bronough Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** 1. The Committee will meet regarding the general business of the Committee.

2. Such other matters as may be included on the Agenda for the January 20, 2022, Audit Committee Meeting.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Approximately two days prior to the meeting by contacting Sheila Freaney, Board Liaison, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329, phone number (850)488-4197, or by visiting the Corporation’s website at [www.floridahousing.org](http://www.floridahousing.org).

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**SENIOR CONNECTION CENTER, INC.**

The Senior Connection Center announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** February 1, 2022, 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**PLACE:** Held via Zoom platform

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Senior Connection Center will be holding their Annual Meeting of the Corporation from 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 am on February 1, 2022 to approve terms of office for Board Directors, approve and induct 2022 proposed Slate of Officers for the Board and induct Advisory Council Officers for 2022.

A Board of Directors Meeting will follow the Annual Meeting from 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. This meeting will be related to Senior Connection Center business and Board of Directors oversight.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Paula Nelson at [paula.nelson@sccmail.org](mailto:paula.nelson@sccmail.org) or by phone at 1(813)676-5583.

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**FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION**

The FMMJUA Grant Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, January 20, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

**PLACE:** Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Grant Committee of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association will discuss the recommendations and scored Applications for the Grants for Partnerships in Improving the Safety of Health Care Services (RFA # 2021-01) from the Evaluation Team and consider such other business properly brought before the Committee.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [frankie@fmmjua.org](mailto:frankie@fmmjua.org) or call (850)385-8114.

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**FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION**

The FMMJUA Audit Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, January 20, 2022, immediately following the Grant Committee meeting

PLACE: Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Audit Committee of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association will receive and consider business properly brought before the Committee.

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FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION

The FMMJUA Claims & Underwriting Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 20, 2022, immediately following the Audit Committee meeting

PLACE: Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Claims & Underwriting Committee of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association will receive and consider reports from the General Manager, Servicing Carrier, and such other business properly brought before the Committee. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: frankie@fmmjua.org or call (850)385-8114.

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FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION

The FMMJUA Compensation Committee announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, January 20, 2022, immediately following the Claims & Underwriting Committee meeting

PLACE: Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Compensation Committee of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association will receive and consider business properly brought before the Committee.

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FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION

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

DATE AND TIME: Friday, January 21, 2022, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Board of Governors of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association will receive and consider quarterly reports from the Association's Investment Counsel, General Counsel, Servicing Carrier, Grant Committee, Audit Committee, Claims Committee, Compensation Committee, General Manager, and such other business properly brought before the Board.

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**FLORIDA MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION**

The Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, January 21 2022, immediately following the Board of Governors meeting

PLACE: Opel Key Hotel, 245 Front Street, Key West, FL 33040

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Annual Meeting of its membership will begin immediately following the Board of Governors meeting of the Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association, which begins at 9:00 a.m. The Board will receive and consider yearly reports from the Association’s Chairman, Servicing Carrier, General Manager, and such other business properly brought before the Board.

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**FLORIDA SURPLUS LINES SERVICE OFFICE**

The Florida Surplus Lines Service Office, Board of Governors, announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 9:00 a.m. EST

PLACE: Virtual Format. For access contact Georgie Barrett at gbarrett@fslso.com.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Quarterly Business Meeting General Business Matters.

"Rescheduled Original Meeting Noticed for Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 9:00 a.m. Vol/Issue 47/230 ID: 25311488 Print Publish Date: 11/30/2021"

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Georgie Barrett at gbarrett@fslso.com.

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: Jennifer Mills at jmills@fslso.com or 800-562-4496, x101. 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).

**FLORIDA SURPLUS LINES SERVICE OFFICE**

The Florida Surplus Lines Service Office, Audit Committee, announces a workshop to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 11:00 a.m. EST

PLACE: Virtual Format. For access contact Georgie Barrett at gbarrett@fslso.com.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The performance of the 2021 Financial Audit.

"Rescheduled Original Meeting Noticed for Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 11:00 a.m. Vol/Issue 47/230 ID: 25311876 Print Publish Date: 11/30/2021"

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Georgie Barrett at gbarrett@fslso.com.

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**FLORIDA WORKERS' COMPENSATION JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION, INC.**

The FWCJUA Reinsurance Committee announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: February 9, 2022, 2:30 p.m. ET

PLACE: Contact Kathy Coyne at (941)378-7408 to participate.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Agenda topics shall include the reinsurance intermediary engagement and 2022 reinsurance matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Kathy Coyne or at www.fwcjua.com.

**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**

NONE

**Section XII**  
**Miscellaneous**

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
 Index of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State Pursuant to subparagraph 120.55(1)(b)6. – 7., F.S., the below list of rules were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State between 3:00 p.m., Friday, December 31, 2021 and 3:00 p.m., Thursday, January 6, 2022.

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
5J-7.004	1/3/2022	1/23/2022

Rule No.	File Date	Effective Date
53ER22-1	1/3/2022	1/3/2022
<b>LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES</b>		
5K-4.020	12/10/2021	**/**/****
5K-4.035	12/10/2021	**/**/****
5K-4.045	12/10/2021	**/**/****
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
60P-1.003	12/8/2021	**/**/****
60P2.002	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
62-600.405	11/16/2021	**/**/****
62-600.705	11/16/2021	**/**/****
62-600.720	11/16/2021	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****
69L-7.020	10/22/2021	**/**/****

**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**  
 Suwannee River Water Management District  
 Cancellation of Lake Hampton Public workshop  
 The Suwannee River Water Management District is cancelling the public workshop for Lake Hampton that was scheduled on January 12, 2022, 6:00 p.m. at City Hall, Hampton Florida 32044 due to COVID restrictions.

**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.