

<b>STATE OF ALASKA</b> <b>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH &amp; SOCIAL SERVICES</b>  <b>SENIOR AND DISABILITIES SERVICES</b>  <b>POLICY &amp; PROCEDURE MANUAL</b>	SECTION: PCA Program	Number: 10-7	Page: 1
	SUBJECT: Determination of Persons Capable of Providing IADL's and/or Chores Services		
	APPROVED: /s/ Rod Moline		DATE: 3/1/07
	<i>RENUMBERED POLICY 2007-7</i>		

**POLICY:**

DSDS shall review and determine whether IADL activities and/or Chore services may be provided in the home of an eligible consumer by another responsible person or provided by an unpaid means prior to approving the request for IADL and/or Chore support.

**PROCEDURE:**

DSDS will expect adults (18 years or age or older) residing in the home with the consumer to be responsible for performing IADL or Chore services for the recipient. The only exception will be when the other person(s) in the recipient's household are incapable of providing such supports. This incapability must be documented by a licensed health care practitioner with their signature and date. It must state that the other person(s) in the household are incapable of providing IADL or chore services for the consumer. This must be documented on a form approved by OSDS and will be made a part of the consumer file available at the time the Consumer Assessment Tool/Personal Care Assessment Tool is reviewed for eligibility.

**LEGAL AUTHORITY**

7 AAC 43.755 (a)(14) AND 7 AAC 43.1042 (c)

This policy replaces Policy 2007-7 dated 3/1/2007

This policy will be effective as of date signed.