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Being a foster home operator it will be impossible to manage care of our residents and have proper staffing with 50% increase of base payment. We will definitely have to shut down. To pay 3 staff members in a 24hr home providing round the clock care for a month about \$25000. If they are taking care of 3 needy residents whose basic pay is \$3000 each per month plus 50% of that=\$13,500. How do you use 13,500 to pay staff for \$25000.???. How do you pay house bills, how do you feed all these people? What is left for the Operator?????. If you want to manage it pay 200% of the basic pay. Thank you.