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Healthcare Quality And Safety Branch

Date:

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To:

Administrators

From:

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In order to assist you in developing a Strike Contingency Plan, the Facility Licensing and Investigations Section (FLIS) has developed a standardized format in accordance with Section 19a-497-1 (a) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies. The regulation may be found at https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SOTS/regulations/Title_19a/497pdf.pdf?la=en.

The Contingency Plan needs to be returned as soon as possible once the institution has received a strike notice. In no event, shall this plan be filed with the Section later than five (5) calendar days prior to the onset of the anticipated strike. **DUE APRIL 26, 2019**

You should submit the strike contingency plan to the Department: dph.flis@ct.gov.

In accordance with Connecticut General Statutes Section 19a-497, all strike contingency plans submitted to the Section are protected from public disclosure.

You may find the strike contingency forms and a physical plant questionnaire (Exhibits A through F) on the Department of Public Health website at https://portal.ct.gov/dph Under Forms then Strike Contingency Plan Documents. Please utilize the forms provided and complete each category in detail.

We have also included information regarding the process for obtaining licensure and temporary permits for Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses (Exhibit G).

Please feel free to contact Cheryl Davis at 860-509-7436, Susan Newton at 860-509-8018, or Connie Greene at 860-509-7495 should you have any questions regarding the materials presented. As always, the Department is available to provide you with individual consultation pursuant to any of the referenced materials.



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