



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
Aging and Long-Term Support Administration
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ALTSA: ETSS #2025-001
WITHDRAWAL OF CR-101 TO DEVELOP A CERTIFICATION PROGRAM FOR
EMERGENCY TRANSITIONAL SUPPORT SERVICES (ETSS)

Dear Emergency Transitional Support Services Provider:

The Department of Social and Health Services (department) has withdrawn a CR-101 ([WSR 25-01-089](#)) to consider developing a certification program for ETSS. The department made this decision because the funding for the ETSS program was approved through the 2023-2025 Biennial budget and is not supported in the 2025-2027 Biennial budget. The ETSS program's funding will lapse on June 30, 2025, and rulemaking is no longer necessary.

The withdrawal is effective immediately and notice from the DSHS Rules Coordinator can be found [here](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Lindsey Lozoskie, Policy Project Manager at rcspolicy@dshs.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy Abbott".

Amy Abbott, Director
Residential Care Services

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