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Board for Licensing Health Care Facilities Interpretative Guidelines

SUBJECT: Hospice rule 1200-08-27-.06(11)(b) regarding supervisory visit by

registered nurse to patient's place of residence at least monthly

DATE: April 1, 2020

RULES: During the COVID-19 crisis, the above rule is interpreted to be met if

supervisory visits are made via an alternative means such as telehealth (virtually or by phone). This interpretation would also include any other administrative type visits required by a hospice agency. This waiver would

remain in effect until the June 2020 Board meeting.