PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID

DATE: November 30, 2020

TIME: 11:00 A.M.

Teleconference Phone Number 1-614-721-2972

Teleconference Pin 986766309#

Pursuant to Chapter 119. and section 5164.02 of the Revised Code, the Director of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) gives notice of ODM's intent to consider the adoption, amendment, or rescission of the rules identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Adoption of Ohio Administrative Code rule 5160-8-52 entitled, "Services Provided by a Pharmacist" which will provide coverage for services provided by a pharmacist if rendered for any of the following:

- Managing medication therapy under a consulting agreement with a prescribing practitioner pursuant to section 4729.39 of the Revised Code;
- Administering immunizations in accordance with section 4729.41 of the Revised Code;
 or
- Administering medications in accordance with section 4729.45 of the Revised Code.

Amendment of rules 5160-27-01 "Eligible provider for behavioral health services," 5160-27-02 "Coverage and limitations of behavioral health services," and 5160-27-03 "Reimbursement for community behavioral health services." Revisions to these rules provide coverage for services provided by a pharmacist employed by a community behavioral health provider. In addition, revisions to rule 5160-27-01 removes some requirements found in other Medicaid rules and revisions to rule 5160-27-02 includes new language regarding peer recovery services.

Pursuant to Section twelve of Am. Sub. H. B. No. 197 ODM will hold the public hearing for this rule package via teleconference. The phone number and pin and the date and time for this hearing are listed at the top of this Notice. All interested parties are invited to participate in the public hearing. Oral and written testimony will be accepted for this hearing and will be given the same consideration. Those who want to give oral testimony are asked to send an email to Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov no later than one hour before the hearing to be added to the witness list. There will be a final call at the end of the hearing for those who wish to offer oral testimony but are not yet on the witness list.

Written comments submitted via fax, United States Postal Service, and email that are received or postmarked no later than the day of the hearing will be accepted as testimony and become part of the hearing record. All testimony will become public record; therefore, the Ohio Department of

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Medicaid asks that protected health information only be included if the information belongs to the person submitting the testimony or a person for which the submitter is a legal guardian. Written testimony sent via email is highly recommended, all testimony received via email will receive a confirmation of receipt.

A copy of the proposed rules are available, without charge, to any person at the address listed below. The rules are also available on the internet at http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/. Requests for a copy of the proposed rules or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Medicaid, Office of Legal Counsel, 50 W. Town Street, Suite 400, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 995-1301, or by e-mail at Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov.