

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Ohio Department of Mental Health

Pursuant to section 119.03 of the Ohio Revised Code, notice is hereby given that the Department intends to conduct a public hearing.

The following rules from the Department's Certification Standards for Community Mental Health Agencies (OAC Chapters 5122-24 through 5122-29) are being proposed for rescission:

- Rescind:
- 5122-25-01 Purpose
 - 5122-25-02 Applicability
 - 5122-25-03 Certification Procedure
 - 5122-25-04 Provisions of Certification
 - 5122-25-05 Initial Certification Timeframe
 - 5122-25-06 Endorsements of Accrediting Bodies
 - 5122-25-07 Waivers and Variances
 - 5122-25-08 Denial, Revocation and Termination of Certification
 - 5122-25-09 Fees
- These rules outline requirements of the ODMH certification process
- 5122-26-13 Incident Reporting
- This rule requires the reporting and analysis of agency incidents
- 5122-27-01 Purpose
 - 5122-27-02 Applicability
 - 5122-27-04 Individualized Service Plan and Progress Notes
 - 5122-27-05 Consent for Treatment
 - 5122-27-06 Medication Records
 - 5122-27-07 Client Transfer
 - 5122-27-08 Interagency Referral
 - 5122-27-09 Authorization for Release of Information
 - 5122-27-10 Agency Termination of Services
 - 5122-27-11 Records Control
 - 5122:2-3-02 Listing of Components
- These rules address individual client record documentation and maintenance requirements
- 5122-28-03 Quality Assurance Activity
 - 5122-28-04 Service Evaluation Activities
 - 5122-28-05 Research Activities
- These rules address requirements for each of the above-mentioned activities.

The following rules from the Department's Certification Standards for Community Mental Health Agencies (OAC Chapters 5122-24 through 5122-29) are being proposed for adoption:

Adopt: 5122-24-01 Definitions (amend)
This rule contains definitions for the aforementioned Certification Standards

5122-25-01 Applicability
5122-25-02 Accreditation Requirements
5122-25-03 Deemed Status and Reciprocity
5122-25-04 Certification Procedure
5122-25-05 Provisions of Certification
5122-25-06 Waivers and Variances
5122-25-07 Denial, Revocation, and Termination of Certification
5122-25-08 Fees
These rules outline requirements of the ODMH certification process

5122-26-02 Applicability (amend)
5122-26-13 Incident Notification
The first rule clarifies to whom the rules contained in this Chapter apply and the second requires the notification and analysis of agency incidents

5122-27-01 Purpose
5122-27-02 Applicability
5122-27-03 Listing of Components
5122-27-04 Consent for Treatment
5122-27-05 Individualized Service Plan
5122-27-06 Progress Notes
5122-27-07 Discharge Summary
5122-27-08 Release of Information
5122-27-09 Security of Clinical Records System
These rules address individual client record documentation and maintenance requirements

5122-28-01 Purpose (amend)
5122-28-03 Performance Improvement
5122-28-04 Consumer Outcomes
5122-28-05 Research Activities
These rules address requirements for each of the above-mentioned activities.

5122-29-02 Applicability (amend)
5122-29-07 Forensic Service Evaluation (amend)
The first rule clarifies to whom the rules contained in this Chapter apply and the second updates requirements of the Forensic Service standard

A Public Hearing will be conducted:

Date: April 14, 2003
Time: 10:00 am
Room: Lobby Hearing Room
Location: Rhodes State Office Tower
30 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

A copy of these rules is available for review at the Department of Mental Health, 8th floor, Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Ask for Jill Hay, Administrative Rules Coordinator. For questions regarding the hearing, you may write Jill Hay at the address above or call (614) 466-9993.

Testimony for the Public Hearing may also be sent to Ms. Hay in case it is not possible to attend the Public Hearing. To be included in the hearing record, it must be received no later than the day before the hearing. If it is known that an interpreter for the hearing impaired will be needed for the Public Hearing, please contact Ms. Hay in this regard.