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DATE: June 20, 2018
TO: Regional Operations Managers
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FROM: *DTA* Denise T. Arnold, Deputy Director for Programs
SUBJECT: Revised Clarification: Tube Feedings

This clarification rescinds the May 22, 2018, memorandum regarding Tube Feedings and Personal Supports Services. Please disregard the memorandum dated May 22, 2018 and use this clarification in its place.

Individuals who require tube feedings from waiver funded services have the choice of receiving the tube feeding administration from either a nurse or trained direct care staff. The Agency is actively promulgating rules regarding the tube feeding administration.

As always, APD staff and providers must remain diligent in ensuring the health and safety of APD consumers.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have questions or need further information, please contact Lori Gephart by phone at 850/921-3786 or by email at lori.gephart@apdcares.org

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