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April Monthly Actions: Agency Took Licensure Action against five Providers, five Additional Providers Terminated from the Medicaid Program

Tallahassee, Fla. – The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) issued final orders to three providers for failure to meet licensure requirements in April.

There were two final orders to revoke an existing license and one to deny a change of ownership (CHOW). Some of these providers were enrolled in the Medicaid program and the Agency has terminated or is in the process of terminating their participation in the program.

The Agency also issued an Immediate Moratorium on Admissions to Bhoodram Parsaram d/b/a B P Assisted Living Facility II, an assisted living facility in Palm Beach County and an Immediate Moratorium on Admissions to Larkin Community Hospital II, LLC dba Floridian Gardens ALF, and assisted living facility in Miami-Dade County.

In addition, five providers were issued final orders terminating them from participation in the Medicaid program and have been reported to the federal government for placement on the federal exclusion list, which prohibits them from participating in Medicaid and Medicare nationwide.

Agency Medicaid terminations and suspensions typically result from failure to return funds due to the Agency within required timeframes; a charge, indictment, or guilty plea to a health care related crime; suspension, termination, or exclusion from Medicare or Medicaid in another state; or a license denial, revocation, suspension or termination by the licensing agency.

The chart below displays the Agency’s April licensure actions:

Name	County	Provider Type	Licensure Action
Bhoodram Parsaram d/b/a B P Assisted Living Facility II	Palm Beach	Assisted Living Facility	Immediate Moratorium on Admissions
Larkin Community Hospital II, LLC dba Floridian Gardens ALF	Miami-Dade	Assisted Living Facility	Immediate Moratorium on Admissions
Sweet Care Home Health Agency Inc	Miami-Dade	Home Health Agency	Revocation
TM Tender Care	Flagler	Assisted Living Facility	Denied CHOW
Total Lab Care LLC	Duval	Clinical Laboratory	Revocation



The chart below displays the Agency's April Medicaid final order actions:

Name	County	Provider Type	Medicaid Action
Clinical Rheumatologist	Hillsborough	Physician (D.O.)	Termination
New Direction Institute	Broward	Community Behavioral Health Services	Termination
Caring Partners Home Care Agency LLC	Broward	Home Health Agency	Termination
New Directions Community Mental Health Center	Miami-Dade	Community Behavioral Health Services	Termination
Rehabilitation Center of St Pete	Pinellas	Skilled Nursing Facility	Termination

Further information about the actions and final orders can be found on the public records search page at [http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm_web/\(S\(jtrnl5fukcfknvhds5vtad1s\)\)/default.aspx](http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm_web/(S(jtrnl5fukcfknvhds5vtad1s))/default.aspx). Emergency orders, including moratoriums on admissions and suspensions, can also be found on the public records search page by searching the name of the facility.

The Agency encourages anyone who may have a concern or observes a problem in any health care facility or with any provider regulated by the Agency, to file a complaint by calling our consumer complaint line at 1-888-419-3456 or by reporting online at http://ahca.myflorida.com/Contact/call_center.shtml.

Tips about suspected fraud can be reported by calling the Attorney General's Fraud Hotline at 1-866-966-7226 or the Agency's Consumer Call Center at 1-888-419-3456. Anyone can report fraud online by visiting the Agency's website at https://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/InspectorGeneral/fraud_complaintform.aspx.

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