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## PROVIDER BULLETIN

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TO: Medicaid HCBS DD Contracted Service Providers

FROM: Courtney Miller, Director Division of Developmental Disabilities *CM*

BY: Katherine Becker, Policy Administrator II

RE: Alternative Compliance to 404 NAC for Centers for the Developmentally Disabled.

This provider bulletin is being issued to terminate Alternative Compliance requirements for providers of Centers for the Developmentally Disabled (CDD).

CDD are classified as residential settings in which more than 3 individuals with developmental disabilities are living together. These settings are allowable under the currently approved Medicaid Home and Community Based Services Waivers for persons with developmental disabilities.

Prior to the issuance of this bulletin, Alternative Compliance to 404 NAC 5 was required for all CDD. The Division of Developmental Disabilities is no longer requiring Alternative Compliance for CDD be requested by providers.

All providers operating homes with 4 or more persons, must still adhere to all CDD requirements outlined in 175 NAC 3.

If you have any questions about this provider bulletin, please contact Katie Weidner, Provider Relations Program Manager at [Katie.Weidner@nebraska.gov](mailto:Katie.Weidner@nebraska.gov) or 402-471-8716.