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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CARE HOMES.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1 SECTION 1. Section 346-53, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:

3 "(c) The director, pursuant to chapter 91, shall determine  
4 the rate of payment for domiciliary care, including care  
5 provided in licensed developmental disabilities domiciliary  
6 homes, community care foster family homes, and certified adult  
7 foster homes, to be provided to recipients who are eligible for  
8 federal [~~supplementary~~] supplemental security income or public  
9 assistance, or both. The director shall provide for level of  
10 care payment as follows:

11 (1) [~~Beginning on July 1, 2008, for~~] For adult residential  
12 care homes classified as facility type I, licensed  
13 developmental disabilities domiciliary homes as  
14 defined under section 321-15.9, community care foster  
15 family homes as defined under section 321-481, and  
16 certified adult foster homes as defined under section



1           321-11.2, the state supplemental payment shall not  
2           exceed [~~\$651.90~~] \$784; and

3           (2) [~~Beginning on July 1, 2008, for~~] For adult residential  
4           care homes classified as facility type II, the state  
5           supplemental payment shall not exceed [~~\$759.90~~] \$892.

6           If the operator does not provide the quality of care  
7           consistent with the needs of the individual to the satisfaction  
8           of the department, the department may remove the recipient to  
9           another facility.

10          The department shall handle abusive practices under this  
11          section in accordance with chapter 91.

12          Nothing in this subsection shall allow the director to  
13          remove a recipient from an adult residential care home or other  
14          similar institution if the recipient does not desire to be  
15          removed and the operator is agreeable to the recipient  
16          remaining, except where the recipient requires a higher level of  
17          care than provided or where the recipient no longer requires any  
18          domiciliary care."

19          SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
20          and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

21          SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2024.



**Report Title:**

CCFFH; ARCH; DDDOM; Adult Foster Homes; Department of Human Services; State Supplemental Payments

**Description:**

Increases the state supplemental payment ceilings for type I adult residential care homes, licensed developmental disabilities domiciliary homes, community care foster family homes, certified adult foster homes, and type II adult residential care homes. Effective 10/1/2024. (SD2)

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