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Developmental Disabilities Administration
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To: Children's Foster Home Providers
FROM: Kim Calkins, Children's Residential Program Manager

SUBJECT: Children's Residential Services' Legislative Appropriated Rate Increase

The 2022-24 biennial budget authorizes a 23% increase beginning July 1, 2022. The rate increase will be authorized with an effective date of July 1, 2022, in the form of a rate add-on equal to 23% of the Total Specialized Rate for the client you are supporting in the Out-Of-Home Services program. The 23% rate increase is intended to be applied to improve wages for staff who provide support services to clients.

We recognize the significance of the work you do each day. We hope this increase in rate, will aid in providing long-term and stable supports to children and their families. We appreciate your continued partnership with the Developmental Disabilities Administration.

Thank you,

Kim Calkins
Children's Residential Program Manager

cc: OHS Resource Managers; OHS Coordinators; Office of Rates Management