

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

Adoption of Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency
Rules Relating to COVID-19 Emergency

August 20, 2020

SUMMARY

Hawaii Administrative Rules, entitled "Hawaii Public
Housing Authority Emergency Rules Related to COVID-19
Pandemic"

Historical Note: This adoption of Hawaii Administrative Rules, entitled "Extension of Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Related to COVID-19 Emergency" is to renew and extend, Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Related to COVID-19 Emergency, Hawaii Administrative Rules, adopted April 16, 2020, and filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor on May 12, 2020, for an additional 120 days after August 20, 2020, pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes sections 91-3(b) and 91-4(b) (2).

Extension of Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules
Related to COVID-19 Emergency

§22 Findings to Extend Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Relating to COVID-19 Emergency. The authority finds that:

(a) Governor David Y. Ige declared a state of emergency in the State of Hawaii due to COVID-19 by issuing an Emergency Proclamation on March 4, 2020, that was extended by Supplementary Proclamations, most recently on July 17, 2020, which extended the emergency through August 31, 2020;

(b) The HPHA staff reported a sudden and significant increase of COVID-19 cases among the residents at the following properties:

(1) A sudden and significant increase of COVID-19 cases among the residents at the following properties:

- (A) Kuhio Park Terrace Low Rise - 1 active case
- (B) The Towers at Kuhio Park (KPT Towers) - 16 new active cases (this property is privately owned and managed, however, it is a contiguous property with Kuhio Park Terrace Low Rise and Kuhio Homes)
- (C) Kalihi Valley Homes - 5 positive cases; 2 are recovered (not active); 3 are active; 2 new cases pending confirmation
- (D) Puahala Homes - 1 recovered case
- (E) Hauiki - 1 active case (hospitalized)
- (F) Mayor Wright Homes - 2 active cases
- (G) Kaahumanu Homes - 1 active case

- (H) Punchbowl Homes - 1 positive case that has recovered (not active)
- (I) Hookipa Kahaluu - 1 positive case
- (J) Palolo Homes - 1 positive case that has recovered (not active) (this property is privately owned and managed, however, it is near Palolo Valley Homes Federal Public Housing)
- (K) Palolo Valley Homes - 1 new case pending confirmation
- (L) Puuwai Momi - 5 positive cases, under isolation/quarantine in Waikiki (all from one household); 4 people from that same household awaiting test results;

(c) The HPHA staff reported numerous residents at the HPHA properties are not physical distancing or wearing facial coverings (e.g. masks), are congregating in groups, and have allowed friends and family to perform their travel quarantine in their public housing unit;

§23 Extension. Based on the authority's findings set forth in section 22, the authority is renewing and extending Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Relating to COVID-19 Emergency, adopted August 4, 2020, and filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor on August 20, 2020, for an additional 120 days after September 9, 2020.

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Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules
Relating to COVID-19 Emergency

Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Relating to COVID-19 Emergency, Hawaii Administrative Rules, on the Summary Page dated August 20, 2020 which renewed and extended Hawaii Public Housing Authority Emergency Rules Relating to COVID-19, Hawaii Administrative Rules, was adopted on August 20, 2020, by the Hawaii Public Housing Authority Board of Directors.

These rules shall take effect upon filing with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor for a period of not longer than 120 days after September 9, 2020, unless extended in compliance with section 91-3(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes.



ROBERT J. HALL, Chairperson
Board of Directors
Hawaii Public Housing Authority

Pursuant to my Proclamation dated March 4, 2020, and Supplementary Proclamations dated March 16, 2020, March 21, 2020, March 23, 2020, March 31, 2020, April 17, 2020, April 25, 2020, May 5, 2020, May 18, 2020, June 10, 2020, July 17, 2020, and August 6, 2020, relating to COVID-19, I approve these rules.

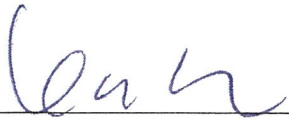
APPROVED:



DAVID Y. IGE
Governor
State of Hawaii

Dated: 9/8/2020

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Deputy Attorney General

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