

Administrative Rule Analysis



LICENSING ADULT FOSTER CARE FACILITIES

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Department: Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Agency: Bureau of Community and Health Systems
Enabling Statute: Adult Foster Care Facility Licensing Act, 1979 PA 218, MCL 400.710 and 400.718 et seq.

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BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Rule Set 2023-071 LR would consolidate rules from six rescinded rule sets pertaining to adult foster care facilities. The six rule sets being rescinded are 2023-065 LR (Family Homes), 2023-066 LR (Congregate Facilities), 2023-067 LR (Large Group Homes), 2023-068 LR (Small Group Homes), 2023-069 LR (Fire Safety Rules for Family and Small Group Homes), and 2023-070 LR (Certification of Specialized Programs). The consolidated rules would standardize most requirements across facility types and provide some specific requirements based on the level of care, including for fire safety and special certification.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2023-071 LR would have minimal to no fiscal impact on the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs. The department indicated that the consolidated rules could result in labor cost savings resulting from fewer rules and less staff time maintaining documentation.

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