

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID**

DATE: October 26, 2020

TIME: 11:00am

TELECONFERENCE PHONE NUMBER: 614-721-2972

TELECONFERENCE PIN: 604239002#

Pursuant to Chapter 119. and section 5164.02 of the Revised Code, the Director of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) gives notice of the Department's intent to amend or rescind the rules identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 5160-20-01, entitled "Coordinated services program" sets forth requirements for the Coordinated Services Program (CSP). CSP requires a Medicaid recipient to obtain services from an assigned provider when an individual's utilization demonstrates a pattern of receiving services at a high frequency as determined by ODM or its designee. This can be an important tool to fighting the opioid crisis in Ohio. Changes to the rule and associated appendix include:

- In paragraph (A)(1), updated Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) citations;
- In paragraph (A)(6), updated definition to "managed care organization" in alignment with changes made to OAC Chapter 26;
- In paragraph (A)(7), added definition of "Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)";
- In paragraph (D)(4), added individuals enrolled in Medicare as an exclusion from CSP enrollment;
- In paragraphs (E)(1)(a), (E)(2)(b), and (F)(2)(b), updated the effective date for ODM forms referenced in the rule;
- In the appendix, clarified that the 90-day period is within the last 12 months;
- In the appendix, clarified that affiliated providers are considered a single provider for the purposes of determining if an individual meets the criteria for enrollment in CSP; and
- In the appendix, added a new criteria for enrollment in CSP based on an individual receiving MAT.

Pursuant to Section twelve of Am. Sub. H. B. No. 197 ODM will hold the public hearing for this rule package via teleconference. The phone number, pin, and the date and time for this hearing are listed at the top of this Notice. All interested parties are invited to participate in the public hearing. Oral and written testimony will be accepted for this hearing and will be given the same consideration. Those who want to give oral testimony are asked to send an email to Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov no later than one hour before the hearing to be added to the witness list. There will be a final call at the end of the hearing for those who wish to offer oral testimony but are not yet on the witness list.

Written comments submitted via fax, United States Postal Service, and email that are received or postmarked no later than the day of the hearing will be accepted as testimony and become part of the hearing record. All testimony will become public record; therefore, the Ohio Department of Medicaid asks that protected health information only be included if the information belongs to the person submitting the testimony or a person for which the submitter is a legal guardian.

Written testimony sent via email is highly recommended, all testimony received via email will receive a confirmation of receipt.

A copy of the proposed rule is available to any person at the address listed below, without charge. The rule is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. Requests for a copy of the proposed rule or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Medicaid, Office of Legal Counsel, 50 W. Town Street, Suite 400, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 995-1301, or by e-mail at Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov.