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BULLETIN

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To: All Supports and Comprehensive Waiver Providers

From: Elizabeth Forslund, Home and Community-Based Services Section Administrator

Subject: CPR/First Aid Certification Review

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Effective September 1, 2025, the HCBS Section will no longer review CPR/First Aid certifications of DD providers that are medical professionals licensed by the State of Wyoming. This change will go into effect due to the duplicative nature of this HCBS requirement with the professional standards outlined in licensure requirements. The following service types are impacted by this change:

- Dietician
- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Skilled Nursing
- Speech, Language, and Hearing

The HCBS Section will continue to review the required CPR/First Aid certifications of providers that are not licensed medical professionals per Wyoming Medicaid Rule Chapter 45, Section 5(a)(iii).

If you have questions regarding this bulletin, please contact the assigned <u>HCBS Credentialing Specialist</u> for your county.

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