DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES NOTICE OF GENERAL PUBLIC INTEREST RELEASE DATE: January 29, 2021

RENEWAL OF 1915(c) HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES (HCBS) SELF-DETERMINATION PROGRAM WAIVER FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

https://www.dds.ca.gov/initiatives/hcbs/

The Department of Developmental Services (DDS) is seeking renewal for the 1915(c) HCBS Self-Determination Program Waiver from the Federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). DDS intends to renew the Waiver for a five-year period from July 2021 to June 2026.

This notice is to inform interested parties of the plan to submit the renewal application by March 1, 2021 and allow the opportunity for feedback prior to submission. A copy of the waiver application can be found at: <u>https://www.dds.ca.gov/initiatives/hcbs/</u>

Public comments will be considered through February 28, 2021. Questions or comments concerning this application can be e-mailed to <u>sdp@dds.ca.gov</u> or in writing to:

Department of Developmental Services Community Services Division 1600 Ninth Street, M/S 3-8 Sacramento, CA 95814 ATTN: Federal Programs Operations Section

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