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June Monthly Actions: Agency Took Licensure Action against Six Providers, 13 Additional Providers Suspended or Terminated from the Medicaid Program

Tallahassee, Fla. – The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) issued final orders to five providers for failure to meet licensure requirements during the month of June. There was one final order to revoke an existing license, three final orders to deny license renewals, and one final order for a license surrender. Some of these providers were enrolled in the Medicaid program, and the Agency has terminated, or is in the process of terminating, their participation in the program.

The Agency also issued an Emergency Suspension Order to Rosita Wing d/b/a Tyrone Manor, an assisted living facility in Pinellas County.

In addition, eight providers were issued final orders terminating them from participation in the Medicaid program and have been reported to the federal government for placement on the federal exclusion list, prohibiting them from participating in Medicaid and Medicare nationwide. The Agency also suspended five providers from participation in the Medicaid program, prohibiting their payment for claims to the Medicaid program for furnishing, supervising a person who is furnishing, or causing a person to furnish goods or services.

Agency Medicaid terminations and suspensions typically result from failure to return funds due to the Agency within required timeframes; a charge, indictment, or guilty plea to a health care related crime; suspension, termination, or exclusion from Medicare or Medicaid in another state; or a license denial, revocation, suspension or termination by the licensing agency.

Name	County	Provider Type	Licensure Action
Amer Cu Home Care Inc	Miami-	Home Health Agency	Denied Renewal
	Dade		
Cornerstone Visiting Angels	Escambia	Homemaker And	Revocation
Services LLC		Companion Services	
Dr Phillips Residential Living	Orange	Assisted Living Facility	Denied Renewal
Inc			
Hope Assisted Living Facility	Seminole	Assisted Living Facility	License Surrender
Magnolia Retirement Home	Highlands	Assisted Living Facility	Denied Renewal
Inc			
Rosita Wing d/b/a Tyrone	Pinellas	Assisted Living Facility	Emergency Suspension
Manor			Order

The chart below displays the Agency's June licensure actions:

The chart below displays the Agency's June Medicaid final order actions:



Name	County	Provider Type	Medicaid Action
ACR Community Services	Miami-Dade	Case Management	Termination
LLC		Agency	
Alexander C Smith	Hillsborough	Specialized Therapeutic Services	Suspension
Angels Reach Foundation Inc	Miami-Dade	Behavior Analysis	Suspension
Assesment Behavioral and Counseling Services	Hillsborough	Specialized Therapeutic Services	Suspension
Chad H Poage	Escambia	Physician (D.O.)	Suspension
Fairview Manor Inc	Orange	Assistive Care Services	Termination
Gulf Coast Surgery Center	Sarasota	Ambulatory Surgery	Termination
Inc		Center	
Home Sweet Home of the Treasure Coast	St. Lucie	Assistive Care Services	Termination
Lighthouse AFCH	Washington	Assistive Care Services	Suspension
Misleidy Ibarra	Miami-Dade	Home Health Agency	Termination
Sweet Home Health Providers Inc	St. Lucie	Home & Community- Based Services Waiver	Termination
Tina M Barbuto	Broward	Specialized Therapeutic Services	Termination
Zenith Psychological Services Inc	Palm Beach	Behavior Analysis	Termination

Further information about the actions and final orders can be found on the public records search page at <u>http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm_web/(S(jtrnl5fukcfknvhds5vtad1s))/default.aspx</u>. Emergency orders, including moratoriums on admissions and suspensions, can also be found on the public records search page by searching the name of the facility.

The Agency encourages anyone who may have a concern or observes a problem in any health care facility or with any provider regulated by the Agency, to file a complaint by calling our consumer complaint line at 1-888-419-3456 or by reporting online at http://ahca.myflorida.com/Contact/call_center.shtml.

Tips about suspected fraud can be reported by calling the Attorney General's Fraud Hotline at 1-866-966-7226 or the Agency's Consumer Call Center at 1-888-419-3456. Anyone can report fraud online by visiting the Agency's website at <u>https://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/mpi-complaintform/</u>.

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