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**October Monthly Actions: Agency Took Licensure Action against 11 Providers, One Additional Provider Terminated from the Medicaid Program**

**Tallahassee, Fla.**—The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) issued final orders to 11 providers for failure to meet licensure requirements during the month of October. The Agency issued one final order to deny a license renewal application, eight to revoke an existing license and two that resulted in the provider surrendering the license. Some of these providers were enrolled in the Medicaid program; however, the Agency has terminated or is in the process of terminating their participation in the program.

“The Agency remains committed to helping providers better themselves through provider education and training opportunities,” said Secretary Liz Dudek. “While we are here to support them, we will not tolerate providers breaking the law without consequences.”

One additional provider was issued a final order terminating them from participation in the Medicaid program in October. This termination resulted from sanctions imposed for failing to furnish records within the timeframes established by the Agency. This provider also has been reported to the federal government for placement on the federal exclusion list, which prohibits them from participating in Medicaid and Medicare nationwide.

The chart below displays the Agency’s October final order licensure actions:

Name	County	Provider Type	Licensure Action
Amwil Assisted Living, Inc.*	Broward	Assisted Living Facility	License Surrender, Denied Renewal
Bayview Center for Mental Health**	Miami-Dade	Residential Treatment Facility	License Revocation
Bayview Retirement Center	Duval	Assisted Living Facility	Denied Renewal
Edenville Manor	Pinellas	Assisted Living Facility	License Revocation
Gardens Medical Center Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinic	License Revocation
GMS Nursing Association Inc	Miami-Dade	Home Health Agency	License Revocation
Howard House	Palm Beach	Assisted Living Facility	License Revocation
Medical Professional Health Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinic	License Surrender
Starlite Home Health Agency Inc	Miami-Dade	Home Health Agency	License Revocation
Wellness Health Care Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinic	License Revocation

*\*The provider surrendered the license in lieu of revocation and the renewal application was also denied.*

*\*\*Two separate licenses were denied for the same provider.*

The chart below displays the Agency’s October Medicaid final order termination actions:



Name	County	Provider Type
All in One Support Services	Orange	Home and Community Based Services

Additional information about the actions and final orders can be found by querying the Public Records Search page at [http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm\\_web/\(S\(jtrn15fukcfknvhs5vtad1s\)\)/default.aspx](http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm_web/(S(jtrn15fukcfknvhs5vtad1s))/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 consumers, advocates and 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 the Agency's consumer complaint line at 1-888-419-3456 or by reporting online at [http://ahca.myflorida.com/Contact/call\\_center.shtml](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 Web site at [https://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/InspectorGeneral/fraud\\_complaintform.aspx](https://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/InspectorGeneral/fraud_complaintform.aspx).

*The Agency for Health Care Administration is committed to better health care for all Floridians. The Agency administers Florida's Medicaid program, licenses and regulates more than 45,000 health care facilities and 37 health maintenance organizations, and publishes health care data and statistics at [www.FloridaHealthFinder.gov](http://www.FloridaHealthFinder.gov). Additional information about Agency initiatives is available via [Facebook \(AHCAFlorida\)](#), [Twitter \(@AHCA\\_FL\)](#) and [YouTube \(/AHCAFlorida\)](#).*

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