## **ACTION: Original**

## FEDERAL MEDICAID NOTICE AND PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID

**DATE:** August 20, 2013

TIME: 10:00 AM

LOCATION: Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 East Broad Street,

**Room 3110B, Columbus, OH 43215** 

Pursuant to section 5111.02, Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, and 42 C.F.R. 447.205 the director of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) gives notice of the office's intent to consider the amendment of the rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:3-27-02, entitled "Coverage and limitations of medicaid community mental health services" is being proposed for amendment to implement policy directives from the Office of Medical Assistance. This rule sets forth the Medicaid covered Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services administered mental health services and related limitations. The change to the rule is new language to implement a requirement that health home providers must disenroll clients within three business days of a request by the client or client's parent or guardian. The office estimates this rule will result in no change in expenditures on an annual aggregate basis.

Rule 5101:3-27-05, entitled "Reimbursement for community mental health medicaid services" is being proposed for amendment to implement policy directives from the Office of Medical Assistance. This rule sets forth the Medicaid reimbursement methodology for Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services administered mental health services. The change to the rule is to implement new reimbursement rates for new health home providers. An appendix listing the new health home rate as well as the current rates for other mental health services rendered by community mental health agencies is added. The office estimates expenditures for the Health Home program as reflected in this rule will be \$138,648,639 for SFY 2014 and \$260,806,370 for SFY 2015. Implementing the program, however, is expected to result in an overall decrease of state matching expenditures for the target population of \$8,565,224 for SFY 2014 and \$5,531,513 for SFY 2015.

Rule 5101:3-30-04, entitled "Reimbursement for community medicaid alcohol and other drug treatment services" is being proposed for amendment to incorporate into the rule the current reimbursement rates for alcohol and drug addiction services provided by community alcohol and drug addiction service providers. This rule sets forth the Medicaid reimbursement methodology for Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services administered alcohol and drug treatment services. The change to the rule is to add an appendix listing the current rates for Medicaid covered community alcohol and drug treatment services. The office estimates this rule will result in no change in expenditures on an annual aggregate basis.

PHN p(106797) pa(187200) d(434698) print date: 07/16/2013 9:05 PM

A copy of each proposed rule is available at the address listed below and without charge, to any person affected by the rule(s) and at the county departments of job and family The proposed rules are also available on the internet services. http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/. A public hearing on the proposed rules will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rules or comments on the rules should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Medicaid c/o the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal and Acquisition Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at rules@jfs.ohio.gov. Comments received may be reviewed upon request.