

ALABAMA MEDICAID AGENCY

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

RULE NO. & TITLE: 560-X-41-.05 Medical, Psychiatric, and Social Evaluations

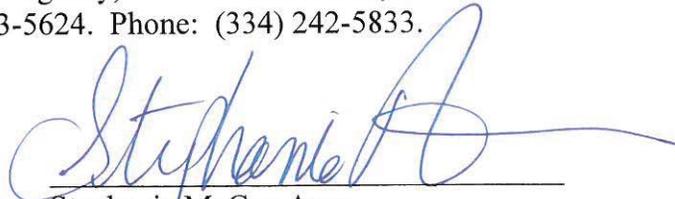
INTENDED ACTION: Amend 560-X-41-.05

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The above referenced rule is being amended to reference ICD-10.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Written or oral comments may be submitted to the Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, Post Office Box 5624, Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5624. Agency business hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: Written/Oral comments concerning this change must be received by the Alabama Medicaid Agency no later than August 4, 2015.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Stephanie Lindsay, Administrative Secretary, Alabama Medicaid Agency, 501 Dexter Avenue, Post Office Box 5624, Montgomery, Alabama 36103-5624. Phone: (334) 242-5833.



Stephanie McGee Azar
Acting Commissioner

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(1) Before admission to a psychiatric facility or before authorization for payment, the attending physician or staff physician must make a medical evaluation of each recipient's need for care in the facility and appropriate professional personnel must make a psychiatric and social evaluation. The psychiatric evaluation must be completed within 60 days of admission. The specific requirements for psychiatric medical records may be found at 42 CFR, 482.61.

(2) Each medical evaluation must include:

(a) Diagnosis (within the ICD-9 range of 290-316 (dates services prior and up to September 30, 2015) or ICD-10 range of F01.50 – F69, F80.0-F99, G44.209, H93.25, R37, R45.1-R45.2, R45.5-R45.82, R480, Z87.890 (dates of services October 1, 2015 and forward)),

(b) Summary of present medical findings,

(c) Medical history,

(d) Mental and physical functional capacity,

(e) Prognosis, and

(f) A recommendation by a physician concerning:

1. Admission to the psychiatric facility, or

2. Continued care in the psychiatric facility for individuals who apply

for Medicaid while in the facility.

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Statutory Authority: State Plan, Attachment 3.1-A, pp. 7, 7.16; 42 CFR, Section 456.170, 482.61.

History: Rule effective October 1, 1988. **Amended:** September 13, 1989; August 21, 1991; and November 13, 1991. **Amended:** Filed September 21, 2001; effective December 14, 2001. **Amended:** Filed March 21, 2005; effective June 16, 2005.

Amended: Filed June 22, 2015.