



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
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**Rules and Regulations Filing Form**

**1. Agency Name and Address**

Health, Department of

Cannon Building

**2. Title of Rule**

Rules and Regulations for Licensing of Nursing Facilities [R23-17-NF]

**3. Statutory Source of Authority**

RIGL Chapter 23-17

**4. Concise Explanatory Statement - §42-35-2.3**

Several technical corrections are needed to the July 2013 edition of these regulations. Due to a compiler's error when the final regulations were prepared for filing, sections 1.40 & 1.41 both defined the term "Resident-directed", but with different text. Section 1.41 has been corrected to define "Resident-directed home", which had been implied by the definition text and use of the term "Resident-directed home" throughout the regulations. Corrections have also been made to sections 1.41, 1.45, 2.1, 5.6.1, 5.15.4 & 5.15.5 where the term "nursing" currently appears but "nursing facility" or "nursing facilities" is clearly indicated by context.

**5. Type of Filing**

<b>Emergency Rules</b>	
A1. Emergency 120-day initial - §42-35-3(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment of ERLID: ". <input type="checkbox"/> Repeal of ERLID: Brief Statement of Reason for Finding Imminent Peril §42-35-3(b)(2):	A2. Emergency 90-day renewal - §42-35-3(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment Indicate ERLID of 120-day initial:

<b>Final Rules</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> B1. Amendment Supersedes ERLID: 7291	<input type="checkbox"/> B2. Adoption Repeals ERLID:	<input type="checkbox"/> B3. Repeal Expires ERLID:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C. Technical Revision
If B1 or C, please indicate new, amended, deleted, or revised sections: Sections 1.41, 1.45, 2.1, 5.6.1, 5.15.4 & 5.15.5 have been revised as described in the Concise Explanatory Statement above			

**6. Notice and Hearing Information**

Date of Public Notice - §42-35-3(a)(1): Notice Not Required  
 Date of Public Hearing - §42-35-3(a)(2): Hearing Not Required  
 End of Comment Period:

**7. Agency Additional Information - Web Page**

http://

**8. Certification**

*I hereby certify that the attached rules and regulations were adopted in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act (42-35) and that they are true copies of this Department, attest,*

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 Name  
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 Title

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 Notary Public  
 Subscribed and sworn before me  
 this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_