

86044 Inspection Authority of the Licensing Agency

(a)

The licensing agency shall have the inspection authority specified in Health and Safety Code Sections 1526.5, 1533, 1534, 1538 and 1538.7.

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The licensing agency shall have the authority to interview participants, including children, or staff members without prior consent. (1) The licensee shall ensure that provisions are made for private interviews with any participants, including children, or any staff members.

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(c)

The licensing agency has the authority to inspect the administrative office, sub-administrative office, the THPP participant living units, and the THPP staff residential units that also house or allow access to THPP participants, in compliance with Health and Safety Code Sections 1533, 1534 and 1538.

(d)

The licensing agency shall have the authority to inspect, audit, and copy participant or facility records upon demand during normal business hours. Records may be removed if necessary for copying. Removal of records shall be subject to

the requirements specified in Sections 86066(c) and 86070(e). (1) The licensee shall ensure that provisions are made for the examination of all records relating to the operation of the facility.

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The licensing agency shall have the authority to observe the physical condition of the participant, including conditions that could indicate abuse, neglect, or inappropriate placement, and to have a licensed medical professional physically examine the participant.