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To: Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services waiver providers, individuals and

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From: Holly Wimsatt, Director, Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services

Re: Provider emergency plan policy

Date: July 18, 2022

The Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services must ensure that service providers approved under Indiana's Home-and Community-Based Services waivers or a community residential facility (e.g. supervised group living) have policies and procedures to address all types of emergency situations.

The Provider Emergency Plan policy (BDDS 2022-08-R-001) outlines the requirements for providers who approved for Supervised Group Living, Residential Habilitation-Hourly, Residential Habilitation-Daily, Structured Family Caregiving, and Participant Assistance and Care.

The **policy will become effective on Aug. 19, 2022.** The policy is available on the <u>DDRS Policies</u> <u>webpage</u>:

BDDS Policy: Provider Emergency Plans (BDDS 2022-08-R-001)

For questions related to this announcement, please contact BDDS.Help@fssa.in.gov.

