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Aloha CMA and CCFFH Operators,

The information contained in this official newsletter has been reviewed and approved by DOH/OHCA. It is being distributed to all CMAs and CCFFHs.

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Aloha CMAs and CCFFH Operators,

This newsletter is to being sent to clear up some misinformation and confusion regarding assisting individuals misplaced by the Maui Fires. At this time, DOH/OHCA will review requests for rule exceptions on a case-by-case basis for admissions into the CCFFH program. The client's CMA, not the PCG, is to send detailed information of why the exception is being requested directly to CTA. CTA will review the request with DOH/OHCA and then advise the CMA on DOH's decision.

CMAs are NOT to place any clients into a CCFFH unless they have a bed available per their CCFFH certificate. CCFFHs are NOT to admit more clients

than they are certified for.

CCFFHs may not have more than 1 private pay client without DOH/OHCA approval. Two private pay client requests must meet the two private pay client rules according to Hawaii Administrative Rules 11-800-43. Medicaid Pending clients are classified as private pay for bed status purposes until approved or denied for Medicaid.



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