

DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

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POLICY UPDATE

Target Audience - Qualified Vendors and Providers

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The DDD Policy Unit published new and revised policies on Wednesday, March 2, 2022. The policies are available on the Division's <u>Policy webpage</u>.

REVISED POLICIES

<u>Division Provider Policy Manual 50 - Vendor Call Requirements for Qualified Vendors</u>

Revisions:

- Necessary terms, policy, timelines, and other requirements specific to vendor call/vendor selection process have been updated.
- The Residential Services portion of this policy now outlines Qualified Vendor requirements regarding expansion into Group Homes and Nursing Supported Group Homes.

Division Operations Policy Manual 3003 - Selection of Providers

Revisions:

- Residential services, non-residential services and independent providers have been separated into their own sections.
- Necessary terms, policy, timelines, and other requirements specific to the vendor call/vendor selection process have been updated.
- The "Purpose" section has been updated.

POLICY PUBLIC COMMENT

The Division is currently accepting public comments regarding these Division policies:

- Division Medical Policy Manual 920 QMPI Administrative Requirements
- Division Medical Policy Manual 961 Incident, Accident and Death Reporting
- Division Medical Policy Manual 966 Immediate Jeopardy
- AdSS Medical Policy Manual 920 QMPI Administrative Requirements
- AdSS Medical Policy Manual 961 Incident, Accident and Death Reporting

Public comments are being accepted until March 31, 2022. The policy revisions can be found on the <u>Policy page</u> of the Division's website. Members and families can use this form, https://forms.gle/4MGCsdyKTRPJna3m9, to submit public comments if they are interested in providing feedback.