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POLICY UPDATE

Target Audience - Qualified Vendors and Providers

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The DDD Policy Unit published a new policy on Wednesday, August 10, 2022. The policy is available on the Division's <u>Policy webpage</u>.

REVISED POLICIES

Provider Policy Manual Chapter 52 Habilitation Staffing Schedule Requirements and Annual Review

This policy has been revised to reflect recent updates including:

- Title change (formerly known as Daily Habilitation Staffing Schedule Group Home and Individually Designated Living Arrangements)
- Language expanding vendor responsibilities and expectations regarding preparation and submission of staffing schedules.
- Language added regarding the Residential Assessment Profile (RAP) tool.
- Additional details and clarification regarding Master and Temporary schedules and modifications.
- Terminology updates and sentence structuring for clarity.

RETIRED POLICIES

Division Operations 6002-C Reporting Requirements

The content can now be found in Division Medical Policy Manual Chapter 960

Division Operations 6002-H Referral to Other Investigative Agencies

• The content can now be found in <u>Division Operations Policy Manual Chapter 6002-G</u>, <u>Division</u> <u>Operations Policy Manual Chapter 6002-N</u>, and <u>Division Operations Policy Manual Chapter 6005-B</u>

Division Operations 6002-J Trending for Quality Improvement

The content can now be found in <u>Division Medical Policy Manual Chapter 960</u>

Division Operations 6002-K Information Sharing

• The content can now be found in <u>Division Operations Policy Manual Chapter 6001-A</u> and <u>Division</u> <u>Operations Policy Manual Chapter 6001-B</u>

Division Operations 6002-O Health Care Acquired Conditions

• The content can now be found in <u>Division Medical Policy Manual Chapter 960</u>

POLICY PUBLIC COMMENT

The Division is currently accepting public comments regarding Division policies. The policy revisions can be found on the <u>Policy page</u> of the Division's website. This form, <u>https://forms.gle/4MGCsdyKTRPJna3m9</u>, can be used to submit public comments.