

4680.1200 PATIENT NOTIFICATION AND COMPLAINT MISHANDLING.

The following violations of these rules shall constitute grounds for the automatic assessment of a per violation \$50 fine:

- A. failure to give individual patient notice, as required under part 4680.0900; and
- B. failure to respond to a patient complaint as soon as possible, as required under part 4680.0600.

Multiple violations with respect to the current stay of a particular patient shall result in fines which in no case exceed \$200. Such fines are payable within 30 days of the automatic assessment, unless there is a facility request for a hearing. Such a request shall stay the collection of the assessed fines, pending the outcome of the hearing.

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