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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID

DATE: **January 3, 2022**

TIME: 12:00 P.M.

Teleconference Dial-in Phone Number 614-721-2972

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Room A501, Lazarus Building, 50 W Town St., Columbus, OH 43215 **In-Person Location**

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.

5160-27-05 "Mental health intensive home based treatment service" is being rescinded and replaced with another rule with the same number and different title.

5160-27-05 "Intensive home based treatment service" is being adopted as new to replace a rule with the same number but different title. This rule defines the service and states new requirements for providers of the service that differ from the rule it is replacing.

5160-27-06 "Therapeutic behavioral group service-hourly and per diem" is being proposed for amendment to remove a reference to intensive home based treatment and to clarify existing policy regarding therapeutic behavioral group service.

5160-27-08 "Mental health therapeutic behavioral services and psychosocial rehabilitation" is being proposed for amendment to remove a reference to intensive home based treatment and to clarify policy regarding therapeutic behavioral service and psychosocial rehabilitation.

ODM will hold the public hearing for this rule package via teleconference and in-person. All inperson attendees are required to follow ODM health and safety protocols, including temperature checks, wearing a face mask, and practicing social distancing when inside the ODM office. The date and time for the public hearing are listed at the top of this Notice as well as the phone number, PIN (access code), and link for teleconference attendance, and location for in-person attendance.

All interested parties are invited to participate in the public hearing. Both oral and written testimony will be accepted for this hearing and will be given the same consideration. Persons who want to give oral testimony are asked to send a message by e-mail 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 persons who wish to offer oral testimony but do not yet appear on the witness list.

Written comments submitted by e-mail, postal mail, or fax that are received or postmarked no later than the day of the hearing will be accepted as testimony and will become part of the hearing record. All testimony will become public record; therefore, ODM asks that protected print date: 11/30/2021 3:25 PM health information (PHI) be excluded unless the information belongs to the person submitting the testimony or to a person for which the submitter is a legal guardian. Written testimony sent by email is highly recommended. All persons who submit testimony by e-mail will be sent a confirmation of receipt.

A copy of the proposed rules is 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 rules 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.