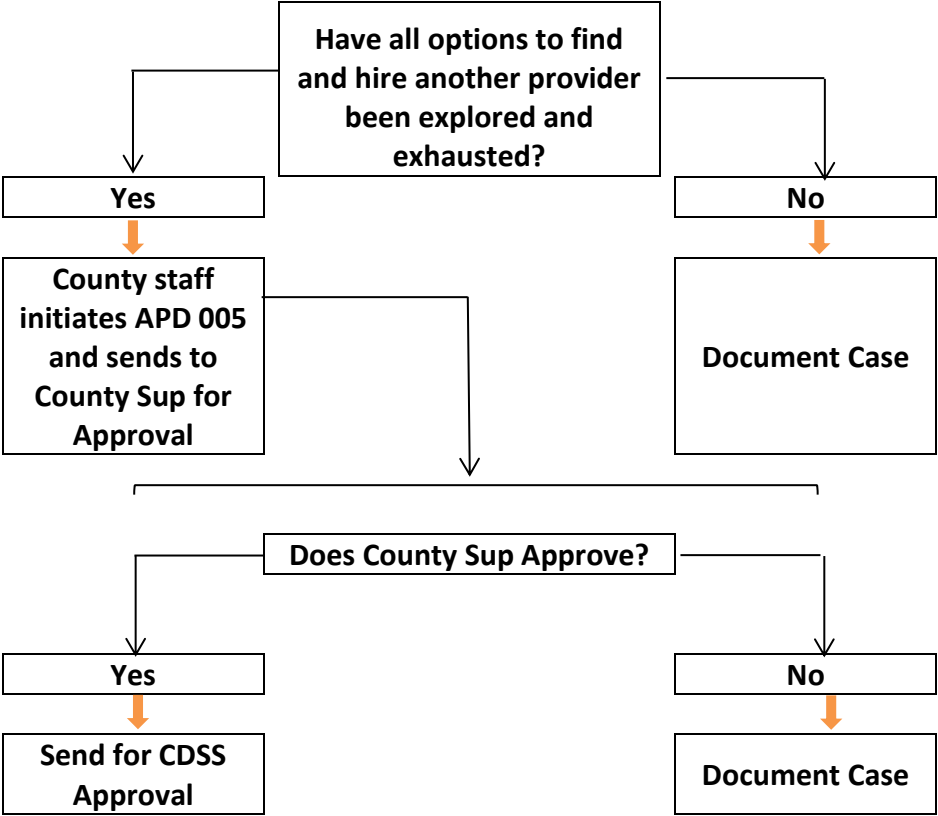


Extraordinary Circumstances (Exemption 2)

<p style="text-align: center;">Exemption Criteria</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✚ The IHSS provider must work for two or more IHSS recipients; ✚ All possible options for finding another provider must have been explored and exhausted by both the recipient and the county; ✚ All Recipients the provider works for must meet <u>at least one</u> of the following conditions: <p>Criteria A: Have complex medical and/or behavioral needs that must be met by a provider who lives in the same home as the recipient.</p> <p>Criteria B: Live in a rural or remote area where available providers are limited and as a result the recipient is unable to hire another provider.</p> <p>Criteria C: Be unable to hire a provider who speaks his/her same language in order to direct his/her own care.</p> <p>Under Criteria A, the IHSS provider <u>must</u> live in the same home as the recipient(s) applying for Exemption 2 under this condition.</p> <p>Under Criteria B and C, the IHSS provider is not required to live in the same home as the recipient(s) applying for Exemption 2 under these conditions.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Maximum Hours</p>	<p>Up to 360 hours per month, up to 90 hours per week <u>combined</u> for all the recipients.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Evaluation Process</p>	 <pre> graph TD Q1[Have all options to find and hire another provider been explored and exhausted?] -- Yes --> A1[County staff initiates APD 005 and sends to County Sup for Approval] Q1 -- No --> A2[Document Case] A1 --> Q2[Does County Sup Approve?] Q2 -- Yes --> A3[Send for CDSS Approval] Q2 -- No --> A4[Document Case] </pre>