## STATUS OF HUMAN SERVICES RULES IN EFFECT OR BEING DEVELOPED

## **Chapter 9500: Assistance Payments Programs**

## **Title: Hospital Medical Assistance Reimbursement**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9500.1090-9500.1140 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 54 Purpose: Sets standards for paying hospitals for inpatient services provided to MA- and GAMC-eligible patients. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: January 2, 2007 Contact: Health Care Purchasing Status: Current

## **Title: General Assistance (GA)**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9500.1200 - 9500.1261 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 55 Purpose: Establish standards for providing general assistance (GA) and emergency general assistance (EGA) to persons and families eligible under statute for such assistance. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: January 28, 2008 Contact: Community Living Supports (Adult Support) Status: Current. (Updated using the exempt rulemaking process)

## **Title: Commissioner's Consent to Paternity Suit Settlements**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9500.1650 - 9500.1663 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Purpose: Rule 56 Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 24, 2007 Contact: Child Support Enforcement Division Status: Current. (\*Minor changes using exempt rulemaking process September 24, 2007)

## **Chapter 9502 Licensing of Day Care Facilities**

## Title: Licensing of Day Care Facilities - Family and Group Family Day Care

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9502.0300 9502.0445 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 2 Purpose: Governs licensure of providers of child care in a setting other than a daycare center usually the provider's residence, for less than 24 hours per day. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 18, 1988 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Current

## **Chapter 9503: Child Care Center Licensing**

#### **Title: Licensure of Child Care Centers**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9503.0005 9503.0170 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 3 Purpose: Sets standards for licensing child-care centers including programs that provide day care, night care, drop-in and sick care for less than 24 hours a day in a setting that is not a residence Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 7, 1990 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Current

## **Chapter 9505: Health Care Programs**

## **Title: Medical Assistance (MA): Eligibility Policy**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.0010 9505.0140 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 47 Purpose: Sets standards under Medical Assistance about eligibility criteria, the application process, county determination procedures, third party liability, and assignment of rights to medical support. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 5, 1990 Contact: Health Care Eligibility and Access Status: Not current. Many provisions have been superseded by statute.

## **Title: Medical Assistance (MA): Provider Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.0170 9505.0475 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 47 Purpose: Establishes the services and providers that are eligible to receive medical assistance payments and the conditions a provider must meet to receive payment. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 20, 2002

Contact: Health Care Administration, Purchasing and Service Delivery, Benefits Policy Status: Amendments planned for 9505.0391 and 9505.0323. Otherwise current.

## **Title: Hospital Admission Certification**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.0501-9505.0545 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 48 Purpose: Establishes hospital admission certification as a condition of receiving MA and GAMC payment for inpatient hospital services to MA and GAMC recipients. Rule was amended in 1996 when language related to second medical opinion was moved to parts 9500.5000-9505.5105, Prior Authorization and Second Medical Opinion as Conditions for MA and GAMC Payment. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: August 10. 1998 Contact: Health Care Administration, Purchasing and Service Delivery Status: Current.

## Title: Child and Teen Checkups--formerly Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT)

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.1693-9505.1748 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 61 Purpose: Sets standards for administering the Child and Teen Checkups Program of preventive health care for children ages 0 to 21 who are eligible for MA Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 2, 1992 Contact: Health Care Administration, Purchasing and Service Delivery, Benefits Policy Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Surveillance and Integrity Review System**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.2160-9505.2245 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 64 Purpose: Sets procedures for investigating exceptional use, suspected fraud, or abuse by recipients and providers in the MA and GAMC programs. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 2008 Contact: Economic Assistance and Employment Supports Division

Status: Current.

## Title: Conditions for Medical Assistance and General Assistance Medical Care

#### Payment

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.5000-9505.5105 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 68 Purpose: Establishes procedures for second medical opinion (SMO) and authorization prior to payment as conditions of MA, GAMC, and MinnesotaCare reimbursement. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 8, 1996 Contact: Health Care Administration, Purchasing and Service Delivery Status: Current.

# **Title: Department Health Care Program Participation Requirements for Vendors and Health Maintenance Organizations**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.5200-9505.5240 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 101

Purpose: Establishes requirements providers must meet to participate in MA, GAMC and MinnesotaCare programs.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 21, 1994

Contact: Health Care Administration, Purchasing and Service Delivery Status: Current.

## **Title: Family Planning Demonstration Project**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9505.5300-9505.5325 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None Purpose: Establish eligibility and participation guidelines for demonstration project providing expanded coverage for family planning services under federal waiver. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: October 31, 2006 Contact: Health Care Eligibility and Access Status: Current.

## Chapter 9506: MinnesotaCare

## **Title: Administration of MinnesotaCare**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9506.0010- 9506.0400 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 100 Purpose: Governs the administration of the MinnesotaCare program, including managed care for MinnesotaCare enrollees. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 25, 1995 Contact: Health Care Eligibility and Access Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9510: Rates for Health Care Facilities**

## Title: Special Needs Rate Exception for Very Dependent Persons with Special

#### Needs

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9510.1020-9510.1140 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 186 Purpose: Establishes procedures for counties and providers to follow when seeking authorization for a special needs rate exception for a persons who live in ICF/DD facilities and attend DT&H program with special needs (Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.501). Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 9, 1990 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Needs amendment to reflect statutory revisions but timeline not yet established.

## **Title: Medical Care Surcharge**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9510.2000-9510.2050 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 45 Purpose: Governs administration of the medical care surcharge under Minnesota Statutes, section 256.9657. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 24, 1993 Contact: Health Care Administration Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9515: State Hospital Administration**

## **Title: Administration of Specified Therapies to State Hospital Patients**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9515.0200-9515.0700 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 16 Purpose: Describes procedures required when state facility staff propose treating a patient with ECT and clarifies the very limited circumstances under which referrals for psychosurgery can be made Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: January 9, 2001 Contact: Direct Care and Treatment Status: Current

## **Title: Determining Reimbursement for Cost of Care of Patients in State**

## **Facilities**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9515.1000-9515.2600 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 27 Purpose: Sets procedures for reimbursing cost of care of clients in state facilities. Provisions include determination procedures, sources of income considered as client resources, and potential liability of responsible relatives. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: February 3, 1992 Contact: Direct Care and Treatment Status: Current

## Title: Licensure of the Minnesota Sexual Psychopathic Personality Treatment

#### Center

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9515.3000-9515.3110 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 26 Purpose: Governs operation, maintenance, and licensure of the secure treatment facilities at Moose Lake and St. Peter Security Hospital for persons committed as sexual psychopathic personalities or as sexually dangerous Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: October 30, 1995 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Chapter 9520: Mental Health Services**

## **Title: Community Mental Health Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9520.0010-9520.0230 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 28 Purpose: Provide methods and procedures for the operation of area wide comprehensive community based mental health/ developmental disabilities /chemical dependency programs under Minnesota Statutes, section 245.61 to 245.69.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 16, 1976

Contact: Licensing Division

Status: Needs revision or repeal; merger with Rule 29 under consideration.

## **Title: Licensing of Residential Facilities for Adults with Mental Illness**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9520.0500-9520.0670 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 36 Purpose: Establish standards for mental health programs providing residential treatment and rehabilitation services to adults with mental illness on a 24 hour per day basis. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: February 8, 1982 Contact: Mental Health Division and Licensing Division Status: Planning to put rule into statute in 2009.

## **Title: Standards for Certifying Mental Health Clinics for Insurance**

#### Reimbursement

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9520.0750-9520.0870 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 29 Purpose: Establish treatment, staffing, and quality assurance standards for mental health centers and clinics seeking approval for insurance reimbursement. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 24, 1996 Contact: Mental Health Division Status: Current. Merger with Rule 28 under consideration

#### **Title: Mental Health Case Management Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9520.0900-9520.0926 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 79 Purpose: Establishes standards and procedures for case management services for children with severe emotional disturbance and adults with serious and persistent mental illness Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: December 21, 1992 Contact: Mental Health Division Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9525: Programs for Persons with Developmental Disabilities**

## Title: Case Management Services to Persons with Developmental Disabilities

## Conditions

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.0004-9525.0036 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 185

Purpose: Sets standards for planning and delivering services to persons with developmental disabilities or related conditions. Rule provisions govern county board responsibilities, case manager qualifications and training, case management responsibilities, diagnosis of developmental disabilities and related conditions, assessment of individual service needs, screening team responsibilities, individual service plan development, provision of services, conciliations, appeals, quality assurance, service development, and need determination

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 25, 1994 Contact: Disability Services Division

Status: Needs minor modifications to conform to statutes.

## Title: Grants for Providing Semi Independent Living Services to Persons with

## **Developmental Disabilities**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.0900-9525.1020 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 20 Purpose: Sets standards for allocating state grants to county boards that provide semi independent living services to persons with developmental disabilities. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: August 16, 1993 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Current.

## Title: Training and Habilitation Reimbursement Procedures for ICFs/DD

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.1200-9525.1330 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 30 Purpose: Implements 1983 legislation to reimburse day training and habilitation vendors for services provided to residents of ICFs/DD using Medical Assistance funds. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: March 21, 1988 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Current.

## Title: Licensure of Training and Habilitation Services for Adults with Developmental Disabilities and Related Conditions

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, part 9525.1580 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 38 Purpose: Governs control and location of services and minimum staffing requirements for day training and habilitation providers Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: November 16, 1987 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Current.

## **Title: Funding and Administration of Home and Community Based Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.1800-9525.1930 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 41 Purpose: Set standards for MA funding and administering of home and community based services for persons with developmental disabilities. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 20, 1992 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Needs revision.

## Title: Use of Aversive and Deprivation Procedures in Facilities Serving Persons with Developmental Disabilities or Related Conditions

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.2700-9525.2810 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 40

Purpose: Sets standards prohibiting use of certain aversive and deprivation procedures, designates other procedures as permitted but controlled, specifies the consents, reviews, and standards required for using controlled procedures, and establishes the roles and responsibilities of internal review committees and expanded interdisciplinary teams.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: November 1, 1993 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Public Guardianship of Persons with Developmental Disabilities**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9525.3010-9525.3100 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 175

Purpose: Set standards governing responsibility of the state and county boards in providing public guardianship or conservator ship services to adults with developmental disabilities Minnesota Statutes, chapter 252A, authorizes the commissioner to supervise adults with developmental disabilities who are unable to fully provide for their own needs and for whom no other appropriate person is willing and able to accept the responsibility to act as private guardian or conservator.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: March 29, 1993

Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9530: Chemical Dependency Programs**

## **Title: Licensure of Chemical Dependency Treatment Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9530.6405-9530.6505 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 31 Purpose: Establishes the licensing standards for treatment programs for persons with chemical dependency and abuse problems. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: July 2008 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Current.

#### **Title: Licensure of Detoxification Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9530.6510-9530.6590 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 32 Purpose: Establishes the licensing standards applicable to detoxification programs. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 2008 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Current.

## **Title: Chemical Dependency Care for Public Assistance Recipient**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9530.6600-9530.6655 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 25 Purpose: Establishes criteria for the appropriate level of chemical dependency care for public assistance recipients. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 2008 Contact: Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division Status: Current.

## **Title: Rules to Govern Implementation of the Chemical Dependency**

## **Consolidated Treatment Fund**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9530.6800-9530.7031 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Purpose: Establishes criteria for client eligibility, client's obligation to pay, and vendor eligibility for the use of the CD Consolidated Treatment Funds. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 2008 Contact: Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division Status: Current

## **Chapter 9535: Program Grants; Persons Who Are Mentally Ill**

## Title: Grants for Community-Based Mental Health Services for Children with Severe Emotional Disturbance and Their Families and Adults with Serious and Persistent Mental Illness

#### Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9535.1700-9535.1760 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 78 Purpose: Sets reporting requirements and guidelines for awarding the grants described above Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: Contact: Mental Health Division and Children's Mental Health Division Status: Current.

## **Title: Residential Services for Adult Mentally Ill Persons**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9535.4000-9535.4070 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 12

Purpose: Sets standards for grant applications, approval of applications, allocation of grants, and maintenance of service and financial records. The grants are to county boards to help residential facilities meet Rule 36 licensing standards.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 7, 1983

Contact: Adult Mental Health Division

Status: Grants under this rule pay for program activities of Rule 36 (9520.0500 – 9520.0690). This rule would need revision if Rule 36 is revised.

## Title: Standards for Family Community Support Services (FCSS) for Children

#### with Severe Emotional Disturbance and their Families

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9535.4000 - 9535.4070 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 15

Purpose: Establishes standards for the provision of family community support services to children with severe emotional disturbance by county boards.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: December 28, 1993

Contact: Children's Mental Health Division Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9545: Private Child Caring or Placing Agencies**

## Title: Family Day Care, Adult Foster Care, and Child Foster Care: Licensing

## **Functions of County and Private Agencies**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9543.0010-9543.0150 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 13 Purpose: Establishes licensing requirements for county and private agencies performing family day care, adult foster care and child foster care licensing activities and functions delegated by the Commissioner under Minnesota Statutes, Section 245A.16 Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: March 29, 1991 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Currently being amended.

## Title: Licensure of Private Agencies that Provide Foster Care and Adoption

#### **Services**

Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 4

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9545.0755-9545.0845 Purpose: Clarifies what it means to receive children for care, supervision, or placement in foster care or adoption or help plan the placement of children in foster care or adoption and establishes licensing standards to be met by private agencies that perform these functions.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: January 4, 1994

Contact: Licensing Division

Status: Rule needs revisions on relative placement of adopted children. The rule should be reviewed and updated to reflect statutory changes.

## **Chapter 9549: Nursing Facility Payment Rates**

## **Title: Payment Rate Determination**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9549.0010- 9549.0080

Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 50

Purpose: Sets standards for determining the operating cost, property related and real estate payment rates for payment of nursing home care under MA. This rule establishes the total payment rate for nursing homes in Minnesota, and provides for allowable costs, annual reporting requirements and rate appeal right.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 20, 1994

Contact: Nursing Facility Rates and Policy

Status: Portions of the rule are still used to determine reimbursement amounts. No plans to replace rule.

## **Chapter 9550: General Administration of Social Services**

## **Title: Title IV-E AND XIX Funding Allocation**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9550.0300-9550.0370 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 163

Purpose: Provides a uniform system for allocating federal funds received as reimbursement for administrative and training costs under Titles IV E and XIX. The rule establishes disbursement formulae and reporting requirements for this purpose.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: October 26, 1987

Contact: Child Safety and Permanency

Status: Needs amendment regarding relative placements in reimbursement, reporting and penalty provisions, and addition of programs. Not a priority at this time.

## **Title: Parental Fees for Care of Children**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9550.6200-9550.6240 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 162 Purpose: Establishes standards for assessing and collecting fees from parents of children placed out of the home in 24-hour care. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 29, 1992 Contact: Child Safety and Permanency Status: Current.

## **Chapter 9553: Payment; Intermediate Care Facilities**

## Title: Determination of Payment Rates for Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Developmental Disabilities

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9553.0010-9553.0080 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None Purpose: Has limited applicability because the reimbursement system for ICFs/DD was established in Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.5011 effective October 1, 2000. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: March 28, 1988 Contact: Disability Services Division Status: Applies only to facilities that had entered into closure agreements prior to October 1, 2001.

## **Chapter 9555: Social Services for Adults**

## **Title: Senior Companion Program**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9555.0100-9555.1600 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 195

Purpose: Sets standards for administering the Senior Companion Program, which provides part time volunteer opportunities for low income older persons and gives person to person support services to adults with special or exceptional health, education or welfare needs. The services are intended primarily for persons in their own homes, but those in group homes, nursing homes, or other public or private non profit institutions or agencies providing care for handicapped adults or elderly persons may also be served.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 17, 1977

Contact: Aging and Adult Services Division

Status: Rule needs minor changes to conform to federal regulations. Further federal regulatory changes are pending.

#### Title: Adult Foster Care Services and Licensure of Adult Foster Homes

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9555.5105-9555.6265 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 203

Purpose: Sets standards for licensing, administering and providing social services to functionally impaired adults in adult foster homes so they receive an assessment of need for foster care and are offered community, health, and social services that may be needed and requested.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: August 3, 1987

Contact: Community Living Supports Division

Status: Rule is outdated; needs revision to conform to statutory changes and accommodate populations such as the aged. (Rule standards are now being applied to aged in adult foster care.)

## **Title: Protective Services to Vulnerable Adults**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9555.7100-9555.7700

Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 221 Purpose: Sets standards for county investigations of alleged abuse or neglect and provision of protective services to vulnerable adults. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: April 26, 1982 Contact: Aging and Adult Services Division Status: Significant rule revisions are needed to make rule conform to statutory amendments.

#### **Title: Services to Mothers and Pregnant Women**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9555.9000-9555.9300 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 222 Purpose: Sets standards for local social services agency services to pregnant women and establishes eligibility criteria for those services. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: December 13, 1982 Contact: Economic Assistance and Employment Supports Division Status: May need revision to conform to Minnesota Statutes, section 257.33.

## Title: Adult Day Care Center or Adult Day Services Center Licensure

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9555.9600-9555.9730 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 223 Purpose: Sets standards for the licensure of adult day care centers that regularly provide care for six or more functionally impaired adults. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: July 1, 1987 Contact: Licensing Division Status: There are no plans to change the rule.

## **Chapter 9560: Social Services for Children**

## **Title: Adoption**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0010-9560.0180 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 200

Purpose: Sets standards governing agency adoptive placement of children, including adoption assistance, development of adoptive homes, assistance to the court in finalizing an adoption, and providing post adoption services to the adoptive family. The rule also sets standards for protecting a child placed independently, and for regulating interstate and intercounty adoption and agency record maintenance.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 16, 2005 Contact: Child Safety and Permancy Status: Current.

## **Title: Protective Services for Children**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0210-9560.0234 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 207 Purpose: Sets standards for local social service agencies to administer and provide protective services to children. The purpose of child protective services is to safeguard the rights and welfare of children whose parents are unable or unwilling to do so Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 16, 2005 Contact: Child Safety & Permanency Status: Current.

## **Title: Interstate Placement of Children for Foster Care**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0350-9560.0370

Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 161

Purpose: Sets standards for the placement of children into or out of the State of Minnesota the for purpose of adoption or foster care. "Placing children in foster care" means placing children in any of the following residential facilities: foster family homes, work homes, free homes, group homes, residential treatment centers, or private homes for the purpose of legal adoption.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: October 17, 1977

Contact: Economic Assistance and Employment Supports Division Status: Current.

## Title: Children in Need of Protection or Services

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0410-9560.0485 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 171

Purpose: Sets standards for state quardianship of children in need of protection or services. Children come under state guardianship through the Minnesota court system when parental rights are terminated and the commissioner of Human Services is appointed guardian. Minnesota law permits the guardian to take major decisions affecting a ward. This rule defines those decisions and sets administrative standards for local agencies that supervise or delegate the responsibility for children under state guardianship.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: June 4, 1991

Contact: Child Safety and Permanency

Status: Current

## **Title: Foster Care for Children**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0500-9560.0670 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 204

Purpose: Governs administration and provision of foster care services to children and their families by local social service agencies when the agency has placement and supervisory responsibilities Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 16, 2005

Contact: Child Safety and Permanency

Status: 2005 amendments incorporated changes in the federal Multiethnic Placement Act and Interethnic **Placement Amendments** 

## Title: State Goal for Number of Children in Foster Care

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9560.0850 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 2045 Purpose: As required by Public Law Number 96 272, this rule sets goals for achieving limits on how long children receiving assistance under Title IV E of the Social Security Act remain in foster care when it has not been judicially determined that permanent foster care is the best plan for the children. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended:

Contact: Child Safety and Permanency Status: Current.

## **Title: Homemaking Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9565.1000-9565.1300 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 206

Purpose: Sets standards for local social service agency's administration, purchase, and provision of homemaking services. Homemaking services include the provision and/or teaching of child care, personal care, and home management to individuals and families.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: March 4, 1996

## **Chapter 9570: Residential Programs and Services for Physically Disabled**

## **Title: Residential Programs and Services for Physically Disabled**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9570.2000-9570.3400 Informal DHS Number for Rule: November 20, 1972 Purpose: Sets standards for licensing community based residential facilities and services for physically disabled individuals. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: November 20, 1972 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Rule 80 is applicable to only four facilities all of whom are subject to other licensing or certification standards.

## **Chapter 9575: Merit System**

#### **Title: Merit System**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9575.0010 9575.1580 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rules 490 – 841

Purpose: Sets standards for a system of personnel administration for employees of county boards engaged in the administration of community social services or income maintenance programs, employees of human services boards that have adopted the rules of the Merit System, and employees of county welfare boards. The rules cover classification, compensation, recruitment and examination, certification and appointment, transfers and demotions, leaves of absence, separation, tenure, reinstatement, appeals, and other personnel standards.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: December 24, 2001

Contact: Human Resources, Minnesota Merit System

Status: These Rules are annually revised to amend salary schedules and classifications. The rules have also been amended to increase flexibility and remove obsolete language.

## **Chapter 9585: Gambling Assessments**

#### **Title: Gambling Assessments**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9585.0010-9585.0040 Informal DHS Number for Rule: Rule 82 Purpose: Establishes standards that qualify a person to perform gambling assessments for certain offenders identified under Minnesota Statutes, section 609.115, subdivision 9. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: July 1, 1993 Contact: Adult Mental Health Division Status: The rule is current, 9505.0030 repealed in 2007.

## **Chapter 9571: Community Action Programs**

## **Title: Community Action Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 9571.0010-9571.0180 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None Purpose: Sets procedures for the designation and recognition of community action agencies and for the granting of funds for community action programs. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: January 6, 2009 Contact: Economic Opportunity Status: Current.

# Chapter 2960: Licensure and Certification of Program for Children (Joint with the Minnesota Department of Corrections)

## **Title: General Standards for Children's Residential Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.0010-2960.0220 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None Purpose: Establishes general licensing standards for residential programs serving children in out of home placements. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Certification Standards for Children's Residential CD Treatment**

#### **Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.0430-2960.0500 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None Purpose: Establishes additional certification standards for licensed residential programs providing chemical dependency treatment to children Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Standards for Shelter Care Services to Children**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.0510 -2960.0530 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None. Purpose: Establishes additional licensing standards for programs providing temporary shelter care for children. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Additional Standards for Residential Programs Providing Mental Health**

#### **Services**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.0580 -2960.0700 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None. Purpose: Establishes additional certification standards for residential programs providing mental health services to children with severe emotional disturbances. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: General Licensing Standards for Children's Foster Care Programs**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.3000-2960.3100 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None. Purpose: Establishes general licensing standards for foster care programs, including treatment foster care settings and foster residence settings. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Additional Standards for Foster Residence Settings**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.3200 -2960.3230 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None. Purpose: Establishes additional certification standards for foster residence settings which are programs staffed by shift staff. These are distinguished from family foster care homes. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division Status: Needs revision.

## **Title: Additional Standards for Treatment Foster Care**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 2960.3300 -2960.3340 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None. Purpose: Establishes additional certification standards for family foster care settings that provide treatment services to children in care. Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: September 2003 Contact: Licensing Division and Child Safety and Permanency Status: Needs revision.

Chapter 3400: Child Care Fund (Transferred from the Minnesota Department of Education)

## **Title: Child Care Assistance**

Rule part numbers in Minnesota Rules: Minnesota Rules, parts 3400.0010-3400.0235 Informal DHS Number for Rule: None.

Purpose: Sets procedures and standards for child care assistance. Rule provisions govern eligibility for the program, the application and approval process for families and providers, authorized activities, rates, overpayments, termination from the program, and appeal procedures.

Date Promulgated Or Last Amended: May 12, 2006

Contact: Child Care Assistance Status: Current.