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**May Monthly Actions: Agency Took Licensure Action against 14 Providers, one Additional Provider Terminated from the Medicaid Program**

**Tallahassee, Fla.**—The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) issued final orders to 13 providers for failure to meet licensure requirements during the month of May. The Agency issued four final orders to deny a license renewal application, four to revoke an existing license, four that resulted in the providers surrendering their license, and one change of ownership denial. 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.

In addition to the final order actions, the Agency issued an emergency suspension for The Four Seasons ALF Community, Inc., an assisted living facility in Charlotte County, because survey inspections found issues that caused a serious threat to residents.

One additional provider was issued a final order terminating them from participation in the Medicaid program in May. This termination resulted from sanctions imposed for failing to reimburse Agency 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 May licensure actions:

Name	County	Provider Type	Licensure Action
Amelia's House*	Pinellas	Assisted Living Facility	Denied Renewal
Bayonet Point Oxygen Services of Florida Inc	Pasco	Home Medical Equipment	License Surrender
Broward Center For Mental Health PA	Broward	Health Care Clinics	License Surrender
Excellence Diagnostic Center Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinics	License Revocation
Happiness Care Center II Inc	Miami-Dade	Assisted Living Facility	License Surrender
Health Max Medical Center Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinics	License Revocation
Injury Care Inc	Orange	Health Care Clinics	Denied Renewal
La Caridad Home Health Services Corp	Miami-Dade	Home Health Agency	License Surrender
New Life Health Center Group Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinics	License Revocation
Peace on Earth II ALF Inc**	Broward	Assisted Living Facility	Denied Renewal
Rehab Plus & Medical Center Inc	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinics	License Revocation
Sono Service Corp	Miami-Dade	Health Care Clinics	Denied Renewal
Sourabh Chatterjee***	Out of State	Individual	Denied Change of Ownership



The Four Seasons ALF Community Inc	Charlotte	Assisted Living Facility	Emergency Suspension of License
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\*Refer to case #2013010232 for the final order stipulating the denial of renewal application for Amelia's House.

\*\*The name of the licensed facility was Peace on Earth II Assisted Living Facility.

\*\*\*The final order issued denied the application for the change of ownership of Amelia's House, an assisted living facility.

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

Name	County	Provider Type	Medicaid Action
A Caring Connexion, Inc	Orange	Home & Community-Based Services	Termination

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\(jtrn15fukcfknvhds5vtad1s\)\)/default.aspx](http://apps.ahca.myflorida.com/dm_web/(S(jtrn15fukcfknvhds5vtad1s))/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 34 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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