Department of Human Services

Division of Family Development

Advance Notice

Clarifying the Personal Needs Allowance and Updating the Method of Notice

To Whom It May Concern:

The New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Family Development intends to propose amendments to the Personal Needs Allowance (PNA) rules at N.J.A.C. 10:123-3.4. The amendments will have two purposes. First, the proposed amendments will clarify that residents of boarding homes and residents of residential health care facilities receive different PNA amounts. Second, the proposed amendments change the method by which the notice of changes to the PNA amounts is provided. Such changes will now be posted to the New Jersey Department of Human Services’ website.

Interested parties may submit informal comments on this advance notice within thirty (30) days of its publication on the Department of Human Services’ website. Please submit your informal comments to:

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You will also have a 60-day opportunity to submit formal comments on any actual proposed amendments subsequent to the publication of such proposal in the [New Jersey Register](https://advance.lexis.com/container?config=00JABkMGM5YTkyOS1lZWRkLTRmMTktOTAxMS03YzU0MTU1ZWY0OWYKAFBvZENhdGFsb2deD7LQBBLcCbuY7q4FNupa&crid=e082021f-10f1-41da-955f-8248b8d9d888&prid=679cabd1-f44d-402c-8b63-dd89586e264e). Such proposal will also be published on the Department of Human Services’ website.