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Public Notice

Pursuant to section 119.03 of the Ohio Revised Code, the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services will hold a public hearing for the purpose of accepting testimony on the proposed changes to the Ohio Administrative Code rules identified below.

- 5122-27-01 Applicability.
- 5122-27-02 Individual client record requirements.
- 5122-27-03 Treatment planning.
- 5122-27-04 Progress notes.
- 5122-27-05 Discharge summary.
- 5122-27-06 Release of information.
- 5122-27-07 AoD level of care protocols.
- 5122-27-08 Release of information.
- 5122-27-09 Security of clinical records systems.
- 3793:2-1-05 Clinical management. (Permanently rescinded)
- 3793:2-1-06 Client records. (Permanently rescinded)

As part of the consolidation between the Ohio Department of Mental Health and the Ohio Department of Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services (ODADAS), the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (Department) is consolidating the rules regarding the certification of services provided by mental health and alcohol and other drug addiction (AoD) service providers. As part of that consolidation, the client record rules in OAC Chapters 5122-27 and 3793:2-1 have been reviewed and consolidated into one chapter. In addition to consolidating the mental health and AoD aspects of the rules, the subject matter has been updated and revised to be more efficient and in line with changes in the field. As a result the structure of the chapter has been changed and all rules within it are being rescinded and filed as new.

The public hearing will be held October 6, 2015 at 9:00 a.m., in Room 3602 of the Rhodes State Office Tower located at 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215, 36th Floor. At this hearing, OhioMHAS will accept verbal and written testimony on the rules under consideration.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code. Any person affected by the rules may appear and be heard in person, by his attorney, or both, may present his position, arguments, or contentions, orally or in writing, offer and examine



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witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the rules, if adopted or effectuated, will be unreasonable or unlawful.

To obtain copies of these rules, please visit the Register of Ohio at www.registerofohio.state.oh.us.

Persons may also submit written testimony in lieu of appearing at the public hearing. Written testimony sent by mail shall be postmarked no later than the day of the hearing. Written testimony transmitted by email shall be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the hearing. Written testimony may be mailed to: Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, c/o Bureau of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 36th Floor, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3430; or emailed to MH-SOT-rules@mha.ohio.gov.