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To: All Developmental Disabilities Waiver Providers and Interested Parties

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Subject: Page Replacements for DD Waiver Service Standards Effective Date: 12-15-2023

The Developmental Disabilities Supports Division (DDSD) is issuing page replacements for the DD Waiver Service Standards. The effective date of the page replacements is 12-15-2023.

The Page Replacements include the following corrections noted in red:
1) Introduction Section I.5 #3 (page 11):
   • Assessment of and identification of potential ANE risk factors of everyone served.
2) Chapter 1 Section 1.2 (page 15):
   • This packet includes: 1. Home and Community-Based Waivers and ICF/IID Application Form, changed to Community)
3) Chapter 12 Section 12.2 (page 156):
   • In person, face-to-face visits are required for the following: 1) All individuals must have a minimum of one monthly face to face visit by the OT, PT, SLP, and BSC provider in the residence of the person, unless the person is on fading/monitoring status.
4) Chapter 17 Section 17.6 (page 267):
   • BSC Quarterly Meeting offered by BBS. Attendance required 2x per year.

DD Waiver Service Standards with page replacements can be found at the following webpage: Services and Supports (nmhealth.org)

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