Department of Health and Human Services Population Health and Community Services Administrative Rules for Definition of Infectious Agents Rule Set 2020-41 HS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Wednesday, September 2, 2020 09:00 AM

VIA ZOOM: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6694057377?pwd=UE4wdTUwY2ZTSzA10EVSenpPWnpFQT09

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The Department of Health and Human Services will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Definition of Infectious Agents rule set.

The purpose of this rule is to assist physicians and other medical personnel with the most up-to-date listing of infectious disease agents that must be reported to a funeral director and/or a medical examiner. See MCL 333.2843b. In addition to adding COVID-19 to the list, MDHHS will create a link on its website to update and add infectious diseases for physicians and other medical personnel as a timely resource for the most up-to-date reportable diseases.

By authority conferred on the Department of Health and Human Services by sections 2221, 2226, 2233, 2253, and 2262 of the public health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.2221, 333.2226, 333.2233, 333.2253, and 333.2262, and Executive Reorganization Order No. 2015-1, MCL 400.227 These rules will take effect Immediately after filing with the Secretary of State. The rules are published on the Michigan Government web site at http://www.michigan.gov/moahr and in the Michigan Register in the 9/1/2020 issue. Copies of the draft rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic transmission at the following address:

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Comments on the rules may be made in person at the hearing or by mail or electronic mail until 9/4/2020 at 05:00PM.

The public hearing will be conducted in compliance with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act, in accessible buildings with handicap parking available. Anyone needing assistance to take part in the hearings due to disability may call 269-337-3744 to make arrangements.