Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)

Department Of Job And Family Services

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5101:3-8-05 AMENDMENT

Rule Number TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag Line <u>Covered psychology services and limitations.</u>

RULE SUMMARY

- 1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? **Yes**
- 2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? No
- 3. Statute prescribing the procedure in accordance with the agency is required to adopt the rule: 119.03
- 4. Statute(s) authorizing agency to adopt the rule: 5111.02
- 5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **5111.01**, **5111.02**
- 6. State the reason(s) for proposing (i.e., why are you filing,) this rule:

This rule is being proposed to amend current rule language.

7. If the rule is an AMENDMENT, then summarize the changes and the content of the proposed rule; If the rule type is RESCISSION, NEW or NO CHANGE, then summarize the content of the rule:

Changes include the addition of language about the use of modifier AH and new language about diagnostic interview examinations.

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Modifier AH is a new modifier that will be compliant with the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act (H.I.P.A.A.). All services/procedures provided by licensed psychologists will be required to be billed using the modifier AH to indicate that a psychologist is providing the service.

Code 90801, diagnostic interview examination, is being added to the list of reimbursable services for psychologists. The diagnostic interview examination is often the initial interview of a patient to determine what services the patient needs to receive. Based on input from the psychology community, the Department decided to cover this service.

8. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference and the agency claims the incorporation by reference is exempt from compliance with sections 121.71 to 121.74 of the Revised Code because the text or other material is **generally available** to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule, provide an explanation of how the text or other material is generally available to those persons:

This response left blank because filer specified online that the rule does not incorporate a text or other material by reference.

9. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material electronically, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material electronically was infeasible:

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10. If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material was infeasible:

Not Applicable.

11. If **revising** or **refiling** this rule, identify changes made from the previously filed version of this rule; if none, please state so:

Not Applicable.

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date: 6/2/2003

(If you answered NO to question No. 1, provide the scheduled review date. If you

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answered YES to No. 1, the review date for this rule is the filing date.)

NOTE: At time of final filing, two dates are required: the current review date plus a date not to exceed 5 years from the effective date for Amended rules or a date not to exceed 5 years from the review date for No Change rules.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

13. Estimate the total amount by which *this proposed rule* would **increase/decrease** either **revenues/expenditures** for the agency during the current biennium (in dollars): Explain the net impact of the proposed changes to the budget of your agency/department.

This will increase revenues.

Unknown

The addition of a new, reimbursable CPT code for psychologists will cause a minor impact of expenditures, however, since the Department has no data to estimate the usage of the new code, we are unable to quantify the dollar impact on expenditures.

14. Identify the appropriation (by line item etc.) that authorizes each expenditure necessitated by the proposed rule:

600-525 in the Medicaid budget.

15. Provide a summary of the estimated cost of compliance with the rule to all directly affected persons. When appropriate, please include the source for your information/estimated costs, e.g. industry, CFR, internal/agency:

The proposed rule has no cost of compliance to directly affected persons.

- 16. Does this rule have a fiscal effect on school districts, counties, townships, or municipal corporations? N_0
- 17. Does this rule deal with environmental protection or contain a component dealing with environmental protection as defined in R. C. 121.39? N_0