# Description and information about Administrative Regulations filed for April 15 filing deadline:

### These administrative regulations were filed immediately prior to February 15, 2021:

## 1. 907 KAR 1:038. Hearing Program coverage provisions and requirements.

A. This new administrative regulation was filed with the LRC prior to April 15, 2021.

B. **Summary of administrative Regulation:** 907 KAR 1:038. Hearing Program coverage provisions and requirements. This administrative regulation establishes the Medicaid Program's service and coverage provisions and requirements. The amendments change this administrative regulation by allowing for testing and evaluation of recipients older than twenty-one (21) years of age. In addition, the regulation clarifies that an in-office visit to a physician is not necessary for a referral to an audiologist to occur. Finally, the incorporation by reference section is deleted from this administrative regulation.

C. The administrative regulation may be accessed at the LRC website here: <u>https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/law/kar/TITLE907.HTM</u>

D. Information about public hearing and public comment period for this administrative regulation. A public hearing on this administrative regulation shall, if requested, be held on June 28, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. using the CHFS Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs Zoom meeting room. The Zoom invitation will be emailed to each requestor the week prior to the scheduled hearing. Individuals interested in attending this virtual hearing shall notify this agency in writing by June 21, 2021, five (5) workdays prior to the hearing, of their intent to attend. If no notification of intent to attend the hearing is received by that date, the hearing may be canceled. This hearing is open to the public. Any person who attends virtually will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposed administrative regulation. A transcript of the public hearing will not be made unless a written request for a transcript is made. If you do not wish to be heard at the public hearing, you may submit written comments on this proposed administrative regulation until June 30, 2021. Send written notification of intent to attend the public hearing or written comments on the proposed administrative regulation to the contact person. Pursuant to KRS 13A.280(8), copies of the statement of consideration and, if applicable, the amended after comments version of the administrative regulation shall be made available upon request. CONTACT PERSON: Krista Quarles, Policy Advisor, Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs, 275 East Main Street 5 W-A, Frankfort, KY 40621; Phone: 502-564-6746; Fax: 502-564-7091; CHFSregs@ky.gov.

### 2. 907 KAR 3:060. Ambulance provider assessment program.

A. This regulation was filed with the LRC prior to April 15, 2021.

B. **Summary of administrative Regulation:** 907 KAR 3:060. Ambulance provider assessment program. This administrative regulation establishes the Department for Medicaid Services

(DMS) ambulance provider assessment program. This administrative regulation serves to implement HB 8 from the 2020 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly. Specifically, DMS is required to calculate annual assessment amounts, make monthly payments for Medicaid fee-for-service ambulance transports, and an annual reconciling payment. The administrative regulation also requires DMS to distribute supplemental payments to qualifying ambulance providers by means of a monthly supplemental capitation payment to managed care organizations (MCOs). The MCOs then forward the payments to the qualifying ambulance providers. The MCOs are required to remit the payment within 5 days, and failure to forward the entire payment within 5 days will result in the department assessing penalties. The administrative regulation also establishes requirements relating to the ambulance assessments, and establishes departmental actions when a payment is not received in a timely manner.

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