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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
Aging and Long-Term Support Administration
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CR-101 FILED AMENDING SECTIONS TO CHAPTER 388-97 WAC

Dear Nursing Facility/Home Administrator:

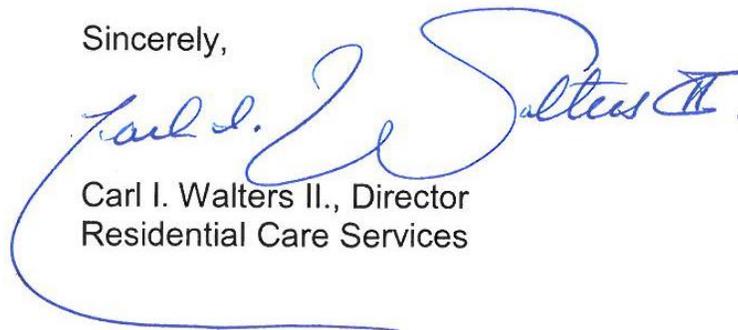
The department is amending sections to Chapter 388-97 of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC). The CR-101 document was recently filed with the Office of the Code Reviser.

The department's purpose in filing the CR-101 is to amend sections to Chapter 388-97 WAC assuring compliance with Federal standards regarding the PASRR process. We will be posting draft language for review and comment before filing the proposed rule with the CR-102. Please check the ALTSA website to review the draft language.

The CR-101 document can be found on the Aging and Long-Term Support Administration (ALTSA) internet website at <http://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/residential-care-services/information-nursing-home-professionals> under "NH Rule Filings".

For rule making questions, please contact Amy Abbott, Nursing Home Policy Program Manager, at (360) 725-2581.

Sincerely,



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