



# COLORADO

Department of Health Care  
Policy & Financing

Medical Services Board

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULES

The Medical Services Board of the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing will hold a public meeting on Friday, March 10, 2017, beginning at 9:00 a.m., in the eleventh floor conference room at 303 East 17th Avenue, Denver, CO 80203. Reasonable accommodations will be provided upon request for persons with disabilities. Please notify the Board Coordinator at 303-866-4416 or [chris.sykes@state.co.us](mailto:chris.sykes@state.co.us) or the 504/ADA Coordinator [hcpf504ada@state.co.us](mailto:hcpf504ada@state.co.us) at least one week prior to the meeting.

A copy of the full text of these proposed rule changes is available for review from the Medical Services Board Office, 1570 Grant Street, Denver, Colorado 80203, (303) 866-4416, fax (303) 866-4411. Written comments may be submitted to the Medical Services Board Office on or before close of business the Wednesday prior to the meeting. Additionally, the full text of all proposed changes will be available approximately one week prior to the meeting on the Department's website at [www.colorado.gov/hcpf/medical-services-board](http://www.colorado.gov/hcpf/medical-services-board).

This notice is submitted to you for publication, pursuant to § 24-4-103(3)(a) and (11)(a), C.R.S.

### **MSB 16-12-23-A, Revision to the Medical Assistance Rule Concerning the \$20 Unearned Income Disregard, Section 8.100.5.H.4.a**

Medical Assistance. This is a correction to the unearned income disregard methodology to comply with a corrective action issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). The current rule only allows \$20 to be disregarded off unearned income. However, if there is less than \$20 or no unearned income, the \$20 or remainder thereof must be applied to any earned income of the applicant and/or spouse. The rule is a correction to comply with federal regulations.

The authority for this rule is contained in 25.5-1-301 through 25.5-1-303, C.R.S (2016).

### **MSB 17-01-17-A, Revision to Medical Assistance Community Living Office Rule concerning the Home and Community Based Services Supported Living Services Waiver (HCBS-SLS), section 8.500.90.**

Medical Assistance. This revision adds Consumer Directed Attendant Support Services (CDASS), as a service delivery option, to the rule governing the Home and Community Based Services Supportive Living Services Wavier (HCBS-SLS). This will allow individuals utilizing services in the HCBS-SLS waiver to direct their Personal Care, Homemaker and Health Maintenance waiver services, including recruiting their support staff, setting wages, supervising and setting their supports staff schedules.

The authority for this rule is contained in 25.5-1-301 through 25.5-1-303, C.R.S (2016).