



Board of Nursing

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Memorandum

TO: All MBON Licensees working in Maryland's Assisted Living Programs
Licensed Practical Nurses, Registered Nurses, Delegating Nurses
Certified Nursing Assistants, Certified Medical Technicians

FROM: Rhonda Scott
Executive Director

DATE: May 13, 2025

RE: Notice of Final Action – COMAR 10.07.14 Assisted Living Programs

The purpose of the memo is to ensure you are aware that the regulations that guide all minimum licensing standards for Assisted Living Programs (COMAR 10.07.14) have been revised effective April 28, 2025.

The Office of Health Care Quality (OHCQ) is the designated state survey agency in Maryland that licenses Assisted Living Programs (ALPs) and conducts ALP surveys to determine compliance with State licensure regulations.

- Please refer to [OHCQ's Assisted Living webpage](#) for more information about the roll out of the new regulations including stakeholder communication, virtual training sessions, and training materials. The link to the [Final Publication File COMAR 10.07.14 Proposed Action and Final Action from the April 18, 2025 Maryland Register](#).
- New regulations have clinical implications so please be aware and review the new regulations for any changes that impact your work.

Your input is valuable. If you have questions **about the regulations**, please submit your questions [here](#) and OHCQ will be providing intermittent updates via the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) on their website. If you have questions about educational roll out, please contact ohcq.alregs@maryland.gov.

OHCQ sincerely appreciates the input of nursing during the complex promulgation process that started over ten years ago. Assisted Living Providers (ALPs) are essential to the continuum of care as they provide direct care services to individuals that need assistance with activities of daily living. Quite often, these individuals are Maryland's most vulnerable residents. Thank you.

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