

# Nursing Facility Advisory Council

February 16, 2022

# Agenda

- Staffing Updates
- Local Minimum Wage Payment Application (Feb. 25)
- P4P Application (Feb. 28)
- SBS Application (March 31)
- Appraisals
- Demonstration of Need
- Personal Needs Account Rules
- Public Health Emergency Expiration
- Public Comment

# Staffing Updates

- Richard Clark: Supportive Living Benefits Supervisor
- Nancy Schwalm: HBU Specialist
- Jessica Martinez: Financial Compliance Specialist
- Vacant: LTC Facility Policy Specialist
- Vacant: LTC Eligibility Policy (Formally Jennifer VanCleave)

# Local Min Wage Supplemental

HB 19-1210- Currently applies to Denver County and adjacent facilities

- Application Due February 25, 2022
- <https://hcpf.colorado.gov/nursing-facility-minimum-wage-supplemental-payment>
- Email: [HCPF\\_SNF\\_MinWagePayment@state.co.us](mailto:HCPF_SNF_MinWagePayment@state.co.us) or COLTCO upload

# Pay for Performance

Application Due Feb. 28th 2022

- 39 started as of Feb. 14th
- Application changes/Portal User webinar recording  
<https://hcpf.colorado.gov/nursing-facilities>
- 2023 Application nearing finalization

# Supplemental Behavioral Services Add-On

Application located at

<https://hcpf.colorado.gov/nursing-facilities>

- Due March 31, 2022 to [Richard.Clark@state.co.us](mailto:Richard.Clark@state.co.us)
- COVID accommodations were extended

# Appraisals

- Work started February 7, must be complete by April 30
- Email notifications sent to NHA's
- Appeal process available on previous NFAC presentation

# Demonstration of Need Update

- Initial Medical Services Board- March 13
- Last call for comments



# Personal Needs Rule Revision

- Will be initiated rule maintenance in Spring
  - Gift Cards
  - Electronic sign-offs
  - PETI maintenance
  - Audit vs. Eligibility Issue
- Similar process to Demonstration of Need rule review
- Identify clarification needs

# PHE End -> PNA accounts

- PHE extended again on Jan 16 (to April 16)
  - Must end on last day of quarter (June 30)
- PNA Accounts over resource limit
  - Stimulus payments are over 12 months old and termination hold could expire
  - Reports of PNA balance issues
    - Correct by June 30
    - Gift Card balances count against eligibility
    - Gifts could cause period of ineligibility

# Open Comment