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Developmental Disabilities Administration
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To: Children's Group Care Facilities 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 2.5% increase beginning Jan. 1, 2024. DDA Group Care Facilities supporting medically complex children will receive a rate increase based upon DDA contract 1721-XP under Special Terms and Conditions outlined in Exhibit A. These additional funds will be added into your contract with an effective date of Jan. 1, 2024.

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 DSHS' Developmental Disabilities Administration.

Thank you,

Kim Calkins
Children's Residential Program Manager

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