



## POLICY UPDATE - JANUARY 28, 2026

Target Audience - Qualified Vendors and Providers

Transmittal Date - 01/28/2026

The DDD Policy Unit published revised policies on Wednesday, January 28, 2026. The policies are available on the [Division's Policy webpage](#).

### REVISED POLICIES

#### [Division Medical Policy 420 Family Planning Services and Supplies](#)

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- Added applicability in the Purpose Statement, including the Tribal Health Program and the Division's responsibility to provide oversight and monitoring
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#### [Division Medical Policy 1240-E Habilitation Services and Day Services](#)

This policy was revised to require criminal history self-disclosure to be completed annually, rather than every 3 years.

### POLICY PUBLIC COMMENT

The Division is currently accepting public comments regarding Division policies. The policy revisions can be found on the [Policy page](#) of the Division's website. This form, <https://forms.gle/4MGCsdyKTRPjna3m9>, can be used to submit public comments.