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To whom this may concern:

Home and Community Based Service (HCBS) providers deliver essential health care services and shall be excluded from any quarantine, stay at home orders, and/or curfew requirements related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

HCBS provide essential health care to Missouri's seniors and adults with disabilities. These services allow participants to stay in their homes or least restrictive environment and keep them safe during this COVID-19 pandemic.

HCBS providers include:

- Personal Care Providers
- In-home Providers
- Adult Day Cares
- Home Delivered Meal Providers
- Residential Care Facility and Assisted Living Facility staff

Thank you,

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Jessica Bax  
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