

Innovation Regulations

MHSOAC Meeting
November 21, 2013

Order of Presentation

- ▶ Changes to the Draft Regulations since the Oct 24, 2013 MHSOAC meeting
- ▶ Next Steps
- ▶ Motion

Changes to Prior Draft

- ▶ Commissioners' Suggestions from Oct 24th meeting
 - Require county to disseminate final report – page 7
- ▶ CMHDA
 - Clarify that adapting a current mental health practice to a different “population” is considered “new.”– page 4
- ▶ Staff-initiated changes
 - Non-substantive editorial – pages 1, 2, 4, 6, and 7
 - Clarifying changes – pages 6 and 7
 - Substantive change – Race/ethnicity list – page 7

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Next Steps

- ▶ Upon Commission approval, Initial Statement of Reasons and other forms necessary will be prepared and submitted to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL)
- ▶ Anticipated filing with the OAL in early January 2014 which starts 45 day public comment period
- ▶ MHSOAC hearing at end of public comment period
- ▶ Response to public comments and possible changes to regulations with additional MHSOAC meeting
- ▶ Possible additional public comment period
- ▶ Anticipated submittal of Rulemaking Record to OAL in late Spring of 2014
- ▶ OAL has 30 days to decide if Administrative Procedure Act satisfied

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Motion

The Commission approves the draft proposed Innovation regulations in substantially the form as presented by MHSOAC staff. The Executive Director is authorized to approve any necessary non-substantive changes and to submit the approved regulations with the supporting documentation required by the Office of Administrative Law and proceed as required by the Administrative Procedure Act.