



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
Aging and Long-Term Support Administration
PO Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5600

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AL TSA: CCRSS #2015-004
AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 388-101 WAC

Dear Certified Community Residential Services Providers and Interested Parties:

In December 2014, the department began the rulemaking process in order to repeal the Resident Client Protection Program (RCPP) reference sections from Chapter 388-101 WAC. The RCPP program is now a part of the Adult Protective Services (APS) program with Home and Community Services (HCS).

Recently, the department filed the CR-102, a more formal phase of the rule making process. The CR-102, including proposed rule language, is available on the ALTSA website: <https://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/residential-care-services/information-certified-community-residential-setting-providers>, under the heading "CRS Rule Filings".

You may either submit comments in person at the public hearing listed below or in writing to the Department's Rules and Policies Assistance Unit (RPAU).

The formal hearing for the proposed rules is scheduled:

Date: June 9, 2015 Time: 10:00 a.m.

*Location: Office Building 2 (DSHS Headquarters) Lookout Room
1115 Washington
Olympia, WA 98504*

You must submit written comments by 5:00 p.m. on date, to the following address or by email to Jennisha Johnson at DSHSRPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov
*DSHS Rules Coordinator /RPAU
PO Box 45850
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Directions to Office Building 2 can be found: <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions.html>. Public parking is available at 11th and Jefferson streets.

If you have any questions about the proposed rules, please contact Christi Pederson, Policy Unit Manager at (360) 725-2327 or e-mail at pedercl@dshs.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



Carl I. Walters II., Director
Residential Care Services

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