

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO CHILD WELFARE MASTER CONTRACT(S)

(FY2018 Appropriation Bill - Public Act 107 of 2017)

Not Less than 30 Days before the change takes effect

Section 531. *The department shall notify the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on the department budget, the house and senate fiscal agencies, and the house and senate policy offices of any changes to a child welfare master contract template, including the adoption master contract template, the independent living plus master contract template, the child placing agency foster care master contract template, and the residential foster care juvenile justice master contract template, not less than 30 days before the change takes effect.*



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The amended Independent Living Program (ILP) master contract has been posted to the MDHHS public website in the Master Contract Templates section at:

http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_7199---,00.html.

Changes were made to the ILP master contract. Web addresses have been updated under the Compliance Requirements section. Prudent Parent Expectations have been added to the Compliance Requirements section. The Michigan Opioid Laws have been added to the Additional Compliance Provisions subsection. The Audit Requirements, Financial Audit Requirements, Cost Reporting, Recover of Funding and Repayment of Debts, Billing and Criminal Background Check sections have all been updated with minor programmatic and administrative changes. Under Payments, the process for submission of payment requests related to training has been revised. The Performance Evaluation and Monitoring section has been updated to include interim or renewal licensing studies. Attachment A, Glossary of Acronyms and Forms has been updated. The word "Agreement" has been replaced with "Contract" throughout the template.

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The amended Residential Foster Care Short Term Assessment (RFCST) master contract has been posted to the MDHHS public website in the Master Contract Templates section at: http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_7199---,00.html.

Changes were made to the RFCST master contract. “MDHHS case worker/PAFC” has been changed to “primary caseworker/agency or Regional Placement Unit (RPU)” throughout the template. Changes to the Referral section have been made in relation to this change. Changes have been made to the Compliance Requirements section to clarify the guidelines for Treatment planning. Under Services to be Provided, the Building Bridges Initiative (BBI) website has been added as an evidence-based intervention and practice resource for providers. Staff Education and Experience Qualifications has been revised for Therapy Services in the Staffing section. The Standardized Assessment Tools section has been updated to include administering of the assessment tool at the time of planned discharge in addition to 15 calendar days of program admission and quarterly thereafter. The Michigan Opioid Laws have been added to the Additional Compliance Provisions subsection under the Compliance section. The Audit Requirements, Financial Audit Requirements, Cost Reporting, Recover of Funding and Repayment of Debts and Billing section have all been updated with minor programmatic and administrative changes. Attachment A, Glossary of Acronyms and Forms has been revised to update acronyms. The word “Agreement” has been replaced with “Contract” throughout the template.

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The amended Treatment Foster Care (TFC) master contract has been posted to the MDHHS public website in the Master Contract Templates section at:
http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_7199---,00.html.

Changes were made to the TFC master contract. Determination of Eligibility located under the Client Eligibility Criteria section has been removed. Referrals, Intake and Placement Requirements section has been revised to update the referral acceptance and placement process. Web addresses have been updated under the Compliance Requirements section. The Michigan Opioid Laws have been added to the Additional Compliance Provisions subsection under the Compliance section. "Foster Family Based Treatment Association" has been replaced with "Family Focused Treatment Association" throughout the template. The Staff Qualifications and Requirements section has been revised to include changes to the treatment foster care pre-service training. The Foster Parent Service Standards have been revised to include changes to the Foster Parent Contact schedule. The Primary Family Responsibility section has been updated. Audit Requirements, Financial Audit Requirements, Cost Reporting, Recover of Funding and Repayment of Debts, Billing and Criminal Background Check sections have all been updated with minor programmatic and administrative changes. The word "Agreement" has been replaced with "Contract" throughout the template.

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The amended Shelter Residential Foster Care (SHFC) master contract has been posted to the MDHHS public website in the Master Contract Templates section at:

http://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_7199---,00.html.

Changes were made to the SHFC master contract. "MDHHS case worker/PAFC" has been changed to "primary caseworker/agency or Regional Placement Unit (RPU)" throughout the template. Changes to the Referral section have been made in relation to this change. Changes have been made to the Compliance Requirements section to clarify the guidelines for Treatment planning. Under Services to be Provided, the Building Bridges Initiative (BBI) website has been added as an evidence-based intervention and practice resource for providers. Staff Education and Experience Qualifications has been revised for Therapy Services in the Staffing section. The Michigan Opioid Laws have been added to the Additional Compliance Provisions subsection under Compliance. The Audit Requirements, Financial Audit Requirements, Cost Reporting, Recover of Funding and Repayment of Debts and Billing sections have all been updated with minor programmatic and administrative changes. Attachment A, Glossary of Acronyms and Forms has been revised to update acronyms. The word "Agreement" has been replaced with "Contract" throughout the template.