



**State of Louisiana**  
Louisiana Department of Health  
Office of Aging and Adult Services

**MEMORANDUM**

**OAAS-P-23-007**

**TO:** Monitored In-Home Caregiving (MIHC) Providers  
**FROM:** Melinda Richard *Melinda Richard*  
OAAS Assistant Secretary  
**DATE:** May 10, 2023  
**SUBJECT:** COVID-19 Public Health Emergency MIHC Exceptions with End Dates

The COVID-19 Public Health Emergency will be ENDING 5/11/23; however, the following exceptions for MIHC providers/services will be ending as stated in the table below. All exceptions will revert to pre-COVID requirements after the end dates noted.

COVID-19 PHE Exception:	END DATE:
MIHC providers may conduct face-to-face requirements by telephone contacts and/or telehealth.	<b>9/30/23</b>
Allow the MIHC participant's curator; tutor; legal guardian; responsible representative; or the person to whom the participant has given representative and mandate authority (power of attorney) to serve as the principal caregiver.	<b>11/11/23</b>

If you have any questions, please contact [OAAS.ProviderRelations@la.gov](mailto:OAAS.ProviderRelations@la.gov) or OAAS Help Line at 1-866-758-5035.

- c: Medicaid Program and Support Waivers (MPSW)
- Statistical Resources Inc. (SRI)
- Support Coordination Agencies (SCAs)
- OAAS Regional Offices

Attachment – OAAS COVID-19 FAQ Document (OAAS-P-20-011) dated 5/10/2023