



State of Louisiana
Department of Health and Hospitals
Office of the Secretary

July 7, 2015

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable John A. Alario, President, Louisiana Senate
The Honorable Chuck Kleckley, Speaker of the House
The Honorable David Heitmeir, Chair, Senate Committee on Health and Welfare
The Honorable Scott Simon, Chair, House Committee on Health and Welfare
The Honorable Jack Donahue, Chair, Senate Finance Committee
The Honorable James R. "Jim" Fannin, Chairman, House Appropriations Committee

FROM: Kathy H. Kliebert
Secretary

RE: Oversight Report on Bureau of Health Services Financing Proposed Rulemaking

In accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (R.S. 49:950 et seq.) as amended, we are submitting the attached documents for the proposed Rule for Hospital Licensing Standards – Therapeutic Recreational Therapists.

The Department published a Notice of Intent on this proposed Rule in the February 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register* (Volume 41, Number 2). A public hearing was held on March 31, 2015 at which only the Department of Health and Hospitals staff was present. No oral testimony was given, nor written correspondence received, regarding this proposed Rule.

Upon further discussion with stakeholders, the Department determined that further revisions to these provisions were necessary which resulted in non-technical, substantive changes to the February 20, 2015 Notice of Intent.. The Department subsequently published a Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification Potpourri in the May 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register*. A public hearing on the substantive changes was held on June 25, 2015 at which only the Department of Health and Hospitals staff was present. No oral testimony was given, nor written correspondence received.

The Department anticipates adopting the revised Notice of Intent, which incorporates the non-technical, substantive changes, as a final Rule in the August 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register*.

The following documents are attached:

1. a copy of the Notice of Intent;
2. the March 31, 2015 public hearing certification;
3. the March 31, 2015 public hearing attendance roster;
4. a copy of the Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification Potpourri;
5. the June 25, 2015 substantive changes public hearing certification; and
6. the June 25, 2015 substantive changes public hearing attendance roster.

KHK/WJR/CEC

Attachments (6)

NOTICE OF INTENT

Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

Hospital Licensing Standards
Therapeutic Recreational Therapists
(LAC 48:I.9501)

The Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing proposes to amend LAC 48:I.9501 in the Medical Assistance Program as authorized by R.S. 36:254 and R.S. 40:2100-2115. This proposed Rule is promulgated in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

The Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Secretary, Bureau of Health Services Financing promulgated a Rule that established new regulations governing the licensing of hospitals (*Louisiana Register, Volume 29, Number 11*). The department subsequently promulgated a Rule which amended the provisions of the November 20, 2003 Rule governing hospital licensing standards to establish provisions for crisis receiving centers (*Louisiana Register, Volume 36, Number 3*).

The Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing now proposes to amend the provisions governing hospital licensing standards to revise the qualification requirements for therapeutic recreational therapists and to establish the qualifications of an individual

who shall clinically supervise therapeutic recreational services.

Title 48

**PUBLIC HEALTH-GENERAL
Part I. General Administration
Subpart 3. Licensing and Certification**

Chapter 95. Hospitals

Subchapter R. Psychiatric Services (Optional)

§9501. Staffing

A. - F. ...

G. Therapeutic activities such as art leisure counseling, recreational therapy, etc., shall be clinically supervised and provided by certified therapeutic recreational therapists or degreed individuals, adequate in number to respond to the therapeutic activity needs of the patient population being served.

1. An individual who clinically supervises therapeutic recreation activities shall meet the following qualifications:

a. have a degree in therapeutic recreation therapy from an accredited post-secondary institution and be certified in accordance with the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification requirements; or

b. have a degree in another field of study and has also attained certification in accordance with the National

Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification requirements.

2. An individual who provides therapeutic recreational services shall have the following qualifications:

a. a degree in therapeutic recreation from an accredited post-secondary institution; or

b. a degree in another field of study and has also attained certification in accordance with the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification requirements; or

c. a minimum of 10 years' experience providing therapeutic recreational services; or

d. be currently employed as a Therapeutic Recreational Specialist 2 per Louisiana Civil Service requirements.

3. Individuals currently providing therapeutic recreational services who do not meet the qualifications of §9501.G.1-2.d, shall have two years from the effective date of this Rule to qualify as therapeutic recreational therapists.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 40:2100-2115.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Secretary, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 29:2427 (November 2003), amended by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services

Financing, LR 41:

In compliance with Act 1183 of the 1999 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the impact of this proposed Rule on the family has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have a no impact on family functioning, stability or autonomy as described in R.S. 49:972.

In compliance with Act 854 of the 2012 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the poverty impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on child, individual, or family poverty in relation to individual or community asset development as described in R.S. 49:973.

In compliance with House Concurrent Resolution (HCR) 170 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the provider impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule may have an adverse impact on the staffing level requirements or qualifications required to provide the same level of service if the provider elects to meet the requirements for therapeutic recreation therapist and may increase direct or indirect cost to the provider to provide the same level of service. This proposed Rule may negatively impact the provider's ability to provide the same level of service as described in HCR 170.

Interested persons may submit written comments to Cecile Castello, Health Standards Section, P.O. Box 3767, Baton Rouge, LA 70821 or by email to MedicaidPolicy@la.gov. Ms. Castello is responsible for responding to inquiries regarding this proposed Rule. A public hearing on this proposed Rule is scheduled for Tuesday, March 31, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 118, Bienville Building, 628 North Fourth Street, Baton Rouge, LA. At that time all interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to submit data, views or arguments either orally or in writing. The deadline for receipt of all written comments is 4:30 p.m. on the next business day following the public hearing.

Kathy H. Kliebert

Secretary



State of Louisiana
Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

PUBLIC HEARING CERTIFICATION
March 31, 2015
9:30 a.m.

RE: Hospital Licensing Standards
Therapeutic Recreational Therapists
Docket # 03312015-3
Department of Health and Hospitals
State of Louisiana

CERTIFICATION

In accordance with LA R.S. 49:950 et seq., the attached public hearing agenda, together with one digital recording of the public hearing conducted on March 31, 2015 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana constitute the official record of the above-referenced public hearing.



Robert K. Andrepont
Medicaid Policy and
Compliance Section

03-31-15

Date

DHH/BHSF PUBLIC HEARING

Topic - Hospital Licensing Standards Therapeutic Recreational Therapists

Date - March 31, 2015

PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE

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Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification
Hospital Licensing Standards
Therapeutic Recreational Therapists
(LAC 48:I.9501)

In accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedures Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq., the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing published a Notice of Intent in the February 20, 2015 edition of the *Louisiana Register* (LR 41:481) to amend LAC 48:I.9501. This Notice of Intent proposed to amend the provisions governing hospital licensing standards to revise the qualification requirements for therapeutic recreational therapists, to establish the qualifications of an individual who shall clinically supervise therapeutic recreational services, and to provide clarity regarding recreational therapy in the psychiatric hospital setting.

The department conducted a public hearing on this Notice of Intent on March 31, 2015 to solicit comments and testimony on the proposed Rule. Upon further discussion with stakeholders, the department subsequently determined that further revisions to these provisions were necessary which resulted in non-technical, substantive changes to the February 20, 2015 Notice of Intent.

Taken together, all of these proposed revisions will

closely align the proposed Rule with the Department's original intent and the concerns brought forth in discussions with stakeholders after publication of the Notice of Intent. No fiscal or economic impact will result from the amendments proposed in this notice.

Title 48

**PUBLIC HEALTH-GENERAL
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Chapter 95. Hospitals

Subchapter R. Psychiatric Services (Optional)

§9501. Staffing

A. - F. ...

G. Therapeutic activities shall be clinically supervised and provided by therapeutic recreational therapists adequate in number to respond to the therapeutic activity needs of the patient population being served.

1. ...

a. have a degree in therapeutic recreation therapy from an accredited post-secondary institution; or

1.b. - 3. ...

4. Licensed hospitals providing therapeutic recreational services pursuant to §9501 and whose staff do not meet the qualifications of §9501.G.2.a. - d. within the time frame provided for in §9501.G.3., shall submit to the Department

documentation which:

- a. clearly indicates why the qualifications have not been met; and
- b. provides evidence of a barrier to access of such services in the hospital's service area.

5. No hospital shall submit the documentation allowed for in §9501.G.4. more than once and the submission shall cover a period of no more than 12 months from the date of receipt by the Department.

6. Recreational therapy shall be designed to:
 - a. restore, remediate and rehabilitate a person's level of functioning and independence in life activities;
 - b. promote health and wellness; and
 - c. reduce or eliminate the activity limitations and restrictions to participation in life situations caused by an illness or disabling condition.

Note: Examples of intervention modalities include, but are not limited to, creative arts (e.g., crafts, music, dance, drama, among others), sports, adventure programming, dance/movement, and leisure education.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 40:2100-2115.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Health

and Hospitals, Office of the Secretary, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 29:2427 (November 2003), amended by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 41:

Interested persons may submit written comments to Cecile Castello, Health Standards Section, P.O. Box 3767, Baton Rouge, LA 70821 or by email to MedicaidPolicy@la.gov. Ms. Castello is responsible for responding to inquiries regarding these substantive amendments to the proposed Rule. A public hearing on these substantive changes to the proposed Rule is scheduled for Thursday, June 25, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 118, Bienville Building, 628 North Fourth Street, Baton Rouge, LA. At that time all interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to submit data, views or arguments either orally or in writing. The deadline for receipt of all written comments is 4:30 p.m. on the next business day following the public hearing.

Kathy H. Kliebert

Secretary



State of Louisiana
Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

PUBLIC HEARING CERTIFICATION
June 25, 2015
9:30 a.m.

RE: Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification
Hospital Licensing Standards
Therapeutic Recreational Therapists
Docket # 06252015-3
Department of Health and Hospitals
State of Louisiana

CERTIFICATION

In accordance with LA R.S. 49:950 et seq., the attached public hearing agenda, together with one digital recording of the public hearing conducted on June 25, 2015 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana constitute the official record of the above-referenced public hearing.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "R. K. Andrepont", written over a horizontal line.

Robert K. Andrepont
Medicaid Policy and
Compliance Section

06-25-15
Date

DHH/BHSF PUBLIC HEARING

Topic - Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification
Hospital Licensing Standards Therapeutic Recreational Therapists

Date - June 25, 2015

PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE

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FROM: Kathy H. Kliebert
Secretary *Approved for*

RE: Oversight Report on Bureau of Health Services Financing Proposed Rulemaking

In accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (R.S. 49:950 et seq.) as amended, we are submitting the attached documents for the proposed Rule for Medicaid Eligibility – Federally-Facilitated Marketplace Assessments.

The Department published a Notice of Intent on this proposed Rule in the May 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register* (Volume 41, Number 5). A public hearing was held on June 25, 2015 at which only the Department of Health and Hospitals staff were present. No oral testimony was given, nor written correspondence received, regarding this proposed Rule.

The Department anticipates adopting the Notice of Intent as a final Rule in the August 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register*.

The following documents are attached:

1. a copy of the Notice of Intent;
2. the public hearing certification; and
3. the public hearing attendance roster.

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Attachments (3)

NOTICE OF INTENT

**Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing**

**Medicaid Eligibility
Federally-Facilitated Marketplace Assessments
(LAC 50:III.505)**

The Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing proposes to adopt LAC 50:III.505 in the Medical Assistance Program as authorized by R.S. 36:254 and pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act. This proposed Rule is promulgated in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) of 2010 requires that all applicants for coverage through the federal health insurance marketplace be assessed for eligibility in other government programs, including Medicaid. States are required to select a marketplace model that is state-based, federally-facilitated, or working in partnership with the federal marketplace. States with a federally-facilitated marketplace (FFM), like Louisiana, must elect to either have the FFM make assessments of Medicaid eligibility and transfer the account to the state Medicaid agency for a final determination, or delegate the authority to make Medicaid eligibility determinations to the FFM. Louisiana elected to become a

determination state and currently accepts eligibility determinations made by the FFM.

Due to increasing inconsistencies in application processing and eligibility verification found in post eligibility reviews under the current eligibility determination process, the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing proposes to adopt provisions to become an assessment state and only accept eligibility assessments from the FFM rather than accepting Medicaid eligibility determinations made by the FFM.

Title 50

PUBLIC HEALTH—MEDICAL ASSISTANCE Part III. Eligibility Subpart 1. General Administration

Chapter 5. Application Processing

§505. Federally-Facilitated Marketplace Assessments

A. Effective October 1, 2015, Louisiana will no longer accept Medicaid eligibility determinations made by the federally-facilitated marketplace (FFM). Initial assessment of an applicant's Medicaid eligibility will be made by the FFM and transferred to the department to make the final Medicaid eligibility determination, which will result in the state becoming an assessment state.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 36:254 and Title XIX of the Social Security Act.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 41:

Implementation of the provisions of this Rule may be contingent upon the approval of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), if it is determined that submission to CMS for review and approval is required.

In compliance with Act 1183 of the 1999 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the impact of this proposed Rule on the family has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on family functioning, stability and autonomy as described in R.S. 49:972.

In compliance with Act 854 of the 2012 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the poverty impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on child, individual, or family poverty in relation to individual or community asset development as described in R.S. 49:973.

In compliance with House Concurrent Resolution (HCR) 170 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the provider impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on the staffing level requirements or qualifications required to provide the same level of service, no direct or indirect cost to

the provider to provide the same level of service, and will have no impact on the provider's ability to provide the same level of service as described in HCR 170.

Interested persons may submit written comments to J. Ruth Kennedy, Bureau of Health Services Financing, P.O. Box 91030, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9030 or by email to MedicaidPolicy@la.gov. Ms. Kennedy is responsible for responding to inquiries regarding this proposed Rule. A public hearing on this proposed Rule is scheduled for Thursday, June 25, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 118, Bienville Building, 628 North Fourth Street, Baton Rouge, LA. At that time all interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to submit data, views or arguments either orally or in writing. The deadline for receipt of all written comments is 4:30 p.m. on the next business day following the public hearing.

Kathy H. Kliebert

Secretary



State of Louisiana
Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

PUBLIC HEARING CERTIFICATION
June 25, 2015
9:30 a.m.

RE: Medicaid Eligibility
Federally-Facilitated Marketplace Assessments
Docket # 06252015-1
Department of Health and Hospitals
State of Louisiana

CERTIFICATION

In accordance with LA R.S. 49:950 et seq., the attached public hearing agenda, together with one digital recording of the public hearing conducted on June 25, 2015 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana constitute the official record of the above-referenced public hearing.



Robert K. Andrepont
Medicaid Policy and
Compliance Section

06-25-15
Date

DHH/BHSF PUBLIC HEARING

Topic – Medicaid Eligibility Federally – Facilitated Marketplace Assessments

Date – June 25, 2015

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FROM: Kathy H. Kliebert
Secretary 

RE: Oversight Report on Bureau of Health Services Financing Proposed Rulemaking

In accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (R.S. 49:950 et seq.) as amended, we are submitting the attached documents for the proposed Rule for Targeted Case Management – Reimbursement Methodology.

The Department published a Notice of Intent on this proposed Rule in the May 20, 2015 issue of the *Louisiana Register* (Volume 41, Number 5). A public hearing was held on June 25, 2015 at which only the Department of Health and Hospitals staff were present. No oral testimony was given, nor written correspondence received, regarding this proposed Rule.

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NOTICE OF INTENT

Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

Targeted Case Management
Reimbursement Methodology
(LAC 50:XV.10701)

The Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing proposes to amend LAC 50:XV.10701 in the Medical Assistance Program as authorized by R.S. 36:254 and pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act. This proposed Rule is promulgated in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

As a result of a budgetary shortfall in state fiscal year 2013, the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing amended the provisions governing the reimbursement methodology for targeted case management (TCM) services to reduce the reimbursement rates and to revise these provisions as a result of the promulgation of the January 2013 Emergency Rules which terminated Medicaid reimbursement of TCM services provided to first-time mothers in the Nurse Family Partnership Program and TCM services rendered to HIV disabled individuals (*Louisiana Register*, Volume 39, Number 12).

The department promulgated an Emergency Rule which amended the provisions governing the reimbursement methodology for TCM services provided to New Opportunities Waiver (NOW) recipients in order to adopt a payment methodology based on a flat monthly rate

rather than 15-minute increments (*Louisiana Register*, Volume 40, Number 6). This proposed Rule is being promulgated to continue the provisions of the July 1, 2014 Emergency Rule.

Title 50

**PUBLIC HEALTH—MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
Part XV. Services for Special Populations
Subpart 7. Targeted Case Management**

Chapter 107. Reimbursement

§10701. Reimbursement

A. - J. ...

K. Effective for dates of service on or after July 1, 2014, case management services provided to participants in the New Opportunities Waiver shall be reimbursed at a flat rate for each approved unit of service.

1. The standard unit of service is equivalent to one month and covers both service provision and administrative (overhead) costs.

a. Service provision includes the core elements

in:

- i. §10301 of this Chapter;
- ii. the case management manual; and
- iii. contracted performance agreements.

2. All services must be prior authorized.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 36:254 and Title XIX of the Social Security Act.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of the Secretary, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 30:1040 (May 2004), amended LR 31:2032 (August 2005), LR 35:73 (January 2009), amended by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 35:1903 (September 2009), LR 36:1783 (August 2010), amended by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing and the Office of Public Health, LR 39:97 (January 2013), amended by the Department of Health and Hospitals, Bureau of Health Services Financing, LR 39:3302 (December 2013), LR 40:1700, 1701 (September 2014), LR 41:

In compliance with Act 1183 of the 1999 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the impact of this proposed Rule on the family has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on family functioning, stability and autonomy as described in R.S. 49:972.

In compliance with Act 854 of the 2012 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the poverty impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on child, individual, or family poverty in relation to individual or community asset development as described in R.S. 49:973.

In compliance with House Concurrent Resolution (HCR) 170 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the provider impact of this proposed Rule has been considered. It is

anticipated that this proposed Rule will have no impact on the staffing level requirements or qualifications required to provide the same level of service, no direct or indirect cost to the provider to provide the same level of service, and will have no impact on the provider's ability to provide the same level of service as described in HCR 170.

Interested persons may submit written comments to J. Ruth Kennedy, Bureau of Health Services Financing, P.O. Box 91030, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9030 or by email to MedicaidPolicy@la.gov. Ms. Kennedy is responsible for responding to inquiries regarding this proposed Rule. A public hearing on this proposed Rule is scheduled for Thursday, June 25, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 118, Bienville Building, 628 North Fourth Street, Baton Rouge, LA. At that time all interested persons will be afforded an opportunity to submit data, views or arguments either orally or in writing. The deadline for receipt of all written comments is 4:30 p.m. on the next business day following the public hearing.

Kathy H. Kliebert

Secretary



State of Louisiana
Department of Health and Hospitals
Bureau of Health Services Financing

PUBLIC HEARING CERTIFICATION
June 25, 2015
9:30 a.m.

RE: Targeted Case Management
Reimbursement Methodology
Docket # 06252015-2
Department of Health and Hospitals
State of Louisiana

CERTIFICATION

In accordance with LA R.S. 49:950 et seq., the attached public hearing agenda, together with one digital recording of the public hearing conducted on June 25, 2015 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana constitute the official record of the above-referenced public hearing.

Robert K. Andrepont
Medicaid Policy and
Compliance Section

06-25-15

Date

DHH/BHSF PUBLIC HEARING

Topic – Targeted Case Management Reimbursement Methodology

Date – June 25, 2015

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