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**TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

Control 420 Alabama Department of Public Health

Rule Number 420-5-6-.11

Rule Title Professional Staffing of Health Maintenance Organizations

       New            XXX Amend                   Repeal                   Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare or safety? No

Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety or welfare? No

Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public? No

Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree? No

Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the proposed rule? n/a

Are all facts of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of and so they have as their primary effect, the protection of the public? Yes

Does the proposed action relate to or affect in any manner any litigation which the agency is a party to concerning the subject matter of the proposed rule? No

Does the proposed rule have an economic impact? No

If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of §41-22-23, Code of Alabama, 1975.

**Certification of Authorized Official**

I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama, 1975, and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Services Agency.

Signature of Certifying Officer

*P. Brantley*

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**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**  
**NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Department of Public Health

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: 420-5-6-.11, Professional Staffing of Health Maintenance Organizations

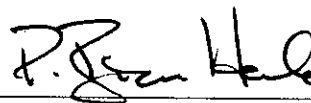
INTENDED ACTION: To amend the current rules

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: This amendment will require that contracted providers be recredentialed every three years.

TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: A public hearing will be held on August 29, 2019, at 9:00 a.m., at the RSA Tower, Suite 1540, 201 Monroe Street, Montgomery, AL 36104.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENTS AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: Written or oral comments will be received until the close of the record at 5:00 p.m. on September 4, 2019. All comments and requests for copies of the proposed amendments should be addressed to the contact person listed below.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Dennis Blair, Office of Health Provider Standards, Department of Public Health, P.O. Box 303017, Montgomery, Alabama 36130-3017, Telephone number: (334) 206-5366.



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P. Brian Hale, Agency Secretary

(3) The health maintenance organization shall define procedures for taking corrective action against any provider whose conduct is detrimental to public safety or the delivery of care, or disruptive to the operation of the health maintenance organization.

**Author:** Department of Public Health

**Statutory Authority:** Code of Ala. 1975, §§22-2-2(6), et seq., 22-21-20, et seq., 27-21A-1, et seq.

**History:** Filed September 1, 1982. **Repealed and New Rule** adopted in lieu thereof: Filed March 31, 1987. **Amended:** Filed January 20, 1999; effective February 24, 1999. **Amended:** XX-XX-XXXX.