

IRC Non-Residential Vendors and IRC Community Services:

This is a new directive giving added guidance to the March 12th DDS Directive regarding the State of Emergency and funding for nonresidential service provision due to COVID 19 absences.

1. All service provision will be subject to review or audit, so vendors must be documenting and keeping that documentation from the initial change from face to face to remote/teleservice.
2. Beginning in May, DDS expects that all nonresidential service providers, “first seek and apply for all available COVID-19 relief funding before receiving absence funds through regional centers.”

DDS is requesting in their directive that any questions be sent to the regional centers and then those regional centers will submit to DDS. If there are any questions, please submit via email to your Quality Assurance Liaison.