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RE: LDD 1442 Resolve, Regarding Personal Care Agency Licensing Rules.

132nd Maine Legislature – First Special Session- 4/17/2025 @ 1PM

4/17/2025

To the 132nd Legislative committee,

RE: Item 1: On behalf of Anytime Services for Seniors, Inc., a Personal Care Agency that has been servicing our Elderly folks and disabled adults for 27 years. Our Maine office is in a business zone, however since COVID we often work remotely. Our satellite office located in Hope Maine is running out of a private home with an office space allocated primary for Consumer records, telephone communication etc. and operates very well following all mandated licensing regulations. 100% of our initial Consumer meetings, orientations, PSS (direct care worker) job shadows, assessments and POC reviews take place in the consumer's private home as they are often limited due to health reasons and lack of transportation. This works very well, and I agree to remove the requirement of Personal Care Agencies to have a physical site in a business zone.

RE: Item 6: We along with using the mandated Maine Background check center provide newly hired noncertified Personal support specialists (direct care workers) with on-the-job training with a certified PSS (direct care worker) familiar with the consumers plan of care. I support continuing with supervision within the first 30 days and every 90 days for the first year of employment.

I support Items 2,4 & 5, 3,7,8, & 9 as written. Continuity of Consumer care is upmost important while maintaining monetary limits within PCA licensing requirements.

Thank you for your consideration,

Katherine Carroll

Administrator/ RHCS

Katherine Carroll
Anytime services for Seniors, Inc
LD 1442

Good afternoon,

I am unable to attend the legislative hearing this afternoon.

Please accept my letter accepting LD 1442 Resolve for Maine Association of Personal Care Agencies.

Thank you for your consideration,
Katherine Carroll
Anytime Services for Seniors, Inc
Hollis Ctr, Maine