STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
AGING AND LONG-TERM SUPPORT ADMINISTRATION
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LAKESIDE GARDENS ON WISER LAKE
130 Misty Waters Ln
LYNDEN, WA 98264

RE: LAKESIDE GARDENS ON WISER LAKE # 419600

Dear Provider:

This document references Compliance Determination 55916 (Completion Date 03/19/2025).

The Department completed a full inspection of your Adult Family Home on 03/19/2025 and found that your home does not meet the Adult Family Home licensing requirements.

The department staff who did the inspection and provided consultation:

Shelly Scarboro, AFH Licensor

A licensor may consult with a provider when a violation of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) or Revised Code of Washington (RCW) is found, but it is not cited in the Statement of Deficiencies. Violations may not be cited when it is a first-time violation of statute or rule with minimal or no harm to residents. A consult does not require a follow-up visit.

Consultation:

WAC 388-76-10532 Resident rights Department standardized disclosure forms.

(2) The adult family home must complete the disclosure of charges form as provided by the department. The home must:

(c) Keep a copy that has been signed and dated by the resident in the resident's record.

The Adult Family Home did not have a signed Disclosure of Charges (DOC) form in a resident's file. The resident's signed DOS form was in the file by the end of the inspection.

WAC 388-76-10420 Meals and snacks. The adult family home must:

(7) Ensure food is:

(b) Safe, sanitary, and uncontaminated.

The Adult Family Home (AFH) failed to ensure 1 of 2 staff wore gloves while making sandwiches. The AFH staff immediately put on gloves to finish the preparation. The AFH's kitchen was under construction at the time and the meal preparation systems and processes were not under normal circumstances.

You Must:
• Begin the process of correcting the deficiency or deficiencies immediately; and
• Complete correction as soon as possible.

You Are Not:
• Required to submit a plan-of-correction for the deficiency or deficiencies found.

The Department May:
• Inspect the home to determine if you have corrected all deficiencies.

You May:
• Ask for a informal dispute resolution meeting, according to the attached 'Informal Dispute Resolution' instructions; and
• Ask questions and provide written information to help clarify or dispute the deficiencies.

• Contact me for clarification of the deficiency or deficiencies found.

If You Have Any Questions:
• Please contact me at (206)348-9350.

Sincerely,

Nicholette Flynn, AFH Field Manager
Region 2, Unit B
Residential Care Services

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INFORMAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION [RCW 70.128]

You May:

Request an Informal Dispute Resolution (IDR) meeting within 10 working days after the date you receive this letter. You **must** use an **'IDR Request Form'** for **each** citation or enforcement you plan to dispute. You can find this form and directions on the IDR Adult Family Home web page at: https://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/idr

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Provider Process for Choosing a Panel or Traditional IDR:

You may only choose a **Panel IDR** if you are disputing **three or fewer** citations or enforcement actions. You may choose a **Traditional IDR** regardless of the number of citations or enforcement actions you intend to dispute. If you choose a **Panel IDR**, all documents supporting your dispute must be submitted within **20 working days** after the date you receive this letter. For **Panel IDRs** the program will not consider any documents submitted after the **20 working day deadline**. For **Traditional IDRs** you should submit documents supporting your dispute at least **seven** days prior to the date of the IDR meeting.

Send your request and supporting documents to:

Email: RCSIDR@dshs.wa.gov; or
Fax: (360) 725-3225

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