



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES  
Aging and Long-Term Support Administration  
*Division of Residential Care Services*  
PO Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5600

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Social Security Administration  
Office of Income Security Programs  
Keys Section  
2412A Robert M. Ball Building  
6401 Security Boulevard  
Baltimore, Maryland 21235-6401

Dear Mr. Brown:

This letter certifies that Washington State meets the requirements of Section 1616(e) of the Social Security Act.

The Department of Social and Health Services is responsible for enforcement of standards in the following types of facilities where a significant number of recipients of supplemental security income benefits may reside:

**Facility Type**

Adult Family Homes  
Assisted Living Facilities

**Regulatory Requirements**

Chapter 388-76 Washington Administrative Code (WAC)  
Chapter 388-78A Washington Administrative Code (WAC)

Standards for these facilities are published on the internet:

<http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-76>

<http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-78A>

In addition they are readily available through public libraries in "hardcopy" form.

Interested individuals may obtain copies of the regulations, procedures, or the results of any inspections, by contacting this office.

Sincerely,

Candy Goehring, Director  
Residential Care Services