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GRANTING GOOD CAUSE FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY DUE TO SEVERE, EXTREME AND CHALLENGING WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS

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| <p>Date: February 12, 2014</p> | <p>Subtopic(s): Severe Cold Temperature and/or Snow Accumulation</p> |
| <p> This procedure can now be accessed on the FIAweb.</p> | <p>The purpose of this policy bulletin is to provide guidance to staff in the granting of “Good Cause” due to the severe, extreme and challenging weather that New York City has experienced this winter.</p> <p>“Good Cause” requests due to severe cold weather conditions are to be evaluated and granted on a case-by-case basis. Staff must take these weather conditions, the resulting mass transit delays and travel difficulties, and school closures into consideration.</p> <p>Any individual who indicates that he/she was unable to keep a scheduled appointment because of the frigid temperature and/or substantial snow or ice accumulation that affected his/her ability to travel will be granted “Good Cause”.</p> <p><i>Effective Immediately</i></p> <p>Related Item: CD #14-01 “Emergency Plans Due To Inclement Weather”</p> |

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