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**ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES NOTICE FILING**

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EMAIL Margaret.Wilson@medicaid.ms.gov	SUBMIT DATE <b>NOV 27 2019</b>	Name or number of rule(s): Title 23: Medicaid, Part 300: Appeal, Chapter 1: Appeals, Rule 1.4: Provider Peer Review Protocol		

Short explanation of rule/amendment/repeal and reason(s) for proposing rule/amendment/repeal: Reason for Filing To incorporate the review process of the new UM/QIO which (1) replaces "healthcare provider" with "provider" in the Rule name and throughout the document, (2) replaces the requirement for a peer review panel with a peer review consultant, (3) increases the peer review levels to IV by adding a Request for Reconsideration Review, and (4) other minor edits to the language. Specific legal authority authorizing the promulgation of rule: 42 U.S.C. Section 1320c et seq.; 42. C.F.R. §§ 455 Subpart A; Miss. Code Ann. §§ 43-13-117, 43-13-121.

List all rules repealed, amended, or suspended by the proposed rule: 1.4

**ORAL PROCEEDING:**

- An oral proceeding is scheduled for this rule on Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Place: \_\_\_\_\_
- Presently, an oral proceeding is not scheduled on this rule.

If an oral proceeding is not scheduled, an oral proceeding must be held if a written request for an oral proceeding is submitted by a political subdivision, an agency or ten (10) or more persons. The written request should be submitted to the agency contact person at the above address within twenty (20) days after the filing of this notice of proposed rule adoption and should include the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the person(s) making the request; and, if you are an agent or attorney, the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the party or parties you represent. At any time within the twenty-five (25) day public comment period, written submissions including arguments, data, and views on the proposed rule/amendment/repeal may be submitted to the filing agency.


**ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:**

- Economic impact statement not required for this rule.  Concise summary of economic impact statement attached.

<p align="center"><b>TEMPORARY RULES</b></p> <p>____ Original filing                  ____ Renewal of effectiveness                  To be in effect in ____ days                  Effective date:                  ____ Immediately upon filing                  ____ Other (specify): _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>PROPOSED ACTION ON RULES</b></p> <p>Action proposed:                  ____ New rule(s)                  ____ Amendment to existing rule(s)                  ____ Repeal of existing rule(s)                  ____ Adoption by reference  <b>Proposed final effective date:</b>                  ____ 30 days after filing                  ____ Other (specify): _____</p>	<p align="center"><b>FINAL ACTION ON RULES</b></p> <p>Date Proposed Rule Filed: <b>NOV 01 2019</b>  <b>Action taken:</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted with no changes in text                  ____ Adopted with changes                  ____ Adopted by reference                  ____ Withdrawn                  ____ Repeal adopted as proposed  <b>Effective date:</b>                  ____ 30 days after filing  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <b>JAN 01 2020</b></p>
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Printed name and Title of person authorized to file rules: Drew L. Snyder, Executive Director

Signature of person authorized to file rules: 

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The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.