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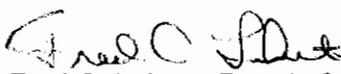
Rescission of Joint Bulletins released by OMHSAS,
OIM, and ODP

BY

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COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS BULLETIN SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO:

The Office of Developmental Programs Central Office

SCOPE:

Administrative Entity Administrators and Directors
Area Agencies on Aging
Community Residential Rehabilitation (CRR) Provider Agencies
Domiciliary Care Directors
County Mental Health/Intellectual Disability Administrators and Directors
Domiciliary Care Placement Agencies
Non-State operated Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability
Partial Hospitalization programs
Personal Care Home Operators
Private General Hospital Administrators
Providers of Intellectual Disability Services
State General Hospital Administrators
Supports Coordination Organizations

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this bulletin is to rescind outdated bulletins that were jointly issued by the Office of Developmental Programs, Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, and Office of Income Maintenance.

BACKGROUND:

Bulletins issued by Program Offices under the Department of Public Welfare (DPW) are publically available. Bulletins issued in 1985 or later may be obtained on the DPW website at the following link:
<http://www.dpw.state.pa.us/publications/bulletinsearch/index.htm>. Any ODP bulletin that is made obsolete may still be viewed on the DPW website at <http://www.dpw.state.pa.us>. A bulletin that has been made obsolete will have a (*) by the bulletin number.

DISCUSSION:

Upon a current review of bulletins, it was determined by each Program Office that the bulletins in the table below should be rescinded. These bulletins are being rescinded because they discuss procedures that do not reflect current practice.

OBSOLETE BULLETINS:

Bulletin Number	Program Offices	Subject
99-80-13	OMHSAS and ODP	PCIS Instructions for Discharged Patients
199-81-01	OMHSAS and ODP	Procedures for Charging and Collecting of Tuition Expenses for School-Age Residents in Mental Retardation and Mental Health Residential Facilities
99-83-03	OMHSAS and ODP	Creation of Base Service Units and Catchment Areas
297-84-42	OMHSAS, OIM and ODP	Elimination of the PA 162-D Form and Replacing it with the PA/FS 162 Form
99-88-4	OIM	Prevocational and Supported Employment Component Under the Community Based Services Waiver Program
OMHSAS-99-05	OMHSAS and ODP	Maximum Rates of State Participation for the County Mental Health Programs/Mental Retardation Programs