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Title 22@ Social Security

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Division 6@ Licensing of Community Care Facilities

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Section 81092.7@ Staph or Other Serious, Communicable Infections

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A licensee may admit or retain a client who has a staph or other serious communicable infection if all of the following conditions are met: (1) The licensee is in compliance with Section 81092.1. (2) The licensee has obtained a statement from the client's physician that the infection is not a risk to other clients. (3) The licensee monitors the client's ongoing ability to care for his/her own condition by complying with the instructions of the licensed professional who is managing the client's care. (A) The licensed professional may delegate certain aspects of the care providing the facility staff responsible for providing the care receive training from a licensed professional as specified in Sections 81092.1(k) through (k)(2) prior to providing care. (4) The licensee ensures that a licensed professional assesses the infection and evaluates the treatment at intervals set by the physician or a licensed professional designated by the physician. (5) The licensee ensures that prior to providing care, staff are trained in and follow Infection Control Requirements, pursuant to Section 81095.5 and any other procedures recommended by the licensed professional for protection of the client who has the infection, other clients and staff. (6) The licensee ensures that all aspects of care performed in the facility by the licensed professional and facility staff are documented in the client's file.

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