State of California
Office of Administrative Law

NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF CHANGES WITHOUT REGULATORY EFFECT California Code of Regulations, Title 1, Section 100 OAL File No. 2014-0616-03 N

In re:

Department of Health Care Services Regulatory Action: Title 22, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections: [Blank]

Amend sections: 1840.205, 1850.325

Repeal sections: [Blank]

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is amending sections 1840.205 and 1850.325 of title 9 of the California Code of Regulations as a change without regulatory effect in order to update authority and reference citations. The authority and reference citations have been amended to reflect the transfer of responsibilities and duties to administer and oversee the provision of mental health services and programs from the former Department of Mental Health to the Department of Health Care Services. (AB 102, Statutes of 2011, Chapter 29, Section 20, effective June 29, 2011.) The Department is also adding authority and reference citations related to an appeal process.

OAL approves this change without regulatory effect as meeting the requirements of California Code of Regulations, Title 1, section 100.

Date: 7/29/2014

[Original Signed] Lindsey McNeill, Attorney

For: DEBRA M. CORNEZ, Director

Original: Toby Douglas Copy: Lori Manieri

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A. PUBLICATION OF NOTICE (Complete for publication in Notice Register)

1. SUBJECT OF NOTICE: [Blank]

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B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS (Complete when submitting regulations)

1a. SUBJECT OF REGULATIONS: Mental Health Plan Denied Short/Doyle Medi-Cal Claims' Appeals

1b.ALL PREVIOUS RELATED OAL REGULATORY ACTION NUMBERS: [Blank]

2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLES AND SECTIONS (Including Title 26, if toxics related)

SECTIONS AFFECTED (List all section numbers individually. Attach additional sheet if needed.)

ADOPT: [Blank]

AMEND: 1840.205 and 1850.325

REPEAL: [Blank]

TITLES: 9

3. TYPE OF FILING

Regular Rulemaking (Gov. Code Section 11346): [Blank]

Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn nonemergency filing (Gov. Code Sections 11349.3, 11349.4): [Blank]

Emergency (Gov. Code, Section 11346.1(b)): [Blank]

Certificate of Compliance: The agency officer named below certifies that this agency complied with the provisions of Gov. Code Sections 11346.2-11347.3 either before the emergency regulation was adopted or within the time period required by statute: [Blank] Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn emergency filing (Gov. Code, Section 11346.1): [Blank]

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Changes Without Regulatory Effect (Cal. Code Regs., Title 1, Section 100): [Checked]

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- 4. ALL BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES OF AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED REGULATIONS AND/OR MATERIAL ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE (Cal. Code Regs, Title 1, Section 44 and Gov. Code Section 11347.1): [Blank]
- 5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, Sections 11343.4, 11346.1(d)); Cal. Code Regs, Title 1, Section 100):

Effective January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1 (Gov. Code Section 11343.4(a)): [Blank]

Effective on filing with Secretary of State: [Blank]

Section 100 Changes Without Regulatory Effect: [Checked]

Effective other (Specify): [Blank]

6. CHECK IF THESE REGULATIONS REQUIRE NOTICE TO, OR REVIEW. CONSULTATION, APPROVAL OR CONCURRENCE BY, ANOTHER AGENCY OR ENTITY.

Department of Finance (Form STD. 399) (SAM Section 6660): [Blank]

Fair Political Practices Commission: [Blank]

State Fire Marshal: [Blank] Other (Specify): [Blank]

7. CONTACT PERSON: Lori F. Manieri TELEPHONE NUMBER: (916) 650-6825

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8. I certify that the attached copy of the regulations is a true and correct copy of the regulations identified on this form, that the information specified on this form is true and correct, and that I am the head of the agency taking this action, or a designee of the head of the agency, and am authorized to make this certification.

SIGNATURE OF AGENCY HEAD OR DESIGNEE: [Original Signed]

TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNATORY: Toby Douglas, Director

DATE: 6/11/14

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METHOD OF INDICATING CHANGES

This Accessible PDF version of the approved Rule 100 regulation text includes the phrase [begin underline] at the beginning of each addition, [end underline] at the end of each addition, [begin strikeout] at the beginning of each deletion, and [end strikeout] at the end of each deletion.

A standard PDF version of this approved Rule 100 regulation text is also available on the Department's Office of Regulations Internet site.

TITLE 9. REHABILITATIVE AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

(1) Amend Section 1840.205 as follows:
§ 1840.205. General.
(a) – (b) No changes
Note: Authority cited: Sections 14680[begin underline] and 14700[end underline], Welfare and Institutions Code. Reference: Section 5778 [begin underline]14718[end underline], Welfare and Institutions Code.

TITLE 9. REHABILITATIVE AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

(2) Amend Section 1850.325 as follows:

§ 1850.325. Provider Appeal Process - Claims Processing.

Notwithstanding Sections 1850.305-1850.320:
(a) – (b) No changes
Note: Authority cited: Section[begin underline]s[end underline] 14680[begin underline], 14700 and 14718, Welfare and Institutions Code. Reference: Section[begin underline]s[end underline] 14684[begin underline] and 14718[end underline], Welfare and Institutions Code.