





Date:

April 1, 2017

To:

Medicaid Skilled Nursing Facilities

From:

Dan McClary, Assistant Deputy Secretary for Medicaid Finance

Re:

Notice of Lease Bond Exemption for FY 2017-2018

Dear Medicaid Nursing Home Provider:

In compliance with Section 400.179 (2)(d), Florida Statutes, the lease bond requirement has been suspended for State Fiscal Year 2017-2018 as a result of a determination that the Lease Bond Trust Fund contains over the \$25 million required level as of March 31, 2017. The next review will be completed by March 31, 2018. At that time, if the funds in the Lease Bond Trust Fund do not exceed \$25 million, the lease bond requirement will be reinstated for applications received after June 30, 2018.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Lisa Smith in the Nursing Homes Cost Reimbursement section by phone at (850) 412-4114 or via email at Lisa.Smith@AHCA.MyFlorida.com.

Thank you

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