

REGULATORY AGENDA – January 15, 2014

Agency Name and Address:

Rhode Island Department of Children, Youth and Families
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PART I - Rules Promulgated *June 16, 2013 through January 15, 2014:*

ERLID	Type Filing	Title	Effective Date
7255	Amendment	Comprehensive Assessment and Service Planning	<i>July 10, 2013</i>
7256	Amendment	Administrative Classification to Restrictive Status	<i>July 10, 2013</i>
7257	Amendment	Clinical Services at the Rhode Island Training School	<i>July 10, 2013</i>
7258	Amendment	Lock Up	<i>July 10, 2013</i>
7259	Amendment	Major Discipline Review	<i>July 10, 2013</i>
7388	Repeal	Quarterly Statistical Reporting by Health Care Facilities	<i>October 8, 2013</i>
7413	Amendment	Foster Care and Adoption Regulations for Licensure	<i>October 8, 2013</i>
7585	Amendment	Child Care Program Regulations for Licensure	<i>November, 2013</i>
7363	Amendment	School Age Child Care Program Regulations for Licensure	<i>November, 2013</i>
7505	Amendment	Comprehensive Assessment and Service Planning	<i>December 2, 2013</i>
7506	Amendment	Authorization for Medical Care for Child in Placement	<i>December 2, 2013</i>
7507	Amendment	Code of Ethics	<i>December 2, 2013</i>
7508	Amendment	Mission, Philosophy, Goals and Purpose	<i>December 2, 2013</i>
7509	Amendment	Vision, Mission and Guiding Principles	<i>December 2, 2013</i>

PART II - Expected Rule-Making Activity *January 16, 2013 through June 15, 2014:*

Type Filing	Title/Subject Area	Objective	Legal Basis	Anticipated Schedule	Agency Contact	Interested Parties
Amendment	Sexual Abuse Specific Treatment for DCYF Involved Youth Practice Standards	Amend to incorporate practice guidance for the treatment of youth affected by sexual abuse.	42-72-5	Effective on: 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies/Clinicians
Amendment	Adoption	Amend to correct Department division titles, fingerprinting timeframes for prospective adoptive families, and provide clarification of confidentiality requirements.	42-72-5	Effective on: 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	FCCP Regulations	Amend for clarification and to reflect practice changes.	42-72-5	Effective on: 05/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Educational Stability	Amend to include revisions to the Intra-State Education Id Card	42-72-5	Effective on: 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies/schools
Amendment	Confidentiality	Amend to provide a single integrated policy that addresses the full range of issues in child welfare, juvenile justice and children's behavioral health including addressing HIPAA related issues.	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Intend to advertise by: 05/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Repeal	Confidentiality: Access to Information Contained in Departmental Service Records	Rule will be incorporated into the amended Confidentiality policy.	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Advertise by: 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies

Repeal	Confidential Information Request Received Through Masterfile	Rule will be incorporated into the amended Confidentiality policy	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Repeal	Confidentiality: Access to Information Contained in Licensing Records	Rule will be incorporated into the amended Confidentiality policy	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Repeal	Confidentiality: Access to Restricted Information	Rule will be incorporated into the amended Confidentiality policy	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Repeal	Requests for Confidential Information Received Through the Call Floor	Rule will be incorporated into the amended Confidentiality policy	42-35; 42-72-5; 42-72-8	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Visitation	Amend to conform with system of care principles and best practices	42-35; 42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Initial Visitation	Amend to conform with system of care principles and best practices	42-35; 42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Termination of Parental Rights	Amend to reflect provisions of CAPTA (PL 111-310)	42-35; 42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Placing Youngsters at the Ace Program	Amend to conform with system of care principles	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Transitioning Mentally Disabled Youth from the Care of DCYF to the Adult Mental Health Care System	Amend to conform with system of care principles	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Collaboration Between DCYF and DHS to Improve Services for Dual-System Families	Amend to conform with system of care principles	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies

Amendment	Reporting Child Abuse and/or Neglect	Amend to comply with Prison Rape Elimination Act	42-72-5	Advertise by 05/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Sexual Harassment	Amend to comply with the Prison Rape Elimination Act	42-72-5	Advertise by 05/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Processing and Notifications of Alleged Institutional Abuse/Neglect	Amend to comply with the Prison Rape Elimination Act	42-72-5	Advertise by 05/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Services to Youth Ages 18 - 21	Amend to comply with the Affordable Care Act	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Health and Education Passport	Amend to reflect current Department practice	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Family Child Care Home Regulations	Amend to reflect current national best practices	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Family Group Child Care Home Regulations	Amend to reflect current national best practices	42-72-5	Advertise by 03/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Sexually Transmitted Diseases-Aids	Amend to reflect current best practice	42-72-5	Advertise by 04/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies
Amendment	Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome	Amend to reflect current best practice	42-72-5	Advertise by 04/01/2014	Susan Bowler 528-3685	Families, public/private oversight/advocacy/service agencies