

## NOTICE

Department of Human Services (DHS) complies with applicable Federal and state\* civil rights laws and does not discriminate, exclude people, or treat people differently because of:

- Race
- National Origin
- Disability
- Color
- Age
- Sex/gender (expression or identity)

\*Additional protected groups are covered under Hawaii Revised Statutes

DHS provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- Qualified sign language interpreters
- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic)

DHS provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact DHS at 1-877-628-5076.

If you believe that DHS has discriminated in any way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex/gender (expression or identity) or any protected group covered by Hawaii Revised Statutes currently or will be added later may file a discrimination complaint with:

Geneva Watts, Civil Rights Compliance Officer  
Queen Liliuokalani Bldg.  
1390 Miller St., Rm 214 Honolulu, HI 96813  
(808) 586-4955 Fax Number 808-586-4990  
gwatts@dhs.hawaii.gov

You may file a discrimination complaint in person or by mail, fax, or email. DHS civil rights complaint and consent/release forms are available in 10 languages at <http://humanservices.hawaii.gov> in the Civil Rights Corner under forms.

You may also file a discrimination complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at:

U. S. Department of Health and Human Services Office of Civil Rights, Pacific Region 90 7 <sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 4-100 San Francisco, CA 94103-6705 Telephone: (415) 437-8324	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services 200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509F, HHH Building Washington, D.C. 20201 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)
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USHHS Discrimination Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.