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November 12, 2015

Vonette Richter, Assistant Code Revisor
North Dakota Legislative Council
State Capitol
Bismarck, ND 58505

RE: Proposed Creation of N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 75-09.1-11
Substance Use Disorder Treatment Voucher System

Dear Ms. Richter:

Enclosed for filing in the office of the Legislative Council is the Notice of Intent to Create Administrative Rules concerning the above proposed rules as required by N.D.C.C. section 28-32-10. Also enclosed is a copy of the proposed rules.

We have requested publication of an abbreviated newspaper publication notice once in each official county newspaper which will notify the public that an oral hearing on these rules will be held on December 21, 2015, beginning at 10:00 a.m. and continuing until 11:30 a.m. or until no further testimony is offered, whichever occurs first.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 328-2311. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jonathan Alm", is written over a horizontal line.

Jonathan Alm
Legal Advisory Unit

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cc: Pamela Sagness, MHSA

Enclosures

Jack Dalrymple, Governor
Maggie D. Anderson, Executive Director

NOTICE OF INTENT TO CREATE
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO
N.D.A.C. CHAPTER 75-09.1-11
SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER TREATMENT VOUCHER SYSTEM

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Department of Human Services will hold a public hearing to address proposed creation of N.D. Admin. Code chapter 75-09.1-11 at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, December 21, 2015, in Bismarck, N.D. in Room 210, located on the second floor of the Judicial Wing of the State Capitol.

The proposed creation of N.D. Admin. Code chapter 75-09.1-11, Substance Use Disorder Treatment Voucher System, is necessary to comply with an appropriation measure passed during the sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly in 2015 Senate Bill 2048.

The proposed changes are as follows:

Chapter 75-09.1-11 is created to to establish the definitions; the application process for a program, including approval and denial of an application, provider review process, and agreement; the revocation process; the voucher payment denial process; the services qualifying for and reimbursed by the voucher system; the individual eligibility requirements, including approval, denial, and appeal process; the reimbursement process; and the requirements for process measures and outcomes measures reports and training for the substance use disorder treatment voucher system.

The proposed amendments are anticipated to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000. No taking of real property is involved in this rulemaking action.

Copies of the proposed rules are available for review at county social services offices and at human service centers. Copies of the proposed rules and the regulatory analysis relating to these rules may be requested by telephoning (701) 328-2311. Written or oral data, views, or arguments may be entered at the hearing or sent to: Rules Administrator, North Dakota Department of Human Services, State Capitol - Judicial Wing, 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 325, Bismarck, ND 58505-0250. Written data, views, or arguments on the proposed rules must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 31, 2015.

ATTENTION PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: If you plan to attend the hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Department of Human Services at the above telephone number or address at least two weeks prior to the hearing.

Dated this 12 day of November, 2015.



Jack Dalrymple, Governor
Maggie D. Anderson, Executive Director

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Department of Human Services is proposing the creation of N.D. Admin. Code chapter 75-09.1-11, Substance Use Disorder Treatment Voucher System. The department has adopted procedures to assure public input into the formulation of the rules prior to adoption.

In conformity with those procedures, we are providing you with a copy of the proposed rules and are requesting that you provide any written data, views, or arguments no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2015.

The department has scheduled an oral hearing for December 21, 2015. Further information concerning the public hearing is included in the attached notice of proposed rulemaking and public hearing.

Your participation is welcomed, as are your suggestions. Please send all written data, views, or arguments to: Rules Administrator, Department of Human Services, State Capitol - Judicial Wing, 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, ND 58505-0250.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Maggie D. Anderson". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Maggie D. Anderson,
Executive Director

MDA/rs

Attachments

cc: Vonette Richter, Legislative Council
Pamela Sagness, MHSA