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EA Alert (08/2019): Extension of Foreign Domestic Worker (FDW) Levy Concession from 1 September 2019

Dear Key Appointment Holders & Employment Agency Personnel,

From 1 September 2019, MOM will extend the FDW levy concession beyond the immediate family, to include a member of the extended family or friend.

The extended family member or friend of the FDW employer who needs caregiver assistance from the FDW must also be a Singapore citizen who is any of the following eligible persons:

- Young child below 16 years old;
- Elderly person who is at least 67 years old; or
- Person with disabilities (as certified by an assessor approved by the Agency for Integrated Care).

To ensure that FDW employers are granted the concession automatically, please indicate the eligible person whom the employer is living with and caring for in the FDW application. Existing FDW employers who are living with and caring for an eligible person may submit the levy concession application through MOM's website.

Note that the levy concession continues to be granted for one FDW per eligible person in the household and capped at two per household.

For more information, please refer to [www.mom.gov.sg/fdw-concession](http://www.mom.gov.sg/fdw-concession).

Yours sincerely  
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