



Mississippi Department of Mental Health
Provider Bulletin
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Subject: 2014 DMH Operational Standards

Issue Date: October 9, 2013

Effective Date: October 9, 2013

Scope

All DMH Certified Providers

Purpose

To share the final version of the 2014 *DMH Operational Standards for Mental Health, Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Community Service Providers* (DMH Operational Standards)

Subject

The final version of the 2014 DMH Operational Standards for Mental Health, Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, and Substance Abuse Community Service Providers is now available. These Operational Standards were approved by the State Board of Mental Health on September 19, 2013. The effective date of these Operational Standards is November 1, 2013. Only electronic pdf versions of the DMH Operational Standards will be issued to providers. DMH Operational Standards will also be available on the DMH website www.dmh.ms.gov. DMH sponsored training will be scheduled with training dates and locations announced in future correspondence.

Beginning November 1, 2013, applications for new providers, new services, or new program locations will be reviewed based on the 2014 DMH Operational Standards.

Beginning January 1, 2014, DMH will review DMH Certified Providers based on 2014 DMH Operational Standards. This includes a review of revised policies and procedures based on the 2014 DMH Operational Standards.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Bureau of Quality Management, Operations and Standards.

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