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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:

- 5122-21-03 Pre-admission screening and resident review (PASRR) for nursing facility applicants and residents with serious mental illness.
- 5122-29-10 Crisis intervention service.
- 5122-29-29 Assertive community treatment (ACT).
- 5122-29-31 Telehealth
- 5122-30-27 Transfer and discharge rights.
- 5122-40-07 Program policies and patient records.
- 5122-40-09 Non-medication services.

These rules make permanent previously adopted emergency rule changes in the PASRR, certified services, residential facility, and OTP license programs.

The public hearing will be held September 30, 2020 at 9:00 a.m., via telephone. Please call 614-721-2972 and use meeting code 105302036#. At this hearing, OhioMHAS will accept verbal 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 witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the rules, if adopted or effectuated, will be unreasonable or unlawful. Written testimony may be submitted at the address below.

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.