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Requests pertaining to notices of intent generated by the local Department of Social Services pursuant to Catanzano v. Dowling regarding Certified Home Health hours should be coded as follows:

Agency: LDSS
Category: SERV
Subcategory: SP25
Issue: 246
Action: DEN/DISC

These requests pertain to a denial or discontinuance of Certified Home Health Aide hours as a result of a fiscal assessment rather than a medical assessment.

In Nassau and Suffolk County Personal Care or Home Attendant Issues where the subcategory SPH would be used to restrict scheduling, the use of SP25 should replace SPH; however scheduling restrictions should be noted in the Restrictions field on the DSS 1891.

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