

# Notice of Public Hearing

Pursuant to Section 22215 of Public Act 306 of 1969, as amended, the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) will hold a hearing on Certificate of Need (CON) Review Standards.

**Date:** Wednesday, January 22, 2014  
**Time:** 2:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Capitol View Building  
201 Townsend Street, 1<sup>st</sup> floor  
MDCH Conference Center Room B & C  
Lansing, MI 48913



## Air Ambulance (AA) Services

The proposed CON Review Standards for AA Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 1: Modified for consistency with other CON review standards. Relocation is a part of replacement.
2. Section 2: Definitions have been moved to applicable sections if only used in that section. "Medicaid" definition has been removed as it is defined in Part 222 of the Public Health Code.
3. Section 3: Removed "need" requirements for initiation.
4. Section 4: Moved from Section 5 and removed "need" requirements for replacement. Added subsection (5) as a technical edit consistent with initiation and acquisition.
5. Section 5: Moved from Section 4 and removed "need" requirements for expansion. Added subsection (4) as a technical edit consistent with initiation and acquisition.
6. Section 6: Removed "need" requirements for acquisition.
7. Section 8: Divided requirements into distinct groups consistent with other standards: quality assurance, access to care, and monitoring and reporting.
  - Under subsection (2), removed "need" based requirement for 275 patient transports annually.
8. Section 9: "Need" based methodology removed.
9. Other technical edits.

## Cardiac Catheterization (CC) Services

The proposed CON Review Standards for CC Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 2: Definitions moved to applicable Appendix.
2. Appendix B: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.

## Computed Tomography (CT) Scanner Services

The proposed CON Review Standards for CT Scanner Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 1: Modified for consistency with other CON review standards. Relocation is a part of replacement.
2. Section 2: Definitions have been modified, definitions moved to applicable sections if only used in that section, and new definitions have been added.
  - "Billable procedure" has been modified.
  - "Bundled body scan" is a new definition and is defined as "two or more body scans billed as one CT procedure."

- “CT-angio hybrid unit” is a new definition and is defined as “an integrated system comprised of both CT and angiography equipment sited in the same room that is designed specifically for interventional radiology or cardiac procedures. The CT unit is a guidance mechanism and is intended to be used as an adjunct to the procedure. The CT unit shall not be used for diagnostic studies unless the patient is currently undergoing a CT-angio hybrid procedure and is in need of a secondary diagnostic study.”
  - “Initiate a CT scanner service” has been modified as relocation is a part of replacement.
  - “Metropolitan statistical area county” is included in Appendix B.
  - “Micropolitan statistical area county” is included in Appendix B.
  - Relocation terms combined with replacement terms and/or section.
  - “Replace an existing CT scanner” modified to include relocation.
  - “Rural county” included in Appendix B.
3. Section 3: Under new subsection (4), added requirements to initiate CT scanner services as an existing host site on a different mobile CT scanner service consistent with other CON review standards.
  4. Section 4: Modified to include initiation of mobile dental CT scanner services.
    - Under new subsection (6), added requirements to initiate mobile dental CT scanner services as an existing host site on a different mobile dental CT scanner service consistent with other CON review standards.
  5. Section 6: Modified to include expansion of an existing mobile dental CT scanner service.
  6. Section 7:
    - Removed volume requirements for replacement of an existing fixed, mobile, or dedicated pediatric CT scanner.
    - New subsection (2) moved from old Section 9(1) and modified accordingly consistent with other CON review standards.
    - New subsection (3) moved from old Section 9(2) and modified accordingly consistent with other CON review standards.
  7. Section 8:
    - Removed volume requirements for replacement of an existing dental CT scanner or service.
    - New subsection (2) moved from old Section 10(1) and modified accordingly consistent with other CON review standards.
    - New subsection (3) moved from old Section 10(2) and modified accordingly consistent with other CON review standards.
  8. Section 9: Modified acquisition volume requirement of 7,500 CT equivalents for mobile to 3,500 CT equivalents consistent with required maintenance volumes.
  9. Section 10: Modified to include acquisition of an existing mobile dental CT scanner service or an existing mobile dental CT scanner.
  10. Section 11: Added requirements for a dedicated research fixed CT scanner consistent with other CON review standards.
  11. Section 12: Moved from Section 16.
  12. Section 13: Removed pilot language and made the requirements for approval of a hospital-based portable CT scanner for initiation, expansion, replacement, and acquisition a permanent part of the standards.
  13. Section 15: Added requirements for approval of a CT-angio hybrid unit for initiation, replacement, and acquisition.
  14. Section 17: Added additional requirements for approval of a mobile dental CT scanner service.
  15. Section 20: Divided requirements into distinct groups consistent with other standards: quality assurance, access to care, and monitoring and reporting.
    - Under subsection (4)(a), clarified language for maintenance volume requirements.
    - Under subsection (7), removed the reference to “pilot” program and updated language.
    - Under subsection (8), added project delivery requirements for CT-angio hybrid units.
  16. Section 22: Modified table for clarity and added “bundled body scan” with a conversion factor of 3.50 for adults and a conversion factor of 4.00 for pediatric/special needs patients.
  17. Section 23: Modified for clarity.
  18. Appendix A: Modified for consistency with other CON review standards.
  19. Other technical edits.

## **Hospital Beds**

The proposed CON Review Standards for Hospital Beds are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 4: Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
2. Appendix E: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.

## **Open Heart Surgery (OHS) Services**

The proposed CON Review Standards for OHS Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 2: Definition moved to applicable Appendix.
  - Subsection (1)(m): Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
2. Section 8(3): Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
3. Section 9(1)(a) and (e), (2)(a) and (c), and (3): Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
4. Appendix A: Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
5. Appendix B: Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
6. Appendix C: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
7. Appendix D: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
8. Appendix E: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.

## **Positron Emission Tomography (PET) Scanner Services**

The proposed CON Review Standards for PET Scanner Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 12(4): Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
2. Appendix D: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.

## **Urinary Extracorporeal Shock Wave Lithotripsy (UESWL) Services**

The proposed CON Review Standards for UESWL Services are being reviewed and modified to include the following:

1. Section 1: Modified for consistency with other CON review standards.
2. Section 2: Definitions have been moved to applicable sections if only used in that section.
3. Section 3: Modified definition as relocation is a part of replacement.
4. Section 4: Modified as relocation is a part of replacement.
5. Section 5: Moved from Section 8.
6. Section 7: Moved from Section 5.
7. Section 9: Divided requirements into distinct groups consistent with other standards: quality assurance, access to care, and monitoring and reporting.
8. Section 10: Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
9. Appendix A: Modified for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
  - Under subsection (1), updated the factor from .94 to 1.09.
  - Modified for clarity.
10. Appendix B: Moved from Section 12.
11. Appendix D: Added new Appendix for the ICD-9-CM to ICD-10-CM Code translation.
12. Other technical edits.



Oral or written comments may be presented in person at the hearing on Wednesday, January 22, 2014, or submitted in writing via online submission at:

[http://www.michigan.gov/mdch/0,4612,7-132-2945\\_5106\\_5409\\_29279-147062--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/mdch/0,4612,7-132-2945_5106_5409_29279-147062--,00.html)

Please submit written comments no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 29, 2014.

If your comment is in written form at the hearing, please provide a copy of your testimony.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Tania Rodriguez at 517-335-6708.

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