

**Section I**  
**Notice of Development of Proposed Rules**  
**and Negotiated Rulemaking**

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

**Florida Building Commission**

RULE NO.:      RULE TITLE:

61G20-1.001    Florida Building Code Adopted

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To open the aforementioned rule for development to address the statutorily required triennial update process. The Commission shall conduct rule development workshops to accept public input regarding potential changes to the Florida Building Code.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Statutorily mandated triennial update process for the Florida Building Code, 8th Edition (2023).

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 553.73(1), 553.73(2), 553.73(7), 553.73(8), 553.76(1), 553.77(1), 553.901 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 553.72, 553.73(2), 553.73(3), 553.73(7), 553.73(8), 553.73(9), 553.901 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Mo Madani, Technical Director, Florida Building Commission, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850)717-1825  
 THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS NOT AVAILABLE.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**OIR – Insurance Regulation**

RULE NOS.:      RULE TITLES:

69O-203.010    Scope

69O-203.013    Definitions for the Purpose of These Rules

69O-203.020    Application for Certificate of Authority

69O-203.021    Standards for Fingerprint Cards for New

Applicants and Acquisition Applications

Reinsurance (Excess Loss Insurance)

69O-203.070    Annual and Quarterly Reports

69O-203.078    Fees

69O-203.093    Change of Ownership

69O-203.100    Prescribed Forms

69O-203.201    Definitions

69O-203.210    Forms Incorporated by Reference

69O-203.215    Annual Reports

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Office of Insurance Regulation is updating Chapter 69O-203.

SUBJECT AREA TO BE ADDRESSED: Prepaid Limited Health Service Organizations and Discount Plan Organizations

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: 624.424(1)(c), 636.067, 636.232 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 624.321(1)(a), 624.424, 628.4615, 636.003, 636.005, 363.007, 636.008, 636.009, 636.012, 636.015, 636.016, 636.043, 636.057, 636.058, 635.065, 636.204, 636.218, 636.220, 636.226, 636.228, 636.234, 636.236 FS.

IF REQUESTED IN WRITING AND NOT DEEMED UNNECESSARY BY THE AGENCY HEAD, A RULE DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP WILL BE NOTICED IN THE NEXT AVAILABLE FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT AND A COPY OF THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT, IF AVAILABLE, IS: Michael Lawrence, Jr., Chief Legal Counsel, Michael.LawrenceJr@floir.com, (850)413-4112.

THE PRELIMINARY TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT IS AVAILABLE AT NO CHARGE FROM THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.

## Section II Proposed Rules

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

#### State Board of Education

RULE NO.:       RULE TITLE:  
6A-1.0943       Statewide Assessment for Students with  
                          Disabilities

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To specify exclusionary and inclusionary criteria of a student who is eligible to participate in the administration of the statewide, standardized alternate assessment. The proposed change will establish a definition for “most significant cognitive disability.”

SUMMARY: Assessment eligibility for students with disabilities.

#### 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.

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: Based upon the nature of the changes, this proposed rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. No increase in regulatory costs are anticipated as a result of the rule changes.

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: 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1003.01, 1003.571, 1008.212, 1008.22(3), (10), (12), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1003.01, 1003.571, 1008.212, 1008.22(3), (10), F.S.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: June 10, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State College at Jacksonville, Advanced Technology Center, 401 West State Street, Room T140/141, Jacksonville, Florida 32202.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Victoria Gaitanis, Bureau of

Exceptional Student Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400, (850)245-0475.

#### THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-1.0943 Statewide Assessment for Students with Disabilities.

(1) Definitions. For the purposes of this rule, the following definitions apply:

~~(a) Statewide standardized assessments shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 1008.22(3), Florida Statutes (F.S.).~~

~~(a)(b)~~ “Circumstance” shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 1008.212, F.S.

~~(b)(e)~~ “Condition” shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 1008.212, F.S.

(c) “General Education Curriculum Standards” means the standards incorporated in Rule 6A-1.09401, F.A.C.

(d) “Medical complexity” shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 1008.22(10), F.S.

(e) “Modifications” “Parent” shall have the same meaning as defined in paragraph 6A-6.03411(1)(z) (bb), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

(f) “Most significant cognitive disability” means a global cognitive impairment that adversely impacts multiple areas of functioning across many settings and is a result of a congenital, acquired or traumatic brain injury or syndrome and is verified by either:

1. A statistically significant below average global cognitive score that falls within the first percentile rank (i.e., a standard, full-scale score of sixty-seven (67) or under); or

2. In the extraordinary circumstance when a global, full-scale intelligent quotient score is unattainable, a school district-determined procedure that has been approved by the Florida Department of Education under paragraph (5)(e) of this rule.

(g) “Parent” shall have the same meaning as defined in paragraph 6A-6.03411(1)(bb), F.A.C.

(h) “Statewide, standardized assessment” shall have the same meaning as defined in Section 1008.22(3), F.S.

(2) The Florida Department of Education shall assure the participation of students with disabilities to include those students with disabilities as defined by Section 1003.01(3)(a), F.S., or students with disabilities who have been determined eligible and have a plan developed in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act in the statewide, standardized assessment program and provide technical assistance to school districts in the implementation of the requirements of this rule including appropriate accommodations for students participating in the statewide, standardized assessment program as required by Sections 1008.22(3)(c) and 1003.428(5), F.S.

(3) All students with disabilities will participate in the statewide, standardized assessment program based on state standards, pursuant to Rule 6A-1.09401, F.A.C., without accommodations unless the individual educational plan (IEP) team, or the team that develops the plan required under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, determines and documents that the student requires allowable accommodations during instruction and for participation in a statewide, standardized assessment.

(4) Provision of accommodations for students with disabilities participating in the statewide, standardized assessment program.

(a) Each school board shall utilize appropriate and allowable accommodations for statewide, standardized assessments within the limits prescribed herein and current statewide, standardized assessment test administration manuals published by the Florida Department of Education's Bureau of K-12 Student Assessment and Bureau of Exceptional Student Education and Student Services. Copies of the manuals are available by contacting the Florida Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400. Accommodations are defined as adjustments to the presentation of the statewide, standardized assessment questions, methods of recording examinee responses to the questions, scheduling for the administration of a statewide, standardized assessment to include amount of time for administration, settings for administration of a statewide, standardized assessment, and the use of assistive technology or devices to facilitate the student's participation in a statewide, standardized assessment. Accommodations that negate the validity of a statewide, standardized assessment are not allowable. Within the limits specified in this rule, allowable statewide, standardized assessment accommodations are based on current instructional accommodations and accessible instructional materials used by the student in the classroom.

(b) The accommodations described in paragraph (4)(a), of this rule, are authorized for any student who has been determined to be an eligible student with a disability pursuant to Section 1003.01(3)(a), F.S., and Rule 6A-6.0331, F.A.C., and has a current IEP, or who has been determined to be a student with a disability with a plan developed in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. The accommodations must be identified on the student's IEP or the plan developed under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.

(c) The need for any unique accommodations for use on a statewide, standardized assessment must be submitted to the Florida Department of Education for approval by the Commissioner of Education. In order to be approved, a unique accommodation must be allowable for use on a statewide, standardized assessment and must be used by the student during classroom instruction and for assessments and described as

such on the student's IEP or plan developed in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.

(d) ~~School~~ District personnel are required to implement the accommodations in a manner that ensures that the test responses are the independent work of the student. Personnel are prohibited from assisting a student in determining how the student will respond or directing or leading the student to a particular response. In no case shall the accommodations authorized herein be interpreted or construed as an authorization to provide a student with assistance in determining the answer to any test item.

(e) Students with disabilities who are not currently enrolled in public schools or receiving services through public school programs and require accommodations in order to participate in the statewide, standardized assessment program must have access to accommodations identified in paragraphs (4)(a) and (4)(c); of this rule; if the following information is provided:

1. Evidence that the student has been found eligible as a student with a disability as defined by Section 1003.01(3)(a), F.S., or is an eligible student with a disability with a plan developed in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act; and,

2. Documentation that the requested accommodations are regularly used for instruction.

(5) Participation in the Statewide, Standardized Alternate Assessment.

(a) The decision that a student with a significant cognitive disability will participate in the Statewide, Standardized ~~Alternate~~ Assessment as defined in Section 1008.22(3)(c), F.S., must be ~~is~~ made by the IEP team and recorded on the IEP.

(b) The provisions with regard to parental consent for participation in the Statewide, Standardized ~~Alternate~~ Assessment found in in accordance with subsection 6A-6.0331(10), F.A.C., must be followed. ~~The following criteria must be met:~~

(c) In order for a student to participate in the statewide, standardized alternative assessment, all of the following criteria must be met:

1. ~~(a) The student must receive exceptional student education (ESE) services as identified through a current IEP and be enrolled in the appropriate and aligned courses using alternate achievement standards for two (2) consecutive full-time equivalent reporting periods prior to the assessment; Even with appropriate and allowable instructional accommodations, assistive technology or accessible instructional materials, the student requires modifications, as defined in paragraph 6A-6.03411(1)(z), F.A.C., to the grade level general state content standards pursuant to Rule 6A-1.09401, F.A.C. and;~~

2. ~~(b) The student must be receiving specially designed instruction, which provides unique instruction and intervention supports that is determined, designed and delivered through a~~

team approach, ensuring access to core instruction through the adaptation of content, methodology or delivery of instruction and is exhibiting very limited to no progress in the general education curriculum standards; ~~The student requires direct instruction in academic areas of English language arts, math, social studies and science based on access points, pursuant to Rule 6A 1.09401, F.A.C., in order to acquire, generalize, and transfer skills across settings.~~

3. The student must be receiving support through systematic, explicit and interactive small-group instruction focused on foundational skills in addition to instruction in the general education curriculum standards;

4. Even after documented evidence of exhausting all appropriate and allowable instructional accommodations, the student requires modifications to the general education curriculum standards;

5. Even after documented evidence of accessing a variety of supplementary instructional materials, the student requires modifications to the general education curriculum standards;

6. Even with documented evidence of the provision and use of assistive technology, the student requires modifications to the general education curriculum standards;

7. Even with direct instruction in all core academic areas (i.e., English language arts, mathematics, social studies and science), the student is exhibiting limited or no progress on the general education curriculum standards, and requires modifications;

8. Unless the student is a transfer student, the student must have been available and present for grade-level general education curriculum standards instruction for at least seventy (70) percent of the school year prior to the assessment;

9. Unless the student is a transfer student, the student must have been instructed by a certified teacher for at least eighty (80) percent of the school year prior to the assessment;

10. The assessment instrument used to measure the student's global level of cognitive functioning was selected to limit the adverse impact of already-identified limitations and impairments (e.g., language acquisition, mode of communication, culture, hearing, vision, orthopedic functioning, hypersensitivities and distractibility); and,

11. The student has a most significant cognitive disability as defined in paragraph (1)(f) of this rule.

(d) A student is not eligible to participate in the statewide, standardized alternate assessment if any of the following is true:

1. The student is identified as a student with a specific learning disability or as gifted;

2. The student is identified only as a student eligible for services as a student who is deaf or hard of hearing or has a visual impairment, a dual sensory impairment, an emotional or behavioral disability, a language impairment, a speech impairment, or an orthopedic impairment; or

3. The student scored a level 2 or above on a previous statewide, general education curriculum standardized assessment administered pursuant to Section 1008.22(3)(a) and (b), F.S., unless there is medical documentation that the student experienced a traumatic brain injury or other health-related complication subsequent to the administration of that assessment that led to the student having the most significantly below-average global cognitive impairment.

(e) Each school district must submit to the Department of Education a procedure to identify students with the most significant cognitive disability when a global, full-scale intelligent quotient score is unattainable. In order to be approved for use by a district, the procedure must:

1. Include data from multiple sources;

2. Meet the criteria found in paragraphs (5)(c) and 5(d) of this rule; and

3. Be documented in the district's ESE Policies and Procedures, as required by Section 1003.57, F.S.

(6) Extraordinary exemption. Pursuant to Section 1008.212, F.S., upon approval of the Commissioner, a student with a disability is eligible for an extraordinary exemption from participation in statewide, standardized assessments as defined in subsection (1), of this rule.

(a) The IEP team may determine that a student with a disability is prevented by a circumstance or condition as defined in subsection (1), of this rule, from physically demonstrating the mastery of skills that have been acquired and are measured by a statewide, standardized assessment and may recommend that an extraordinary exemption from the administration of a statewide, assessment be granted. A learning, emotional, behavioral, or significant cognitive disability or the receipt of services through the homebound or hospitalized program in accordance with Rule 6A-6.03020, F.A.C., is not, in and of itself, an adequate criterion for the granting of an extraordinary exemption.

(b) The IEP team, which must include the parent, may submit to the school district school superintendent a written request for an extraordinary exemption at any time during the school year, but no later than sixty (60) calendar days before the first day of the administration window of the statewide, standardized assessment for which the request is made. A request must include all of the following information:

1. through 2. No change.

3. Written documentation, if available, of the most recent administration of statewide, standardized assessments;

4. A written description of the circumstance's or condition's, as defined in subsection (1), of this rule, effect on the student's participation in statewide, standardized assessments;

5. through 7. No change.

8. Written evidence of the circumstance or condition as defined in subsection (1); of this rule; and,

9. The name, address and phone number of the student’s parent.

(c) through (d) No change.

(e) Upon receipt of the request, documentation and recommendation, the Commissioner shall verify the information documented, make a determination and notify the parent and the school district ~~school~~ superintendent in writing within thirty (30) calendar days after the receipt of the request whether the exemption has been granted or denied. In order for an extraordinary exemption to be granted by the Commissioner, all required documentation must be submitted and must provide sufficient evidence that the identified circumstance or condition prevents the student from physically demonstrating the mastery of skills that have been acquired and are measured by the statewide<sub>2</sub> standardized assessment. If the Commissioner denies the exemption, the notification must state the reasons for the denial.

(f) No change.

(7) Exemption options for students with medical complexity. A student with medical complexity as defined in Section 1008.22(10), F.S., may be exempt from participating in statewide, standardized assessments to include the Statewide, Standardized Alternate Assessment. If the parent consents in writing, and the student’s IEP team determines that the student should not be assessed based on medical documentation that confirms that the student meets the criteria of medical complexity, the parent may select one (1) of the following assessment exemption options:

(a) A one-year exemption approved by the school district superintendent as described in Section 1008.22(9), F.S. For all students approved by the school district superintendent for a one-year exemption, the following information must be reported to the Commissioner by June 1:

1. The total number of students for whom a one-year exemption has been granted by the superintendent; and,
2. For each student receiving an exemption, the student’s name, grade level and the specific statewide<sub>2</sub> standardized assessment(s) from which the student was exempted.

(b) A one-, two-, or three-year or permanent exemption approved by the Commissioner as described in Section 1008.22(10), F.S. In order for the Commissioner to consider such an exemption, the following information must be submitted by the school district superintendent to the Commissioner no later than thirty (30) calendar days before the first day of the administration window of the statewide<sub>2</sub> standardized assessment for which the request is made:

1. The student’s name, grade level, and the statewide<sub>2</sub> standardized assessment for which the exemption request is made;

2. through 6. No change.

(8) Upon receipt of the request, documentation and recommendation, the Commissioner shall verify the information documented, make a determination, and notify the parent and the school district ~~school~~ superintendent in writing within twenty (20) calendar days after the receipt of the request whether the exemption has been granted or denied.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1003.01, 1003.571, 1008.212, 1008.22(3), (10), (12) FS. Law Implemented 1003.01, 1003.571, 1008.212, 1008.22(3), (10) FS. History—New 9-12-78, Amended 3-4-84, Formerly 6A-1.943, Amended 6-12-90, 9-17-01, 7-1-10, 1-5-14, 12-23-14, \_\_\_\_\_.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Victoria Gaitanis, Bureau of Exceptional Student Education, Department of Education.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 10, 2021

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 5, 2021

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**State Board of Education**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

6A-14.0582 Florida College System Intercollegiate Student-Athlete Compensation and Rights

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To outline the requirements and procedures to allow intercollegiate student athletes within the Florida College System (FCS) to earn compensation for the use of their name, image or likeness. The 24 FCS institutions that currently offer intercollegiate athletic programs are members of the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA). Student athletes under the NJCAA are considered amateur athletes. NJCAA Bylaw Article V, Section 4 prohibits amateur athletes from earning compensation based on athletic skill or participation. In 2020, Senate Bill 646 created section 1006.74, Florida Statutes (F.S.), which grants FCS intercollegiate athletes the ability to earn compensation for the use of their name, image or likeness. The effect is clarifying the roles and responsibilities of intercollegiate student athletes and FCS institutions as it relates to compensation, specifying the requirements of financial literacy and life skills workshops, and establishing annual reporting requirements.

SUMMARY: Section 1006.74, F.S., outlines the requirements related to intercollegiate student athlete compensation for Florida postsecondary students. This proposed rule specifies the requirements for Florida College System student athletes and institutions.

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.

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: While there may be additional time and effort for FCS institutions to comply, particularly with the workshop requirement and adoption of Board of Trustees rules, the contracts for compensation for an athlete's NIL are between the athlete and a third party, not the institution. In addition, there is no fee, and this rule implements a law that enables an athlete to earn additional compensation, rather than losing compensation. This rule is not expected to have any adverse impact on economic growth, business competitiveness or any other factors listed in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S., and will not require legislative ratification. No increase in regulatory costs are anticipated as a result of the rule changes.

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: 1001.02(2)(n), 1006.74(3), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 1006.74, F.S.

A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW:

DATE AND TIME: June 10, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida State College at Jacksonville, Advanced Technology Center, 401 West State Street, Room T140/141, Jacksonville, FL 32202.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Shanna Autry, Ed.D., Director of Student Affairs, Division of Florida Colleges, Shanna.Autry@fldoe.org or (850)245-9488.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

6A-14.0582 Florida College System Intercollegiate Student-Athlete Compensation and Rights.  
Each student athlete participating in an intercollegiate athletics program at a Florida College System institution may earn compensation for the use of their name, image, or likeness (NIL) as provided in section 1006.74, F.S.

(1) Student athlete compensation and rights. Intercollegiate student athletes at Florida College System institutions:

(a) May earn compensation for the use of their NIL if the compensation is provided by a third party unaffiliated with the athlete's postsecondary educational institution. Compensation may not extend beyond the students' participation in the intercollegiate athletics program;

(b) Who are under the age of 18 must have any contract for compensation for the use of their NIL approved pursuant to sections 743.08 and 743.09, F.S.;

(c) Who enter into a contract for compensation for their NIL must adhere to section 1006.74(2), F.S.;

(d) May not enter into a contract for compensation for their NIL if the contract conflicts with a clause found in the student athlete's team contract; and

(e) Must notify their postsecondary educational institution of a contract for compensation for their NIL, in a manner designated by the postsecondary educational institution.

(2) Florida College System institution responsibilities. Each Florida College System institution with intercollegiate athletics programs:

(a) May not prevent or restrict an intercollegiate athlete from earning compensation for their NIL. This compensation may not affect the athlete's grant-in-aid or athletic eligibility;

(b) May not compensate or cause compensation to be directed to any prospective or current intercollegiate athlete for the use of their NIL. This requirement extends to organizations that support the postsecondary institution, its athletics programs, officers, directors, or employees of said organizations;

(c) May not prevent or restrict an intercollegiate athlete from obtaining professional representation for the purpose of securing compensation for the use of their NIL. Athletic agents must be licensed pursuant to Part IX Chapter 468 of F.S., and attorneys must be in good standing with the Florida Bar;

(d) Shall, in the process of recruiting student athletes and signing letters of intent, agreements, and contracts, post or make available the requirements as specified in section 1006.74, F.S.; and

(e) Shall adopt policies or procedures regarding student athlete compensation. Minimally, the policies or procedures must include the process student athletes must follow to notify the institution of a contract for compensation for their NIL.

(3) Financial literacy and life skills workshops. Each Florida College System institution with intercollegiate athletics programs shall conduct financial literacy and life skills workshops for a minimum of five (5) hours at the beginning of student athletes' first and third academic years pursuant to section 1006.74(2), F.S. All student athletes including those who are not receiving compensation for their NIL are required

to complete the workshops. Institutions may utilize new or existing curriculum incorporating the required topics, and the instruction may be delivered through student life skills and related courses, orientation sessions, learning management systems or other technology solutions, workshops, or other appropriate means.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n). 1006.74, FS. Law Implemented 1006.74, FS. History—New

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Shanna Autry, Ed.D., Director of Student Affairs, Division of Florida Colleges, Department of Education.

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Richard Corcoran, Commissioner, Department of Education.

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 11, 2021

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 5, 2021

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

33-210.101 Routine Mail

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: To increase the safety and security of inmates and staff, the Department is developing a system through a third-party vendor to allow for the receipt, processing, and delivery of routine mail in correctional institutions. Rulemaking is necessary to establish the protocols for processing routine mail electronically and to update the regular routine mail process to make it consistent with the electronic routine mail process.

SUMMARY: The proposed rule establishes the protocols for processing routine mail electronically and updates the regular routine mail process to make it consistent with the electronic routine mail process.

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.

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 an itemized checklist to conduct an economic analysis and determine if there is an adverse impact or regulatory cost associated with this rule that exceeds the criteria. Upon review of the proposed changes to the rule, the Department has determined that the amendments will not

exceed any one of the economic analysis criteria in a SERC as set forth in s. 120.541(2)(a), F.S.

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: 944.09 FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 20.315, 944.09 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

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: Lauren Sanchez, Paralegal Specialist, 501 S. Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399 (850)717-3610, lauren.sanchez@fdc.myflorida.com. 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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Jason Holman, Assistant General Counsel, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2500, Jason.Holman@fdc.myflorida.com.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

Substantial rewording of Rule 33-210.101, F.A.C., follows. See Florida Administrative Code for present text.

33-210.101 Routine Mail.

(1) The provisions of this rule apply to all incoming and outgoing routine mail. "Routine mail" is all incoming and outgoing inmate mail, except legal mail as defined in Rule 33-210.102, F.A.C., privileged mail as defined in Rule 33-210.103, F.A.C., and publications as defined in Rule 33-501.401, F.A.C. "Electronic mail processing," where used herein, refers to the process of electronically scanning routine mail to digitize the documents received.

(2) Except as provided in this rule, an inmate may receive mail from any person or group.

(3) Inmates are responsible for informing correspondents of the regulations concerning incoming routine mail.

(4) Inmates are permitted to receive only the following items through incoming routine mail:

(a) Correspondence that requires no more than a single first-class postage stamp to be delivered by the U.S. Postal Service.

(b) Written correspondence that is written in English, Spanish, or Creole. Inmates who cannot read and write in

English, Spanish, or Creole may request approval from the warden to correspond and receive correspondence in the language that the inmate can read and write using Form DC6-236, Inmate Request. The warden shall approve such requests when there is Department staff who can translate the correspondence or when it is otherwise possible to obtain translation services to translate the correspondence at a de minimus cost to the Department. Correspondence may be written on greeting cards, but greeting cards containing electronic or other non-paper parts, cards that are constructed in such a way as to permit concealment of contraband, or cards that are larger than 8" x 10" will not be permitted. Form DC6-236 is incorporated by reference in Rule 33-103.005, F.A.C.

(c) Written material on paper that is no larger than 8 1/2" x 14". Written material can be on both sides of a page. This does not include publications, which shall be handled pursuant to Rule 33-501.401, F.A.C. Individual articles or clippings from publications, the content of which is otherwise admissible, are permissible. No item can be glued, taped, stapled, or otherwise affixed to a page.

(d) Photographs that are no larger than 8" x 10" in size. Nude photographs or photographs that reveal genitalia, buttocks, or the female breast will not be permitted. Polaroid photographs and commercial photographs will not be permitted. Commercial photographs are those produced in bulk that are not actual photographs but are computer or printer copies usually produced for sale or purchase.

(5) Except for items that are illegal, if an impermissible item is received by the Department or a Department contractor, the entire correspondence will be returned to the sender pursuant to subsection (9) of this rule. For example, the following items may not be included with or attached to incoming routine mail:

(a) non-paper items;

(b) items of a non-communicative nature such as lottery tickets or matchbooks;

(c) stickers or stamps (other than postage stamps affixed to the outside of the mailing envelope, postal service attachments, and address labels affixed to the outside of the mailing envelope);

(d) address labels (other than those affixed to the outside of the mailing envelope);

(e) laminated cards or other laminated materials; or

(f) greeting cards.

(6) Any incoming routine mail received by the Department or a Department contractor for electronic mail processing shall be opened and examined and is subject to being read by designated Department employees and by the Department contractor. If the warden has approved an inmate to receive correspondence written in a language other than English, Spanish, or Creole, the correspondence may be translated to

confirm that it complies with all applicable Department rules. If the correspondence cannot be translated by a Department employee where an inmate is housed or by the Department contractor, the correspondence will be processed, and a copy will be sent to another institution or the central office for translation. Incoming routine mail that is properly addressed and otherwise in compliance with applicable Department rules shall not be held for processing for more than 72 hours after receipt by the Department or a Department contractor, excluding weekends and holidays. Except for inmates in certain housing assignments identified in paragraph (7) below, mail processed electronically will be available to inmates through kiosk and tablet services pursuant to Rule 33-602.900, F.A.C. All original incoming routine mail that is received for electronic mail processing shall be retained for 90 days by the Department contractor from the date of receipt, after which it will be shredded. The sender of incoming routine mail that is to be or that is processed electronically may request that the original correspondence and contents be returned by sending a written request with a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Department contractor any time prior to the expiration of the 90-day retention period.

(7) Inmates housed in Administrative Confinement, Disciplinary Confinement, Close Management I and II, Maximum Management, or are otherwise not permitted to access kiosks, kiosk services, or tablet services as provided for in Rule 33-602.900, F.A.C., will have their scanned mail printed and delivered at no cost to the inmate.

(8) Outgoing or incoming mail shall be disapproved for mailing by or delivery to the inmate if any part of it:

(a) depicts or describes procedures for the construction of or use of weapons, ammunitions, bombs, chemical agents, or incendiary devices;

(b) depicts, encourages, or describes methods of escape from any correctional institution or facility, contains blueprints, drawings, or similar depictions of any Department institution or facility, or includes road maps that can facilitate escape from any Department institution or facility;

(c) depicts or describes procedures for the brewing of alcoholic beverages or the manufacture of drugs or other intoxicants;

(d) is written in code or is otherwise written in a manner that is not reasonably subject to interpretation as to meaning or intent by Department staff or the Department contractor;

(e) depicts, describes, or encourages activities that may lead to the use of physical violence or group disruption;

(f) encourages or instructs in the commission of criminal activity;

(g) is dangerously inflammatory in that it advocates or encourages riot, insurrection, disruption of the institution, or violation of Department or institution rules;



(h) threatens physical harm, blackmail, or extortion;  
(i) pictorially depicts sexual conduct as defined by Section 847.001, F.S., as follows:

1. actual or simulated sexual intercourse;
2. sexual bestiality;
3. masturbation;
4. sadomasochistic abuse;
5. actual contact with a person's unclothed genitals, pubic area, buttocks, or, if such person is a female, breast;
6. any act or conduct which constitutes sexual battery or simulates that sexual battery is being or will be committed;

(j) presents nudity in such a way as to create the appearance that sexual conduct is imminent (i.e., the display of contact or intended contact with genitals, pubic area, buttocks, or female breasts orally, digitally, or by a foreign object, or the display of sexual organs in an aroused state);

(k) contains photographs that depict nudity;

(l) contains criminal history, offender registration, or other personal information about another inmate or offender which, in the hands of an inmate, presents a threat to the security, order, or rehabilitative objectives of the correctional system or to the safety of any person;

(m) contains an advertisement promoting any of the following where the advertisement is the focus of, rather than incidental to, the publication, or the advertising is prominent or prevalent throughout the publication:

1. three-way calling services;
2. pen-pal services;
3. the purchase of products or services with postage stamps; or
4. conducting a business or profession while incarcerated.

(n) is not in compliance with the incoming mail regulations set forth in subsections (4) and (5) of this rule;

(o) contains or appears to contain unknown or unidentifiable substances; or

(p) otherwise presents a threat to the security, order, or rehabilitative objectives of the correctional system or to the safety of any person.

(9)(a) When an inmate is prohibited from receiving incoming routine mail, the inmate and the sender will be given notice in writing on Form DC2-521, Unauthorized Mail Return Receipt, that the correspondence has been disapproved for delivery and stating at least one of the authorized reasons for disapproval. One copy of Form DC2-521 will be given to the inmate and one copy will be placed in the original envelope with the correspondence and returned to the sender. However, if incoming correspondence is rejected by the Department or a Department contractor because it does not comply with the requirements of subsections (16) or (21) of this rule, Form DC2-521 will not be prepared. Instead, Department staff or the Department contractor shall write or stamp the reason for

rejection on the correspondence and it shall be returned unopened to the sender by the U.S. Postal Service. Form DC2-521 is hereby incorporated by reference. Copies of the form are available from the Forms Control Administrator, 501 South Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2500, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06806>. The effective date of this form is 05/16.

(b) If the incoming routine mail is disapproved for one of the reasons listed in subsections (10), (11), or (12), paragraphs (8)(a) through (l) or (o), or subsection (14) or (15) of this rule, Department staff or the Department contractor shall make a copy of the correspondence before returning the original to the sender along with Form DC2-521, Unauthorized Mail Return Receipt. If the Department or the Department contractor receives identical correspondence from the same individual or entity that is addressed to more than 10 different inmates and the correspondence is disapproved for one of the reasons stated above, Department staff or the Department contractor shall make only one copy of the correspondence before returning the originals to the sender along with one Form DC2-521. The originals may be returned together in a single package.

(c) The copies of returned correspondence shall be retained by the Department or the Department contractor for 30 days, not including any time that a grievance appeal is pending, provided the inmate has initiated the process by filing a formal grievance within 15 days of notice of the delivery disapproval. The inmate is not required to file an informal grievance regarding the delivery disapproval.

(d) If unauthorized items are discovered in incoming routine mail (other than items of an illegal nature), the unauthorized item and the correspondence will be returned to the sender along with Form DC2-521, Unauthorized Mail Return Receipt.

(10) Correspondence between inmates at different institutions or facilities is subject to the prior approval of the warden of each institution or facility. Either warden shall withhold approval if he or she finds that the intended correspondence would present a substantial threat of interference with the security, order, or rehabilitative objectives of his or her institution or facility.

(11) Correspondence with individuals under civil commitment as sexually violent predators is subject to the prior approval of the warden. The warden shall withhold approval if he or she finds that the intended correspondence would present a substantial threat of interference with the security, order, or rehabilitative objectives of his or her institution.

(12) Inmates shall not use correspondence privileges to solicit or otherwise commercially advertise for money, goods, or services. For the purposes of this rule, this includes the placing of ads soliciting pen-pals. Inmates who post ads or have ads posted with the assistance of another person shall be subject

to disciplinary action. If an inmate alleges that an ad was posted by another person without his or her permission or that the ad was placed before the restriction on soliciting pen-pals became effective, it is the responsibility of the inmate to request that the ad be removed by submitting a written request to the owner, operator, or administrator of the forum in which the ad is located if it is reasonably possible for the Department to identify the physical address of such entity. No inmate shall be subject to discipline if the ad is not removed subsequent to submission of the written request. If it is not reasonably possible for the Department to identify the physical address of the owner, operator, or administrator of the forum in which the ad is located, the inmate must submit Form DC6-236, Inmate Request, to the warden indicating that the ad was placed without the inmate's knowledge or consent or that it was placed prior to the restriction on solicitation of pen-pals. In such case, the inmate shall be subject to disciplinary action only if it is discovered that the inmate posted the ad or requested that the ad be posted and, when applicable, that the ad was posted subsequent to the restriction on solicitation of pen-pals.

(13) Inmates may not send mail to any person who has advised the warden that he or she does not wish to receive mail from the inmate. The parents or legal guardians of a person under the age of 18 may advise that mail is not to be sent to such person. Upon receipt of such advisement, the warden will cause to be prepared an acknowledgment specifying that the inmate will not be permitted to send mail to the person requesting the correspondence restriction and that such person should return any further mail received from the inmate and notify the warden of the attempt to correspond. After the inmate is notified of the correspondence restriction, any further attempt to correspond will be considered a violation of this rule and of section 9-14 of the Rules of Prohibited Conduct set forth in Rule 33-601.314, F.A.C., and will subject the inmate to disciplinary action. This restriction does not apply to civil pleadings or other legal documents pertaining to a civil case in which both the inmate and the receiver are parties, and no inmate shall be subject to disciplinary action for mailing such items.

(14) Inmates shall not establish or conduct a business through the mail while incarcerated.

(15) Inmates are prohibited from entering contests or sweepstakes through the mail while incarcerated.

(16) Incoming and outgoing routine mail shall be delivered to and picked up from the institution or facility by the U.S. Postal Service only. Incoming routine mail that is to be processed electronically shall be sent via the U.S. Postal Service to a centralized address designated by the Department that is posted on the Department's public website. All such mail will be picked up for electronic mail processing by the Department contractor. All legal mail as defined in Rule 33-210.102, F.A.C., or privileged mail as defined in Rule 33-210.103,

F.A.C., received at the centralized address designated by the Department shall be returned to the U.S. Postal Service for disposition.

(a) The address on all incoming routine mail must contain the inmate's committed name, identification number, and institutional address or centralized address designated by the Department. The inmate's dorm and bunk locations are not required. All incoming routine mail shall contain the return address of the sender, which is subject to verification. All incoming routine mail shall be rejected if the recipient or sender cannot be verified.

(b) The return address of all outgoing routine mail shall contain the inmate's committed name, identification number, and institutional name, and institutional address. The inmate's dorm and bunk locations are not required. No prefix other than inmate, Mr., Ms., Miss, or Mrs., nor any suffix other than Jr., Sr., or Roman numeral such as II or III may be included as part of the committed name in the return address. The institutional name in the return address must be spelled out completely with no abbreviations. All outgoing routine mail will be stamped "mailed from a state correctional institution" by mail room staff.

(c) Third party mailing services.

1. An inmate shall not utilize any third-party mailing services or engage in any activities that would enable the inmate to engage in correspondence without revealing his or her status as an inmate. Examples of prohibited activities include the following:

a. placement of ads in magazines, newspapers, or other publications;

b. posting of ads or other information on Internet sites;

c. use of any mailing service that allows the inmate to utilize a non-institutional address and engage in correspondence without revealing his or her status as an inmate; or

d. any activity or service that does not reveal to potential correspondents the inmate's status as an inmate.

e. Any inmate who is discovered to be participating in any of the above-prohibited activities shall be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with Rules 33-601.301-.314, F.A.C.

2. A person sending correspondence to an inmate shall not utilize any third-party mailing services or engage in any activities that would enable the sender to engage in correspondence without revealing his or her identity or return address.

(17) When an inmate is transferred or released, incoming routine mail addressed to the inmate shall be treated as follows:

(a) For 30 days after a transfer or release, all first-class and second-class periodicals will be returned to the U.S. Postal Service within 10 working days of receipt with a forwarding address, if available, and a request to postal authorities to forward the periodicals to the inmate. All postage due is the

responsibility of the inmate and must be paid in accordance with postage regulations. At the end of the 30-day period, all first-class and second-class routine periodicals will be returned to the U.S. Postal Service with no attempt to have mail forwarded.

(b) From the date of transfer or release, all incoming routine mail other than first-class and second-class periodicals will be returned to the U.S. Postal Service for disposition.

(18) No postage or writing materials shall be provided to inmates for routine mail except as provided in this subsection. Postage and writing materials shall be provided to any inmate with insufficient funds to allow the inmate to mail one first class letter weighing one ounce or less each month, which must be used for mailing one first class letter weighing one ounce or less each month. Local procedures may be established to require the inmate to request the free postage and writing materials or to establish a specific day of the month for the free letters to be processed.

(19) Inmates shall not utilize hand-made packages or envelopes to send out routine mail. Mail enclosed in such materials will be returned to the inmate without processing.

(20) Outgoing packages and envelopes will not bear any artwork, additional lettering, or designs other than the required mailing address and return address.

(21) No packaging other than standard envelopes shall be given to inmates. Incoming mail that includes the following types of packaging shall be rejected and returned to the sender unopened: envelopes that have metal parts, boxes, padded envelopes, plastic bags, card stock type envelopes (e.g., U.S. Mail Priority or U.S. Mail Express cardboard envelopes), multi-layer packaging, bubble wrap, packing peanuts, and similar packaging.

(22) Inmates shall not use postage stamps as currency to pay for products or services. Postage stamps placed in outgoing mail for this purpose will be deemed contraband. Incoming mail that solicits inmates to purchase products or services and allows payment with postage stamps will be rejected.

Rulemaking Authority 944.09 FS. Law Implemented 20.315, 944.09 FS. History—New 10-8-76, Amended 10-11-77, 4-19-79, 11-19-81, 3-12-84, 10-15-84, Formerly 33-3.04, Amended 7-8-86, 9-4-88, 3-9-89, 9-1-93, 9-30-96, 5-25-97, 6-1-97, 10-7-97, 5-10-98, Formerly 33-3.004, Amended 12-20-99, Formerly 33-602.401, Amended 12-4-02, 8-5-03, 10-27-03, 9-20-04, 3-23-08, 7-2-09, 5-9-10, 12-5-12, 4-1-13, 7-8-14, 5-25-16,\_\_\_\_\_.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Richard Comerford, Assistant Deputy Secretary of Institutions  
NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Mark S. Inch, Secretary  
DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: May 6, 2021

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: December 14, 2020

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

**Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation**

RULE NO.: 61M-1.002  
RULE TITLE: Claims Procedures

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The purpose of the proposed rule amendment to 61M-1.002 (Claims Procedures) is to incorporate Spanish versions of FMHRC Forms 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, and 1010. FMHRC believes that providing Spanish versions of the forms will further assist applicants in seeking financial assistance from FMHRC.

SUMMARY: Incorporate references to new Spanish versions of forms.

**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.

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:

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: 723.0611(3) FS.

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 723.061, 723.06116, 723.0612 FS.

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

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: . 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).

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Vicky Krentz, Executive Director, Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation, Postal Office Box 7848, Clearwater, FL 33758, Toll Free Number: (888)862-7010, Fax Number: (727)754-4996, Email: vicky@fmhrc.org

## THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

## 61M-1.002 Claims Procedures.

(1) In order to receive payment from the Corporation for relocation expenses, the applicant shall submit to the Corporation, with a copy to the park owner, a Home Owner Application for Payment of Relocation Expenses, FMHRC Form 1001 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1001 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06002>, which includes a copy of the notice of eviction due to change in use of the land comprising the mobile home park and a copy of the signed contract with an installer that includes an itemization of the costs of taking down, moving and setting up the mobile home in a new location. The copy of the notice of eviction shall show a date after July 1, 2001, the effective date of the statute creating the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation. The Installer's Form, FMHRC Form 1007 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1007 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06008>, must be used in order for the applicant's request to be considered for approval by the board of the Corporation. The application shall also include a copy of the title(s) to the mobile home showing the name of the owner of the home being the same as the applicant for relocation expenses. The title certificate must bear the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles designation of "HS" which designates the home as a "mobile home." No other designation on the title will be accepted for processing and approval for relocation expenses. Any application received that does not contain complete information and all of the required documentation shall be returned by the Corporation to the applicant along with a notice of the deficiencies in the application. Only completed applications will receive a date stamp. In the event the applicant resubmits the application with the required documentation, the application will then receive a date stamp assigning its priority. Applicants for payment under this section shall also submit an Acknowledgment of Non-Participation in Litigation and Acknowledgment of Non-Acceptance of Compensation from Park Owner, FMHRC Form 1008 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1008 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06009>. An applicant who complies with the application requirements of law and rule shall be entitled to payment of the actual moving expenses to relocate the mobile home within a 50-mile radius of the vacated park, not to exceed \$3,000 for a single-section mobile home or \$6,000 for a multi-section mobile home. Please refer to the Corporation's website for the forms referenced herein and for additional information on when

to submit an application for assistance from the Corporation and for other information regarding the Corporation, [www.fmhrc.org](http://www.fmhrc.org).

(2) Any relocation claims made pursuant to this rule shall be prioritized as follows: The mail will be collected from the post office box address of the Corporation at least Monday, Wednesday and Friday, state and federal holidays excluded. Any completed applications received will be date stamped. Priority of payment of claims for relocation expenses will be based upon the date the completed application is date stamped.

(3) The Corporation must approve payment within 45 days after receipt of the completed relocation application, or payment is deemed approved. Once the mobile home has been moved to its new location, the Corporation shall forward to the park owner notice of the approval along with an invoice for payment of \$2,750 for a single-section mobile home or \$3,750 for a multi-section mobile home. If the applicant's application was approved prior to June 26, 2003, the Corporation will invoice the park owner for payment of \$2,000 for a single-section mobile home or \$2,500 for a multi-section mobile home.

(4) If funds are available and the completed application is approved, the following shall occur:

(a) In the event the mobile home has not yet been moved to a new location, the Corporation shall issue a voucher to the installer in the amount of the contract price for relocation of the mobile home. The amount of the voucher shall be as approved by the board of the Corporation and as set forth in Section 723.0612(1), F.S. The installer may redeem the voucher from the Corporation following completion of the relocation of the mobile home and upon approval of the relocation by the mobile home owner that the work performed was satisfactory. Within 30 days of receipt of Installer Voucher for Payment for Mobile Home Relocation, FMHRC Form 1003 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1003 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06004>, and proof of the satisfactory completion of the relocation by the installer, the Corporation shall pay the amount set forth on the voucher.

(b) In the event the applicant has already moved the mobile home to a new location and paid for the move, the Corporation shall issue a voucher to the applicant whose application was previously approved by the Corporation in accordance with this rule. The amount of the voucher shall be as approved by the board of the Corporation and as set forth in Section 723.0612(1), F.S. The applicant may redeem the voucher upon submitting proof of the relocation of the mobile home in the form of a receipt or invoice marked "paid" by the installer. Within 30 days of receipt of Applicant Voucher for Payment for Mobile Home Relocation, FMHRC Form 1004 (Revised 7-

1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1004 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06005>, and proof of the relocation by the installer, as set forth herein, the Corporation shall pay the amount set forth on the voucher.

(5) In the event a mobile home owner who has been evicted for change in the use of the land chooses to abandon the mobile home pursuant to Section 723.0612(7), F.S., the home owner who received a notice of eviction on or after June 26, 2003 may collect from the Corporation \$1,375 for a single-section mobile home and \$2,750 for a multi-section mobile home so long as the mobile home owner delivers to the park owner the current title(s) to the mobile home properly endorsed by the owner of record with valid releases of all liens shown on the title(s). If the home owner received a notice of eviction prior to June 26, 2003, the applicant may collect an amount equal to one fourth of the maximum allowable moving expenses. In order to qualify for reimbursement under this subsection, the title certificate on the mobile home sought to be abandoned must bear the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles designation of "HS" which is the designation as a "mobile home." No other designation will be accepted for processing and approval for payment for an abandoned home. The applicant who seeks payment under this section shall submit to the Corporation an Application for Payment for Abandoned Mobile Home, FMHRC Form 1002 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1002 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06003>, which includes a copy of the notice of eviction due to change in the use of the land comprising the mobile home park and a copy of the current title(s) to the mobile home with the proper designation of "HS" duly endorsed to the park owner by the owner of record and valid releases of all liens shown on the title. Applicants for payment under this paragraph shall also submit an Acknowledgment by Park Owner When a Home Is Abandoned, FMHRC Form 1009 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1009 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06010>, with either the park owner's signature acknowledging abandonment and agreeing to make payment to the Corporation, or the applicant's signature certifying their inability to obtain the park owner's signature; Abandonment Acknowledgement, FMHRC Form 1010 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1010 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06011>, which is a form stating when the home was abandoned and the address to which payment should be sent; and

Acknowledgment of Non-Participation in Litigation and Acknowledgment of Non-Acceptance of Compensation from Park Owner, FMHRC Form 1008 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1008 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06009>. For applications approved on or after April 6, 2004, the Corporation shall forward the park owner a copy of the approval along with an invoice for payment of \$1,375 for a single-section and \$2,750 for a multi-section mobile home. Only completed applications will receive a date stamp. In the event the applicant resubmits the application with the required documentation, the application will then receive a date stamp assigning its priority. For applications approved prior to April 6, 2004, the Corporation shall forward the park owner a copy of the approval along with an invoice for payment of one fourth of the maximum allowable moving expenses. Please refer to the Corporation's website for the forms referenced herein and for additional information on when to submit an application for assistance from the Corporation, and for other information regarding the Corporation, [www.fmhrc.org](http://www.fmhrc.org).

(6) In the event the funds for payment of relocation expenses or payment for abandonment of the mobile home have been exhausted, the following procedures will be utilized:

(a) The applicant who has properly completed the relocation application and attached the required documentation, and been approved by the Corporation will receive a certificate, Certificate for Payment of Relocation Expenses When Funds Become Available, Form 1005 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1005 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06006>, showing the time and date of approval of payment of an applicant's relocation expenses. Should sufficient funds become available, the Corporation shall pay the claimant for relocation expenses whose unpaid claim is the earliest by time and date of approval.

(b) The applicant who has properly completed the abandonment application and attached the required documentation, and been approved by the Corporation, will receive a certificate, Certificate for Payment for Abandoned Mobile Home When Funds Become Available, Form 1006 (Revised 7-1-15) or Spanish FMHRC Form 1006 (Revised xx-xx-xx), incorporated herein by reference, <https://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-06007>. The Corporation shall pay the applicant at the time the park owner has made the required payment to the Corporation for that applicant.

(7) Any abandonment claims made pursuant to this rule shall be prioritized as follows: The mail will be collected from the post office box address of the Corporation at least Monday,

Wednesday and Friday, state and federal holidays excluded. Any completed applications received will be date stamped. Priority of payment of claims for abandonment expenses will be based upon the date the completed application is date stamped.

(8) The Corporation must approve payment within 45 days after receipt of the completed abandonment application, or payment is deemed approved. Once the mobile home has been abandoned, the Corporation shall forward to the park owner a copy of the approval along with an invoice for payment of \$1,375 for a single-section mobile home or \$2,750 for a multi-section mobile home. If the applicant's application was approved prior to June 26, 2003, the Corporation will invoice the park owner for payment of \$1,250 for a single-section mobile home or \$2,500 for a multi-section mobile home.

(9) All forms referenced in these rules and utilized by the Corporation may be obtained by writing to the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation, Post Office Box Box 7848, Clearwater, Florida 33758-7848 or by visiting www.fmhrc.org. Rulemaking Authority 723.0611(3) FS. Law Implemented 723.061, 723.06116, 723.0612 FS. History—New 1-6-04, Amended 11-3-04, 10-1-08, 11-5-15, \_\_\_\_\_.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE:  
Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation's Board of Directors

NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation's Board of Directors

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: March 05, 2021

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: April 15, 2021

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

**Family Safety and Preservation Program**

RULE NOS.: RULE TITLES:  
65C-14.116 Administrative Actions, Appeals and Closures  
65C-14.120 Record Keeping for Children in Safe Houses  
65C-14.125 Foster Care Referrals and Investigations

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Department intends to amend Rules 65C-14.116, .120, and .125, F.A.C., to align with current statute and practice.

SUMMARY: Amendments include clarification regarding administrative closures, requirements regarding foster care referrals and investigations, and the repeal of Rule 65C-14.120, F.A.C.

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.

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: 409.175(5), FS

LAW IMPLEMENTED: 409.175, FS

IF REQUESTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE SCHEDULED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE FAR.

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

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE IS:

65C-14.116 Administrative Actions, Appeals and Closures.

(1) No change.

(a) The denial, revocation, or suspension of a license shall be recorded in the state's official system of record FSN by the Regional Licensing Authority.

(b) No change.

(2) No change

(3) Administrative Action for Existing Child-Caring Agencies.

(a) No change.

(b) The Department shall consider the following factors when determining whether a child-caring agency's license will be revoked:

1. No change.

2. Whether the agency has a history of institutional abuse reports, as outlined in section 39.302(7), F.S.,

3. through 6. No change.

(c) No change.

(4) No change.

(5) ~~Voluntary~~ Agency Closures.

(a) If a child-caring agency closes voluntarily ceases operation for any reason, it shall notify the Department in writing at least 30 calendar days prior to closing, ~~and~~

(b) All child-caring agencies who cease operation, for any reason, shall coordinate the following:

1. No change.
2. Return of all open and closed records to the Department within 30 days of closure.

~~(c)~~(b) If a child-caring agency ceases operation, ~~the~~The Department shall document in the state's official system of record ESN:

1. through 2. No change.
3. If the closure is voluntary and in lieu of revocation or denial of a license, the concerns of the Department regarding the child-caring agency.
4. Confirmation of open and closed records received.

Rulemaking Authority 409.175(5)(a) FS. Law Implemented 409.175(5)(b)1., (6), (9)(a) 409.175(5)(a)1., (6), (9)(a) FS. History--New 10-20-16. Amended

65C-14.120 Record Keeping for Children in Safe Houses. Rulemaking Authority 409.1678(2)(e) FS. Law Implemented 409.1678 FS. History--New 10-24-19, Formerly 65C-43.0035. Repealed.

65C-14.125 Foster Care Referrals and Investigations.

(1) The Regional Licensing Authority maintains responsibility for ensuring follow-up actions for licensing standards are taken on all foster care referrals and investigations. The regional licensing authority shall ensure that all licensed child-caring agencies are notified of foster care referrals. Child-caring agencies shall be notified of investigations by the child protective investigator.

(2) The Regional Licensing Authority, community-based care lead agency, and supervising agency have the right to inspect the entire premises of the child-caring agency at any time.

(3) Foster Care Referrals. Upon receipt by the child protection investigation unit of a foster care referral regarding a child-caring agency, the foster care referral shall be immediately forwarded to the appropriate Regional Licensing Authority. The licensing staff receiving the foster care referral shall:

- (a) Respond to the foster care referral and document any needed actions within 48 hours;
- (b) Prepare a written corrective action plan to correct the identified deficiencies. The plan shall be developed by the Regional Licensing Authority in conjunction with the licensed child-caring agency; and
- (c) Make a call to the Abuse Hotline if there are suspicions of abuse or neglect.

(4) Investigations. When the Regional Licensing Authority is notified of an investigation, a staffing shall be coordinated according to local protocol. If licensing violations are found which do not pose an immediate threat to the health, safety, or well-being of the child, the Regional Licensing Authority shall prepare a written corrective action plan to correct the deficiencies. The plan shall be developed by the Regional Licensing Authority in conjunction with the licensed child-caring agency.

Rulemaking Authority 409.175(5) FS. Law Implemented 409.175 FS. History--New

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Vanessa Snoddy  
 NAME OF AGENCY HEAD WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Shevaun L. Harris  
 DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: December 14, 2020  
 DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN FAR: December 23, 2020

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

**DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS**

RULE NO.: 20-9.002      RULE TITLE: Processed Form

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Florida Department of Citrus announces a change of hearing regarding the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 47 No. 64, April 2, 2021 Florida Administrative Register.  
 DATE AND TIME: May 26, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E Main St, Bartow, FL 33830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Rule 20-9.002, amend Conversion units used in figuring equivalent boxes for payment of equalization excise assessments and housekeeping updates.

**DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS**

RULE NO.: 20-100.004      RULE TITLE: Official Forms Used by Agency

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Florida Department of Citrus announces a hearing regarding the above rule, as noticed in Vol. 47 No. 64, April 2, 2021 Florida Administrative Register.

DATE AND TIME: May 26, 2021, 9:00 a.m.  
 PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E Main St, Bartow, FL 33830

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:  
Rule 20-100.004, Updating assessment form 4R utilizing the new conversion unit chart in 20-9.002, new effective date.

## AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION

### Health Facility and Agency Licensing

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
59A-3.065 Definitions

#### NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 45 No. 61, March 28, 2019 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

#### 59A-3.065 Definitions.

In addition to definitions contained in chapters 395 and 408, part II, F.S., the following definitions shall apply specifically to hospitals, as used in rules 59A-3.065-.310, F.A.C.:

(1) "Adult congenital patient" means a person who is age 18 years ~~or and~~ and who previously received pediatric cardiac services for congenital heart disease, or who was referred for specialized procedures for congenital heart disease. A hospital authorized to provide pediatric cardiac services may provide those ~~the~~ services to adult congenital patients regardless of the age of the patient.

(2) "Adult" means a person who is age 18 years ~~or and~~ older.

(3) through (10) No change.

(11) "Complex Neonatal Surgery" means any surgical procedure performed upon a neonate by a practitioner licensed under the provisions of Chapters 458 or 459, F.S., and credentialed to perform pediatric surgical procedures licensed under the provisions of Chapters 458 or 459, F.S., which are ~~associated with entry into or traversing a body cavity, such as the abdomen, thorax, or cranium, with a requirement for either general anesthesia or conscious sedation. Such procedures shall only be performed in hospitals licensed under the provisions of Chapter 395, F.S., providing Level III or Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services. Specific licensure pursuant to Rules 59A 3.246 or 59A 3.248 is required to perform pediatric transplants or pediatric cardiac services, respectively.~~

(12) through (14) No change.

(15) "Diagnostic cardiac catheterization procedure" means ~~a medical procedure requiring~~ the passage of a catheter into one or more cardiac chambers of the ~~left and right~~ heart, with or without coronary arteriograms, for the purpose of diagnosing congenital or acquired cardiovascular diseases, or for measuring ~~determining measurement~~ of blood pressure and flow. Cardiac catheterization also includes the selective catheterization of the coronary ostia with injection of contrast medium into the coronary arteries. A single session with a patient in the hospital's cardiac catheterization procedure room,

irrespective of the number of specific procedures performed during the session shall be counted as one procedure.

(16) through (24) No change.

(25) "Immediately available" means on the premises where ~~pediatric cardiac~~ services are being performed.

(26) "Inpatient beds" means accommodations with supporting services for patients who are admitted by physician order with the expectation that the patient would stay in excess of 24 hours and occupy a bed. Bed types include:

(a) No change.

(b) "Adult psychiatric bed" means a bed within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital and for the exclusive provision ~~use~~ of inpatient psychiatric services to adult patients whose sole ~~diagnosis~~ or principal diagnosis is a psychiatric disorder;

(c) "Adult substance abuse bed" means a bed within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital and for the exclusive provision ~~use~~ of inpatient substance abuse services to adult patients whose sole ~~diagnosis~~ or principal diagnosis is a substance abuse disorder;

(d) "Child psychiatric bed" means a bed within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital and for the exclusive provision ~~use~~ of inpatient psychiatric services to pediatric patients whose sole ~~diagnosis~~ or principal diagnosis is a psychiatric disorder;

(e) "Child substance abuse bed" means a bed within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital and for the exclusive provision ~~use~~ of ~~providing hospital~~ inpatient substance abuse services to pediatric patients whose sole ~~diagnosis~~ or principal diagnosis is a substance abuse disorder;

(f) "Comprehensive medical rehabilitation bed" means a bed in a rehabilitation hospital or within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital for the exclusive use of providing integrated intensive care services provided by a coordinated multidisciplinary team to patients with severe physical disabilities, such as stroke, spinal cord injury, congenital deformity, amputation, major multiple trauma, hip fracture, brain injury, polyarthritis (including rheumatoid arthritis), neurological disorders (including multiple sclerosis, motor neuron diseases, polyneuropathy, muscular dystrophy, and Parkinson's disease), and burns;

(g) No change.

(h) "Long term care bed" means an acute care bed within a Class I long term care hospital for the treatment of medically complex patients;

(i) "Neonatal intensive care unit bed or NICU bed" means a patient care station within a physically and functionally distinct unit in which Level II, III, or IV ~~in~~ Neonatal ~~intensive~~ Care ~~services~~ are provided;

(j) "Skilled nursing unit bed" means an acute care bed within a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital



in which short term care and rehabilitation services are provided by licensed practical nurses and registered professional nurses.

(27) through (30) No change.

(31) ~~“Neonatal Care Services” means the aspect of perinatal medicine pertaining to the care of neonates. Hospitals providing neonatal care are classified according to the following intensity and specialization of the care that can be provided:~~

(a) ~~“Level I Neonatal Services” means well baby care services, which include sub-ventilation care, intravenous feedings, intravenous medications, and gavage to neonates. Level I services are restricted to neonates born at 35 weeks gestation or later and considered low risk. Level I Neonatal Services do not include ventilation assistance except for resuscitation and stabilization. Upon beginning ventilation, the hospital shall implement a patient treatment plan which shall include the transfer of the neonate to a hospital with Level II, III, or IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services at such time that it becomes apparent that ventilation assistance will be required beyond the neonate’s resuscitation and stabilization. The hospital shall establish a triage procedure to assess the need for transfer of obstetrical patients to hospitals with Level II, III, or IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services prior to their delivery where there is an obstetrical indication that resuscitation will be required for their neonates. Hospitals that do not have licensed NICU beds may only perform Level I neonatal services.~~

(b) ~~“Level II Neonatal Intensive Care Services” means Level I neonatal services plus mechanical ventilation or continuous positive airway pressure for less than 24 hours. A Level II NICU must have at least one person at all times capable of providing either continuous positive airway pressure and/or mechanical ventilation for a brief period. Level II services are restricted to neonates born at greater than or equal to 32 weeks gestation, weigh greater than or equal to 1,500 grams birth weight, and/or who have physiologic immaturity or are moderately ill, but are expected to recover rapidly and not require any subspecialty services. All neonates born earlier than 32 weeks gestation, weigh less than 1,500 grams birth weight, and/or require one or more of the Level III or Level IV services shall be transferred to a hospital with Level III or Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services. Level II Neonatal Intensive Care Services may be provided for neonates born earlier than 32 weeks gestation, less than 1,500 grams birth weight, or require subspecialty services, but only while waiting to transport the neonate to a hospital with Level III or IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services.~~

(c) ~~“Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Services” means Level II services plus the capability of providing sustained life support and ongoing assisted ventilation for periods longer than 24 hours, which include continuous conventional ventilation, high frequency ventilation, and/or inhaled nitric oxide. Level~~

~~III services must include advanced imaging capabilities with urgent interpretation. Level III services are restricted to infants born less than or equal to 32 weeks of gestation, weigh less than 1,500 grams birth weight, and/or have a critical illness regardless of gestational age or birth weight. Hospitals with Level III services must have the staff listed in subsection 59A-3.249(3), F.A.C. available to provide emergency care as needed, and may provide complex neonatal surgery excluding pediatric cardiac services as defined in this rule.~~

(d) ~~“Level IV Neonatal Intensive Care Services” means Level III services plus the hospital must have the capability to provide continuous onsite surgical repair of complex congenital or acquired conditions in neonates.~~

(31)(32) “Neonatal intensive care unit” or “NICU” means a physically and functionally distinct unit of a hospital and for the exclusive provision of neonatal intensive care services Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

(33) through (39) renumbered (32) through (38) No change.

(39)(40) ~~“Pediatric cardiac services” means integrated hospital services providing age-appropriate diagnostic and interventional cardiac catheterization and cardiovascular surgical services on the premises of the hospital and available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week to pediatric and adult congenital patients. Hospitals providing pediatric cardiac services must have the capability to provide treatment of penetrating and blunt force cardiac injury, valvuloplasty, echocardiography, cardiac electrophysiology, advanced cardiac imaging, post-operative intensive care, and outpatient cardiac clinic services. For the purpose of Rule 59A 3.248, F.A.C., cardiovascular surgical services do not include heart transplantation.~~

(41) through (64) renumbered to (40) through (63) No change.

(64)(65) ~~“Transplantation Program” means the offering of administrative, medical, surgical, and support services by a hospital through which one or more types of organ transplants are provided to one or more patients; and/or and the offering of some or all phases of bone marrow transplantation.~~

(66) through (67) renumbered to (65) through (66) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 395.1055 FS. Law Implemented 395.1023, 395.1055 FS. History—New 9-4-95, Formerly 59A-3.201, Amended 10-16-14,\_\_\_\_\_.

**AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION****Health Facility and Agency Licensing**

RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:

59A-3.249 Neonatal Intensive Care Units  
NOTICE OF CHANGE

Notice is hereby given that the following changes have been made to the proposed rule in accordance with subparagraph 120.54(3)(d)1., F.S., published in Vol. 45 No. 61, March 28, 2019 issue of the Florida Administrative Register.

The following sections of the proposed rule will be changed to read:

59A-3.249 Neonatal Intensive Care Units. Each hospital with an obstetrical department as described in Rule 59A-3.244(2), F.A.C. shall have a neonatal nursery to provide Level I neonatal services. Level I neonatal services means well-baby care services including sub-ventilation care, intravenous feedings, intravenous medications, and gavage to neonates, as needed. Services in a Level I neonatal nursery are restricted to neonates born at 35 weeks gestation or later and who are considered low risk and physiologically stable. Ventilation assistance shall not be provided except for resuscitation and stabilization. Upon beginning ventilation, the hospital shall implement a patient treatment plan which shall include the transfer of the neonate to a hospital providing Level II, III, or IV NICU services at such time that it becomes apparent that ventilation assistance will be required beyond the neonate's resuscitation and stabilization. A hospital only providing Level I neonatal services shall establish a triage procedure to assess the need for transfer of obstetrical patients to hospitals providing Level II, III, or IV NICU services prior to their delivery where there is an obstetrical indication that resuscitation will be required for their neonates.

(1) A hospital may not provide NICU neonatal intensive care services prior to obtaining licensure of NICU beds as evidenced by the bed type appearing on the face of the hospital's license. A hospital authorized to provide NICU neonatal intensive care services as of July 1, 2020 shall be licensed to provide the same level of care for NICU services neonatal intensive care servies as of the effective date of this rule, but and must meet all of the requirements of this rule within one year from the effective date. However, This does not preclude a hospital is not precluded from qualifying for a higher level during the year.

(a) A hospital establishing NICU neonatal intensive care services must apply for licensure of Level II, III, or IV NICU beds by submitting a hospital licensure application as specified in subsection 59A-3.066(2), F.A.C.

(b) A hospital providing Level II, III, or IV NICU neonatal intensive care services must have, directly or by contract, an emergency 24-hour neonatal transportation system in

accordance with Rule 64J-1.006, F.A.C. administered by the Department of Health. Hospitals providing Level II NICU neonatal intensive care services must have a written transfer agreement with a hospital providing Level III or Level IV NICU neonatal intensive care services and hospitals providing Level III NICU neonatal intensive care services must have a written transfer agreement with a hospital providing Level IV NICU neonatal intensive care services. A hospital which is part of a health system with more than one hospital under common ownership is not required to have a written transfer agreement with hospitals within the same system.

(c) A hospital providing Level III or Level IV neonatal intensive care services may utilize any licensed NICU bed up to at the hospital's highest licensed level of NICU neonatal intensive care services required to meet the patient's needs if the staffing, equipment, and supplies required by this rule for the level of service is met.

1. A Level II NICU may only provide Level II NICU services. Level II NICU services may be provided to any neonate who no longer requires Level III or Level IV NICU services.

2. A Level III NICU may provide Level II and Level III NICU services.

3. A Level IV NICU may provide Level II, Level III, and Level IV NICU services.

(2) Level II NICU Neonatal Intensive Care Services. A hospital providing Level II NICU services shall have a physically and functionally distinct NICU for neonates born at greater than or equal to 32 weeks gestation, weighing greater than or equal to 1,500 grams birth weight, and/or who have physiologic immaturity or are moderately ill, but are expected to recover rapidly and not require any subspecialty services. All neonates born earlier than 32 weeks gestation or weighing less than 1,500 grams birth weight and requiring one or more of the Level III or Level IV NICU services shall be transferred to a hospital providing Level III or Level IV NICU services. Level II NICU services may be provided to neonates pending transport to a hospital with Level III or IV NICU services. Hospitals that are licensed for Level II NICU beds, but not Level III or Level IV NICU beds may perform only Level II Neonatal Intensive Care Services.

(a) No change.

(b) Each Level II NICU must have available, on-site or on an on-call basis for consultation within 30 minutes, members of the organized medical staff with neonatal intensive care privileges granted pursuant to Rule 59A-3.272, F.A.C. The following staff, either directly or by contract, must be available on-site, or on an on-call basis for consultation on-site or via telephone or telemedicine within 30 minutes to provide emergency care as needed:

1. Physicians with expertise in the treatment of neonates;

~~2. Pediatric hospitalists; or~~

~~3. Neonatologists;~~

(c) Each Level II NICU must have neonatal nurses, respiratory therapists, radiology technicians and clinical laboratory personnel continuously available.

1. Neonatal nurses. The nursing staff must be under the supervision of a registered professional head nurse with experience and training in neonatal intensive care nursing. ~~The head nurse must be a registered professional nurse.~~ Nurses must be trained to provide administer cardio-respiratory monitoring, assist ~~with~~ in ventilation, administer intravenous fluids, provide pre-operative and post-operative care of patients requiring surgery, manage patients being transported, and provide emergency treatment of conditions such as apnea, seizures, and respiratory distress;

I. No change

II. There must be at least one nurse for every three patients receiving Level II NICU neonatal intensive care services;

2. No change.

(d) Each Level II NICU unit must be capable of providing ~~continuous positive airway pressure or mechanical ventilation up to 24 hours, as needed, and provide:~~

1. Continuous positive airway pressure;

2. Mechanical ventilation up to 24 hours, as needed;

~~3. On-site, on a 24-hour basis, x-ray; and neonatal ultrasound, and clinical laboratory services. Clinical laboratory services must include blood gas analysis, and have the capability to perform microstudies;~~

4. Clinical laboratory services including blood gas analysis and the capability to perform microstudies;

2. renumbered 5. No change.

~~6. Nutritional services, as required by Rule 59A-3.240, F.A.C. including having a dietician or nutritionist available as needed to provide information on patient dietary needs and to provide the patient's family instructions or counseling regarding the appropriate nutritional and dietary needs of the patient after discharge;~~

4. through 6. renumbered 7. through 9. No change.

(e) through (f) No change.

(3) Level III NICU Neonatal Intensive Care Services. Neonates born less than 32 weeks gestation, weighing less than 1,500 grams birth weight, and/or have a critical illness regardless of gestational age or birth weight require Level III NICU services. Hospitals providing Level III NICU services must meet the staffing, equipment, and service standards required of Level II NICUs in addition to the standards noted within this subsection. Hospitals providing Level III NICU services may perform Level II and Level III NICU services, Neonatal Intensive Care Services whole body hypothermia treatments, and complex neonatal surgery excluding pediatric cardiac services.

(a) Each Level III NICU must be directed by a full-time, board certified neonatologist. Hospitals with Level III NICUs must maintain the staff required of Level II NICUs and have the. ~~The following specialists must be available on-site, or on an on-call basis for consultation on site or via telephone or telemedicine within 30 minutes:~~

1. Pediatric medical subspecialists, including pediatric intensivists;

2. through 5. No change.

(b) Neonatal nurses. There must be at least one nurse for every two patients receiving Level III NICU neonatal intensive care services. Patients requiring complex neonatal surgery or multi-system support must have one nurse for every patient during the immediate preoperative, intraoperative, and immediate postoperative periods.

(c) A Level III NICU must be capable of life support as needed. Level III NICUs must have the equipment and services required of a Level II NICU and the following equipment and services must be continuously available:

1. through 2. No change.

3. Imaging services capable of advanced imaging with interpretation on an urgent basis, including computed tomography, magnetic resonance imaging; and echocardiography Laboratory and imaging services;

4. Laboratory, nNutrition, and pharmacy, social services; and

5. Social services;

~~5.6. Pastoral care; and~~

~~7. Advanced imaging with interpretation on an urgent basis, including computed tomography, magnetic resonance imaging; and echocardiography.~~

(4) Level IV NICU Neonatal Intensive Care Services. Hospitals providing Level IV NICU services must meet the staffing, equipment, and service standards required of Level III NICUs in addition to the standards noted within this subsection. Hospitals providing Level IV NICU services may perform Level II, Level III and Level IV NICU Neonatal Intensive Care sServices.

(a) General hospitals providing Level IV NICU services must provide obstetric services for women with high-risk pregnancies on-site on site, on a 24-hour basis.

(b) Hospitals providing Level IV NICU services must:

1. Maintain continuous availability of pediatric medical and surgical specialists on-site, or on an on-call basis to be on-site and ready within 30 minutes, to provide Level IV NICU services complex neonatal surgery, including pediatric cardiac services (e.g., congenital cardiac malformations that require cardiopulmonary bypass with or without extracorporeal membrane oxygenation);

2. through 4. No change.

~~5. Maintain continuous availability of pediatric specialists and staff to provide services to include extracorporeal membrane oxygenation and whole body hypothermia treatments, as needed.~~

(5) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 395.1055, FS. Law Implemented 395.1055, FS. History—New \_\_\_\_\_.

## Section IV Emergency Rules

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### Division of Emergency Preparedness and Community Support

RULE NO.:           RULE TITLE:  
64JER21-7           Paramedic and Emergency Medical  
                          Technician Administration of COVID-19  
                          Vaccines

SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission and presents with symptoms similar to those of influenza. COVID-19 is a communicable disease with significant morbidity and mortality. The Surgeon General has declared a statewide Public Health Emergency due to the spread of COVID-19. As a result, it presents an immediate, severe danger to public health that warrants an accelerated effort to administer COVID-19 vaccine using all available resources, including paramedics and emergency medical technicians (EMTs).

REASON FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: COVID-19 presents a public health threat to the State of Florida. There is an immediate need to set forth procedures for the control of this communicable disease in the State of Florida; specifically, to facilitate the widespread administration of COVID-19 vaccines. Adoption of an emergency rule that permits certified paramedics and EMTs to administer COVID-19 vaccines under appropriate medical direction is fair under the current circumstances, which require immediate action to address the Public Health Emergency.

SUMMARY: The Emergency Rule permits certified paramedics acting under medical direction to prepare and administer COVID-19 vaccines and to supervise EMTs in the administration of COVID-19 vaccines. The emergency rule permits certified EMTs acting under medical direction or acting under the supervision of a paramedic or other authorized health care practitioner to administer prepared COVID-19 vaccines. The rule requires that paramedics and EMTs complete training

in COVID-19 vaccine administration and comply with established protocols.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE EMERGENCY RULE IS: Melia Jenkins, Florida Department of Health, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1722, (850) 558-9532, melia.jenkins@flhealth.gov.

THE FULL TEXT OF THE EMERGENCY RULE IS:

#### 64JER21-7 Paramedic and Emergency Medical Technician Administration of COVID-19 Vaccines

(1) As used in this Rule:

(a) “Medical Direction” means oral instruction either in person or through remote two-way voice communication, and written instruction by standing order, of a licensed physician.

(b) “Supervise” or “Supervision” means the inspection, oversight, and direction of the administration of COVID-19 vaccine.

(c) “COVID-19 vaccine” means a qualified product that limits the harm COVID-19 might otherwise cause, as defined by 42 U.S.C. 247d-6d(i)(1)(A).

(d) “COVID-19 vaccine administration training” means the training developed by the Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Oversight, or training that requires completion of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) COVID-19 Vaccine Training Modules followed by an observation period by a currently practicing healthcare professional who holds an active license or certification permitting the professional to administer vaccines who confirms competency in the administration of the COVID-19 vaccine.

(2) A paramedic or emergency medical technician (EMT) certified in Florida may be employed by or enter into a written agreement with the Florida Department of Health, the Florida Division of Emergency Management, the contracted health care service provider(s) of either of these agencies, or an emergency medical services (EMS) provider licensed in Florida, to administer COVID-19 vaccine in a non-emergency environment as provided by this Rule.

(3) A paramedic acting under medical direction may constitute, draw, and administer COVID-19 vaccine.

(4) A paramedic acting under medical direction may supervise an EMT in the intramuscular administration of COVID-19 vaccine.

(5) An EMT acting under medical direction and acting under the supervision of a paramedic or other health care practitioner authorized by law, may only administer COVID-19 vaccines intramuscularly. An EMT may not determine whether administration of COVID-19 vaccine is medically appropriate, constitute COVID-19 vaccine, or draw COVID-19 vaccine.

(6) Paramedics and EMTs must assure themselves that monitoring and aftercare are available for vaccine recipients prior to administering COVID-19 vaccine and must comply with established protocols when administering COVID-19 vaccine.

(7) Paramedics and EMTs who are employed by or enter into a written agreement with the Florida Department of Health, the Florida Division of Emergency Management, or the contracted health care service provider(s) of either of these agencies must complete COVID-19 vaccine administration training provided by the Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Oversight.

(8) Paramedics and EMTs who are employed by licensed EMS providers must complete COVID-19 vaccine administration training provided by the EMS provider.

(9) Paramedics and EMTs must obtain written documentation of their successful completion of COVID-19 vaccine administration training prior to handling COVID-19 vaccine or COVID-19 vaccine supplies and must present documentation of their successful completion of the training upon request of the department.

(10) Paramedics and EMTs employed by the United States or its personnel, contractors, or volunteers are not precluded from administering COVID-19 vaccines at sites operated by the United States as permitted under the Public Readiness and Emergency Preparedness (PREP) Act, 42 U.S.C. § 247d-6d, and its implementing secretarial Declarations and are otherwise exempt from this Rule.

Rulemaking Authority 401.35, FS. Law Implemented 401.27, FS. History-New

THIS RULE TAKES EFFECT UPON BEING FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE UNLESS A LATER TIME AND DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THE RULE.  
EFFECTIVE DATE: May 17, 2021

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

DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT  
Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission  
RULE NO.: RULE TITLE:  
11B-27.002 Certification, Employment or Appointment, Reactivation, and Terminating Employment or Appointment of Officers

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 14, 2021, the Department of Law Enforcement, received a petition for permanent waiver of subsection 11B-27.002(4) by Robert James. Petitioner wishes to waive that portion of the rule that states: (a) Within four years of the beginning date of a

Commission-approved Basic Recruit Training Program, an individual shall successfully complete the program, achieve a passing score on the applicable State Officer Certification Examination, and gain employment, and certification as an officer.

A copy of the Petition for Variance or Waiver may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Florida Department of Law Enforcement, P.O. Box 1489 Tallahassee, FL, 32302 or by telephone at (850)410-7676.

## Section VI Notice of Meetings, Workshops and Public Hearings

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Cultural Affairs

The Friends of the Museums of Florida History, Inc. announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, June 10, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: R.A. Gray Building, 500 South Bronough Street, Room 307, Tallahassee, FL 32399 or by conference call. To join the call, dial 1(855)578-6266. When prompted, enter the conference room number (373-240-540)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:  
General business

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Thomas W. Robinson, Development and Financial Director, (850)245-6413.

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For more information, you may contact: Thomas W. Robinson, Development and Financial Director, (850)245-6413.

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

Division of Fruit and Vegetables

The Citrus Research and Development Foundation, Inc., acting as the Advisory Council for the Citrus Research Marketing Order announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 22, 2021, 9:45 a.m. Eastern Time

PLACE: Lake Placid Government Center Community Room, located at 1069 US 27 North, Lake Placid, Florida. This meeting is also accessible via Zoom Video Conferencing using the following link, <https://ufl.zoom.us/j/93572501848> and entering the meeting ID: 935 7250 1848, or by dialing (646)558-8656 and entering participant access code/meeting ID 935 7250 1848# when prompted.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** General meeting to discuss and set the assessment rate for the upcoming 2021-2022 season.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Deidra Whatley by phone at 1(863)956-8817 or by email at [d.whatley@citrusrdf.org](mailto:d.whatley@citrusrdf.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 72 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Deidra Whatley by phone at 1(863)956-8817 or by email at [d.whatley@citrusrdf.org](mailto:d.whatley@citrusrdf.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).

For more information, you may contact: Deidra Whatley by phone at 1(863)956-8817 or by email at [d.whatley@citrusrdf.org](mailto:d.whatley@citrusrdf.org).

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

Division of Agricultural Water Policy

The Orange Hill Soil and Water Conservation District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: June 8, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; July 13, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; August 10, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; September 14, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; October 12, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; November 9, 2021, 8:30 a.m.; December 14, 2021, 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: 1424 Jackson Avenue, Suite D, Chipley, FL

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Items for discussion include general business pursuant to responsibilities under Chapter 582, F.S., and any new business that is brought up by District supervisors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Orange Hill Soil and Water Conservation District at (850)547-2916.

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

Division of Agricultural Water Policy

The Bradford Soil and Water Conservation District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: July 6, 2021, 9:00 a.m.; August 3, 2021, 9:00 a.m.; September 7, 2021, 9:00 a.m.; October 5, 2021, 9:00 a.m.; November 2, 2021, 9:00 a.m.; December 7, 2021, 9:00a.m.

PLACE: 2266 N Temple AVE, Starke, FL 32091

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Items for discussion include general business pursuant to responsibilities under Chapter 582, F.S., and any new business that is brought up by District supervisors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Bradford Soil and Water Conservation District at (904)382-3890.

**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

Division of Agricultural Water Policy

The Charlotte Soil and Water Conservation District announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: June 15, 2021, 9:30 a.m.; August 17, 2021, 9:30 a.m.; September 21, 2021, 9:30 a.m.; October 9, 2021, 9:30 a.m.; November 16, 2021, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: 1120 Centennial BLVD, Port Charlotte, FL 33953

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Items for discussion include general business pursuant to responsibilities under Chapter 582, F.S., and any new business that is brought up by District supervisors.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Charlotte Soil and Water Conservation District at (941)246-1079.

**DEPARTMENT OF CITRUS**

The Florida Department of Citrus announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 26, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Florida Department of Citrus, 605 E. Main Street, Bartow, FL 33830

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Commission will convene for the regularly scheduled meeting of the Florida Citrus Commission. The Commission will address issues pertaining to budget items and revisions, contracts, consumer education and engagement programs, program evaluation measurements, licensing, issues pertaining to Chapter 601, F.S., rulemaking; and any other matter addressed during regular meetings of the Commission.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Heather Anderson at [handerson@citrus.myflorida.com](mailto:handerson@citrus.myflorida.com) or 1(863)537-3950.

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: Kim Pittzer at [kpittzer@citrus.myflorida.com](mailto:kpittzer@citrus.myflorida.com) or 1(863)537-3984. 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 Florida Faith-Based and Community-Based Advisory Council announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 25, 2021, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Microsoft Teams:

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_OTNiZTVmNWUtYmM4Ni00MDdkLTkwZmUtZWZmMWRmMDQ4NTY4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%226ae1dc38-bd16-4caa-bed2-f923d518e145%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22610c3a09-43a8-4cd1-84a7-4e67993859f5%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OTNiZTVmNWUtYmM4Ni00MDdkLTkwZmUtZWZmMWRmMDQ4NTY4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%226ae1dc38-bd16-4caa-bed2-f923d518e145%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22610c3a09-43a8-4cd1-84a7-4e67993859f5%22%7d)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: FBCB Planning Meeting

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Savannah Vickery, Governor's Office of Adoption and Child Protection, (850)717-9261 or [savannah.vickery@eog.myflorida.com](mailto:savannah.vickery@eog.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 2 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Savannah Vickery, Governor's Office of Adoption and Child Protection, (850)717-9261 or [savannah.vickery@eog.myflorida.com](mailto:savannah.vickery@eog.myflorida.com). 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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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

Board of Chiropractic Medicine

The Department of Health announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 22, 2021, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: 1(888)585-9008, 136-103-141 participant code

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Probable Cause Panel Meeting

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

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For more information, you may contact: [Christina.McGinnis@flhealth.gov](mailto:Christina.McGinnis@flhealth.gov).

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

Board of Nursing

The Board of Nursing announces a telephone conference call to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 26, 2021, 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Toll Free Number: 1(888)585-9008, 275-112-502

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: To conduct public disciplinary cases.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: <https://floridasnursing.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 48 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: (850)245-4125. 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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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists**

The Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** May 27, 2021, 5:00 p.m. ET

**PLACE:** Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or telephone using GoToMeeting at <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/478669157> or by telephone (Toll Free) 1(866)899-4679 or (571)317-3116 using Access Code: 478-669-157

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** General board business involving discussion and actions, including, but not limited to general board business, licensure applications, rules and disciplinary matters.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting the board office at (850)245-4292 or by visiting our website at <https://floridasorthotistsprosthetists.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 the board office at (850)245-4292.

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 the board office at (850)245-4292.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Board of Osteopathic Medicine**

The Board of Osteopathic Medicine announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Monday, June 21, 2021, 1:00 p.m. ET

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

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/272935117> You can also dial in using your phone.

United States (Toll Free): 1(877)309-2073, Access Code: 272-935-117

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** General business of the board.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [www.floridasosteopathicmedicine.gov/meeting-information](http://www.floridasosteopathicmedicine.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: Christa Peace, Regulatory Specialist III, at (850)245-4161 or [christa.peace@flhealth.gov](mailto:christa.peace@flhealth.gov) or 4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06, 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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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Division of Children's Medical Services**

The State Child Abuse Death Review Committee Meeting announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** May 28, 2021, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**PLACE:** Microsoft Teams Meeting: [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_MDBjZWJZjktZTBmNC00ZGFhLTlhNzItMzIwMzRiZDYyODVj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2228cd8f80-3c44-4b27-81a0-cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22347994ad-22fa-4850-87b1-dd0a53a66c99%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MDBjZWJZjktZTBmNC00ZGFhLTlhNzItMzIwMzRiZDYyODVj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2228cd8f80-3c44-4b27-81a0-cd2b03a31b8d%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22347994ad-22fa-4850-87b1-dd0a53a66c99%22%7d)

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The State Child Abuse Death Review (CADR) Committee has planned a collaborative webinar meeting. This meeting is being held to review the CADR Summit Survey and plan the 2021 CADR Summit.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: [Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.gov](mailto:Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.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: [Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.gov](mailto:Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.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).

For more information, you may contact: [Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.gov](mailto:Joshua.Thomas@flhealth.gov).

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**

The Department of Children & Families, Southeast Region announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** May 24, 2021, 2:01 p.m.

**PLACE:** Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams. Send email address to [Natasha.Grant@myflfamilies.com](mailto:Natasha.Grant@myflfamilies.com) with "Proposal Opening" in the subject line to secure an invitation to the meeting. Email addresses are due by May 21, 2021, 3:00 p.m.



GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Sealed Proposal Opening for RFP# C17-2021-APS in response to Community Care for Disabled Adults Program.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Natasha Grant-Procurement Officer at the email address identified in the RFP.

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: Natasha Grant-Procurement Officer at the email address identified in the RFP. 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: Natasha Grant-Procurement Officer at the email address identified in the RFP.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

##### Mental Health Program

The Department of Children and Families, Statewide Office for Suicide Prevention announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATES AND TIMES: June 8, 2021, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.; June 22, 2021, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: <https://fsu-hipaa.zoom.us/j/92601143726>; Meeting ID: 926 0114 3726; Dial by your location: (312)626-6799, US (Chicago), (929)205-6099, US (New York), (301)715-8592, US (Washington D.C), (346)248-7799, US (Houston), (669)900-6833, US (San Jose), (253)215-8782, US (Tacoma)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Meeting of the Florida First Responder Suicide Deterrence Task Force. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss recommendations to be made by the Task Force and to provide updates on the progress of the First Responder Suicide Deterrence Task Force annual report.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Anna Gai at [anna.gai@myflfamilies.com](mailto:anna.gai@myflfamilies.com) or (850)717-4265.

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: Anna Gai at [anna.gai@myflfamilies.com](mailto:anna.gai@myflfamilies.com) or (850)717-4265. 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: Anna Gai at [anna.gai@myflfamilies.com](mailto:anna.gai@myflfamilies.com) or (850)717-4265.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

##### Refugee Services

The Orlando Area Refugee Task Force announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, June 9, 2021, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon

PLACE: Meeting will take place via the Microsoft Teams platform. Use the below link to connect to the meeting:

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_YjQ2ZGU0ZDktNWUxMi00ZmZiLWE0N2EtNWM2ZWJkM2MzMDZj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22f70dba48-b283-4c57-8831-cb411445a94c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%224c7ac74e-0835-4242-a8cf-f26976fc1c32%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YjQ2ZGU0ZDktNWUxMi00ZmZiLWE0N2EtNWM2ZWJkM2MzMDZj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22f70dba48-b283-4c57-8831-cb411445a94c%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%224c7ac74e-0835-4242-a8cf-f26976fc1c32%22%7d)

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The purpose of the Orlando Area Refugee Task Force meeting is to increase awareness of the refugee populations, share best practices, spot trends in refugee populations, build collaborations between agencies, help create good communication among service providers, get informed about upcoming community events, and discuss refugee program service needs and possible solutions to meeting those needs.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: David Draper at (407)317-7335 or Rosa Chaves at (407)317-7336.

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: David Draper at (407)317-7335 or Rosa Chaves at (407)317-7336. 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: David Draper at (407)317-7335 or Rosa Chaves at (407)317-7336.

#### DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

##### Division of Workforce Services

The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 26, 2021, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, Call (850)988-5144, and enter phone conference ID: 756 701 156#.

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Disposition of cases pending before the Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission that are ready for final review and the Chairman's report. No public testimony will be taken.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: The Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at [RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com](mailto:RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com).

**SPECIAL COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS:** As the Governor of the State of Florida and Leon County have declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Commission must limit the manner in which the public may participate; accordingly, no member of the public may attend in person. Any interested person who would like to attend telephonically should call (850)988-5144 and enter phone conference ID: 756 701 156#.

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 24 hours before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission at (850)487-2685 or RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

**EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF MEETING:** If a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the meeting, Commission staff will attempt to give timely notice. Notice of cancellation will be provided on the Commission’s website (www.raac.myflorida.com). 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: Reemployment Assistance Appeals Commission, 1211 Governors Square Boulevard, Suite 300, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850)487-2685, RAAC.Inquiries@deo.myflorida.com.

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY**

**Division of Workforce Services**

The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** May 24, 2021, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon  
**PLACE:** Conference Call Information: 1(850)988-5144, Access Code: 561-088-282. Use this link to join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone: [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_NzI2YTY5NjctZWU0MS00YzNmLWFmNmYtMWRINjg4NmMyNmNj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22931da019-f64e-4908-b0f6-92f46f78c512%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22d325cc79-1f7f-4947-814f-952ccf50848d%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NzI2YTY5NjctZWU0MS00YzNmLWFmNmYtMWRINjg4NmMyNmNj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22931da019-f64e-4908-b0f6-92f46f78c512%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22d325cc79-1f7f-4947-814f-952ccf50848d%22%7d) \*Note: One may need to create an account or login.

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** The Florida Talent Development Council Planning Subcommittee. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Nicole Duque, (850)717-8980.

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: Nicole Duque, (850)717-8980. 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: Nicole Duque, (850)717-8980.

**FLORIDA LIFE & HEALTH INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOCIATION**

The Florida Life & Health Insurance Guaranty Association announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** May 25, 2021, 11:00 a.m. ET

**PLACE:** Teleconference

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** General matters of the Association

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Michelle Robleto, (850)523-1870.

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: Michelle Robleto, (850)523-1870. 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).

**CARPE DIEM COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS, INC.**

The Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency (Blueprint) announces a hearing to which all persons are invited.

**DATE AND TIME:** Wednesday, May 26, 2021, 5:30 p.m. ET

**PLACE:** In-person: Roberts Elementary School, Cafeteria, 5777 Pimlico Drive, Tallahassee, Florida. Online: via Zoom Link provided on the project website: [www.NEGateway.com](http://www.NEGateway.com)

**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency will hold an in-person and virtual (online) public hearing to present information and gather feedback concerning the NE Gateway: Welaunee Boulevard Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study, Wednesday, May 26. This hearing is being held both in-person and virtually to provide interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the project.

The hearing will begin with an informal open house at 5:30 p.m., followed by a formal presentation and comment period at 6:00 p.m.

**In-Person:** Those wishing to attend the public hearing in-person may do so at Roberts Elementary School, Cafeteria, 5777 Pimlico Drive, Tallahassee, Florida. Note: A face mask will be required to enter the facility.

**Virtual via Zoom Link: (Online):** Those wishing to attend the public hearing virtually may do so via Zoom Link provided on the project website: [www.NEGateway.com](http://www.NEGateway.com). Access via computer, tablet, smartphone.

**Comments During Hearing Options:** In-person: Citizens desiring to speak must fill out a Speaker Card. Virtual

Comments via Zoom: To provide comments live via Zoom during the public hearing, you must register by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 25 at NEGateway.com. Once registered, a link will be provided to you. Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes; please address all items of interest within your three (3) minutes.

Draft study documents and other information depicting the proposed improvement will be available for public review at the hearing, below locations, and online on the project website (NEGateway.com).

Draft study documents are available for public review from Tuesday, May 11 until Monday, June 7 at the following locations: Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency Office, 315 S. Calhoun St., Suite 450, Tallahassee, Florida: Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.; Northeast Branch Library, 5513 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee, Florida: Tuesday, 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Thursday, 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Friday, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.; Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

The proposed corridor would extend approximately six (6) miles from its existing termini, east of Fleischmann Road, over Interstate 10 (I-10) to connect at the existing intersection of Centerville Road, Bradfordville Road, and Roberts Road, and includes an extension of Shamrock Street South eastward from Centerville Road to connect at an intersection with Welaunee Boulevard. There will also be a connection to the area schools, Roberts Elementary School and Montford Middle School, and a future connection to the new Northeast Park, slated to be built in the vicinity. Though the PD&E is not evaluating the greenway and associated trailheads, the overall project includes a new Welaunee Greenway that would connect with the Miccosukee Canopy Road Greenway.

Those wishing to submit written comments/questions may do so via email to Comments@Blueprintia.org or by U.S. Mail to Daniel Scheer, P.E., Project Manager, Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency, 315 S. Calhoun Street, Suite 450, Tallahassee, Florida 32301. All statements postmarked on or before Monday, June 7, 2021 will become a part of the official record.

Public participation is held without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Daniel Scheer, P.E., Project Manager, at (850)219-1060, or via email at Daniel.Scheer@Blueprintia.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 7 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting: Daniel Scheer, P.E., Project Manager, at (850)219-1060, or via email at Daniel.Scheer@Blueprintia.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).

For more information, you may contact: Daniel Scheer, P.E., Project Manager, at (850)219-1060, or via email at Daniel.Scheer@Blueprintia.org.

INFINITE SOURCE COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, LLC  
The Florida Department of Transportation, District Four announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.  
DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 27, 2021, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., presentation at 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: The Virtual Public Meeting will take place on Wednesday, April 14, 2021, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., presentation at 6:00 p.m. To attend from your computer, tablet or smartphone please register using the link below:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3347057843455079951>. Participants can also use their phone by dialing in to (951)384-3421, Access code: 164-759-517

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Four will hold a Virtual Public Meeting for the State Road (SR) A1A Resurfacing, Restoration, and Rehabilitation (RRR) Project from South of Jasmine Lane to North of SR 60/Beachland Boulevard (443996-1-52-01) and the intersection improvements at various locations along SR A1A and SR 5 (440822-1-52-01) within the City of Vero Beach, in Indian River County.

The Virtual Public Meeting will consist of a formal presentation followed by an open discussion. Staff will be available to answer questions and provide assistance. Questions will be responded to as time permits, in the order received. If your question is not responded to during the event, a response will be provided in writing following the virtual meeting. Project information is posted at: [https://www.d4fdot.com/bcfdot/future\\_projects\\_index.asp](https://www.d4fdot.com/bcfdot/future_projects_index.asp)

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: FDOT Project Manager, Mr. Humberto Arrieta, P.E. at (954)777-4152 or via email at [humberto.arrieta@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:humberto.arrieta@dot.state.fl.us).

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**END HUMAN TRAFFICKING, INC.**

The Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking (End Human Trafficking, Inc.) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: May 25, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Virtual

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: Fundraising efforts.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Erin Collins, Executive Director, [Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com](mailto:Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com).

**END HUMAN TRAFFICKING, INC.**

The Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking (End Human Trafficking, Inc.) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: June 15, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Virtual

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Erin Collins, Executive Director, [Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com](mailto:Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com).

**END HUMAN TRAFFICKING, INC.**

The Florida Alliance to End Human Trafficking (End Human Trafficking, Inc.) announces a public meeting to which all persons are invited.

DATE AND TIME: August 16, 2021, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Virtual

GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED: General business.

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting: Erin Collins, Executive Director, [Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com](mailto:Erin@FloridaAllianceEndHT.com).

February 24, 2020. The following is a summary of the agency's disposition of the petition: your Petition fails to have a signature. Because it is missing the requirements, the Division will close your Petition.

A copy of the Order Disposing of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: [agc.filing@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:agc.filing@myfloridalicense.com).

Please refer all comments to: James Richardson, [james.richardson@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:james.richardson@myfloridalicense.com).

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, State of Florida has received the petition for declaratory statement from The Slick OBX Holdings, LLC. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of subsections 721.05(39) and 721.52(4) as it applies to the petitioner.

1. Whether the product offered by petitioner is a "timeshare plan" as defined in Section 721.05(39), Florida Statutes, or a "multisite timeshare plan" as defined in subsection 721.52(4), Florida Statutes, and thereby falls under the jurisdiction of Chapter 721, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: The Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1030, (850)488-1631, [lscmhpublicrecords@myfloridalicense.com](mailto:lscmhpublicrecords@myfloridalicense.com).

Please refer all comments to: James Richardson, Chief Attorney, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202. Responses, motions to intervene, or requests for an agency hearing, §120.57(2), Fla. Stat., must be filed within 21 days of this notice.

**Section VII**

**Notice of Petitions and Dispositions  
Regarding Declaratory Statements**

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares and Mobile Homes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Department of Business and Professional Regulation has issued an order disposing of the petition for declaratory statement filed by William Hall on

**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**

**DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE**

"RFP 10706 - Public Meetings"

RFP 10706 – The Department is seeking proposals to provide Statewide Clinical Laboratory Testing Services. All public meetings for this RFP are advertised on the Vendor Bid System at:

[https://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs\\_www.ad\\_r2.view\\_ad?advertisement\\_key\\_num=158442](https://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.ad_r2.view_ad?advertisement_key_num=158442)

**DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES**  
 Division of Building Construction  
 Continuing Contracts for CM-Northeast Region  
**STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES**  
**DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT**

**PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR CONTINUING CONTRACTS NORTHEAST FLORIDA REGION**

May 18, 2021

RFQ NUMBER: RFQ-REDM20/21-12

PROJECT NUMBER: N/A

PROJECT NAME: Continuing Contracts for Construction Management Services – Northeast Florida

LOCATION: Northeast Florida Region

For details please visit the Department’s website: [http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs\\_www.main\\_menu](http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_www.main_menu) and click on “Search Advertisements – Division of Real Estate Development and Management” Look for “Opportunities for Design and Construction Firms” and click on link.

The award will be made in accordance with Section 255.29, Florida Statutes, and the procedures and criteria of the Departments Division of Real Estate Development and Management.

**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., Tuesday, May 11, 2021 and 3:00 p.m., Monday, May 17, 2021.

<b>Rule No.</b>	<b>File Date</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
5JER21-3	5/11/2021	5/11/2021
33-208.002	5/14/2021	6/3/2021
33-601.800	5/12/2021	6/1/2021
33-602.211	5/12/2021	6/1/2021
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40D-8.624	5/12/2021	6/1/2021
53ER21-29	5/13/2021	5/13/2021
53ER21-30	5/13/2021	5/13/2021
53ER21-31	5/13/2021	5/13/2021
53ER31-32	5/13/2021	5/13/2021
53ER21-33	5/13/2021	5/17/2021

61H1-27.001	5/13/2021	6/2/2021
61H1-29.003	5/13/2021	6/2/2021
64B18-17.001	5/12/2021	6/1/2021
64JER21-7	5/17/2021	5/17/2021
69I-25.003	5/14/2021	6/3/2021
69I-69.002	5/14/2021	6/3/2021
<b>LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES</b>		
<b>Rule No.</b>	<b>File Date</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****
60P-1.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.002	11/5/2019	**/**/****
60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****
62-41.300	5/10/2021	**/**/****
62-41.301	5/10/2021	**/**/****
62-41.302	5/10/2021	**/**/****
62-41.303	5/10/2021	**/**/****
62-41.304	5/10/2021	**/**/****
62-41.305	5/10/2021	**/**/****
64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****

**DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES**

Division of Motor Vehicles

Establishment of Sky Powersports North Orlando LLC, dba Sky Powersports Sanford, line-make SLNG

Notice of Publication for a New Point

Franchise Motor Vehicle Dealer in a County of More than 300,000 Population

Pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Polaris Sales And Service, Inc., intends to allow the establishment of Sky Powersports North Orlando LLC, dba Sky Powersports Sanford as a dealership for the sale of motorcycles manufactured by Slingshot By Polaris Industries, Inc., (line-make SLNG) at 3710 West 1st Street, Sanford, (Seminole County), Florida 32771, on or after June 17, 2021.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of Sky Powersports North Orlando LLC dba Sky Powersports Sanford are dealer operator(s): Nathan Stickney, 709 Elk Horn Fern Lane, Deland, Florida 32720; principal investor(s): Charles Northey, 246 McLean Point, Winter Haven, Florida 33884, Nathan Stickney, 709 Elk Horn Fern Lane, Deland, Florida 32720.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more than 300,000 population, according to the latest population estimates of the University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research.

Certain dealerships of the same line-make may have standing, pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, to file a petition or complaint protesting the application.

Written petitions or complaints must be received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice and must be submitted to: Jaime Williams, Administrator, Dealer License Section, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Room A-312 MS-65, Neil Kirkman Building, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

A copy of such petition or complaint must also be sent by US Mail to: Jordan Benning, Polaris Sales and Service, Inc., 2100 Highway 55, Medina, Minnesota 55340-9800.

If no petitions or complaints are received within 30 days of the date of publication, a final order will be issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles approving the establishment of the dealership, subject to the applicant's compliance with the provisions of Chapter 320, Florida Statutes.

**DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES**

Division of Motor Vehicles

Establishment of TruckMax, Inc., dba TruckMax, TruckMax Isuzu, and TruckMax Jerr-Dan, line-make JRDN

Notice of Publication for a New Point

Franchise Motor Vehicle Dealer in a County of More than 300,000 Population

Pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Jerr-Dan LLC, intends to allow the establishment of TruckMax, Inc., dba TruckMax, TruckMax Isuzu, and TruckMax Jerr-Dan as a dealership for the sale of trucks manufactured by Jerr-dan LLC (line-make JRDN) at 11315 Tamiami Trail East, Naples, (Collier County), Florida 34113, on or after June 17, 2021.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of TruckMax, Inc., dba TruckMax, TruckMax Isuzu, and TruckMax Jerr-Dan are dealer operator(s): Robert Dollar, 6000 Northwest 77th Court, Miami, Florida 33166, Joseph A. Demaria, 11315 Tamiami Trail East, Naples, Florida

34113; principal investor(s): Robert Dollar, 6000 Northwest 77th Court, Miami, Florida 33166, Joseph A. Demaria, 11315 Tamiami Trail East, Naples, Florida 34113.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more than 300,000 population, according to the latest population estimates of the University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research.

Certain dealerships of the same line-make may have standing, pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, to file a petition or complaint protesting the application.

Written petitions or complaints must be received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice and must be submitted to: Jaime Williams, Administrator, Dealer License Section, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Room A-312 MS-65, Neil Kirkman Building, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

A copy of such petition or complaint must also be sent by US Mail to: Bob Nelson, Jerr-Dan LLC, 13224 Fountain Head Plaza, Hagerstown, Maryland 21742.

If no petitions or complaints are received within 30 days of the date of publication, a final order will be issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles approving the establishment of the dealership, subject to the applicant's compliance with the provisions of Chapter 320, Florida Statutes.

**DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES**

Division of Motor Vehicles

Establishment of Karma of Palm Beach Inc., dba Karma Palm Beach, line-make MOKE

Notice of Publication for a New Point

Franchise Motor Vehicle Dealer in a County of More than 300,000 Population

Pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Cruise Car, Inc., intends to allow the establishment of Karma of Palm Beach Inc., dba Karma Palm Beach as a dealership for the sale of low-speed vehicles manufactured by Cruise Car, Inc., (line-make MOKE) at 1001 Clint Moore Road Suite 103, Boca Raton, (Palm Beach County), Florida 33487, on or after June 17, 2021.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of Karma of Palm Beach Inc are dealer operator(s): Nidia Leiva, 1001 Clint Moore Road Suite 103, Boca Raton, Florida 33487; principal investor(s): Scott Zankl, 16937 Pierre Circle, Boca Raton, Florida 33446, Kristen Zankl, 16937 Pierre Circle, Boca Raton, Florida 33446.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more than 300,000 population, according to the

latest population estimates of the University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research.

Certain dealerships of the same line-make may have standing, pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, to file a petition or complaint protesting the application.

Written petitions or complaints must be received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice and must be submitted to: Jaime Williams, Administrator, Dealer License Section, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Room A-312 MS-65, Neil Kirkman Building, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

A copy of such petition or complaint must also be sent by US Mail to: Adam Sulimirski, Cruise Car, Inc., 1227 Hardin Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34243.

If no petitions or complaints are received within 30 days of the date of publication, a final order will be issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles approving the establishment of the dealership, subject to the applicant's compliance with the provisions of Chapter 320, Florida Statutes.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

Division of Rehabilitation and Liquidation

**NOTICE TO ALL POLICYHOLDERS, CREDITORS, AND CLAIMANTS HAVING BUSINESS WITH AMERICAN CAPITAL ASSURANCE CORP.**

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,**

**IN AND FOR LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**CASE NO.: 2021 CA 00641**

In Re: The Receivership of AMERICAN CAPITAL ASSURANCE CORP., a Florida corporation authorized to transact homeowners and commercial multiple peril lines of business.

You are hereby notified that by order of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit, in and for Leon County, Florida, entered on the 14th day of April 2021, the Department of Financial Services of the State of Florida was appointed as Receiver of AMERICAN CAPITAL ASSURANCE CORP. and was ordered to liquidate the assets of the company.

Policyholders, claimants, creditors, and other persons having claims against the assets of AMERICAN CAPITAL ASSURANCE CORP. shall present such claims to the Department on or before Thursday, October 14, 2021, or such claims may be considered late-filed.

Requests for forms for the presentation of such claims concerning this Receivership should be addressed to: The Florida Department of Financial Services, Division of Rehabilitation and Liquidation, Receiver of American Capital Assurance Corp., 325 John Knox Road, The Atrium, Suite 101 Tallahassee, Florida 32303. Additional information may be found at: [www.myfloridacfo.com/division/receiver](http://www.myfloridacfo.com/division/receiver).

**Section XIII**  
**Index to Rules Filed During Preceding Week**

INDEX TO RULES FILED BETWEEN  
MAY 10, 2021 AND MAY 14, 2021

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**Division of Cultural Affairs**

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**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

**Division of Consumer Services**

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**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

33-208.002	5/14/21	6/3/21	47/09	47/65
33-601.800	5/12/21	6/1/21	47/60	
33-602.211	5/12/21	6/1/21	47/60	
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**WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

**Southwest Florida Water Management District**

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE LOTTERY**

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53ER21-32	5/13/21	5/13/21	47/94	
53ER21-33	5/13/21	5/17/21	47/94	

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

**Board of Accountancy**

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

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62-41.302	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	47/26 47/59
62-41.303	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	
62-41.304	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	47/26
62-41.305	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Board of Podiatric Medicine**

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**FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

**Marine Fisheries**

68B-31.016	5/11/21	5/31/21	47/71	
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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**Division of Accounting and Auditing**

69I-25.003	5/14/21	6/3/21	47/48	
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**LIST OF RULES AWAITING LEGISLATIVE REVIEW/ APPROVAL PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 120.541(3), 373.139(7) AND/OR 373.1391(6), FLORIDA STATUTES**

**DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

**E911 Board**

60FF1-5.009	7/21/2016	**/**/****	42/105	
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**Division of State Employees' Insurance**

60P-1.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****	45/191	
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60P-2.003	11/5/2019	**/**/****	45/191	

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**



62-41.300	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	47/26 47/59
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62-41.303	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	
62-41.304	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	47/26
62-41.305	5/10/21	**/**/****	46/226	

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Board of Medicine**

64B8-10.003	12/9/2015	**/**/****	39/95	41/49
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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.

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