

Department of Health and Human Services  
Public Health Administration  
Administrative Rules for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Reporting  
Rule Set 2022-13 HS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
Wednesday, November 6, 2024  
09:00 AM

South Grand Tower Building Room 1A  
333 South Grand Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48933

The Department of Health and Human Services will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Reporting rule set.

These new rules would establish requirements for reporting Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. ALS is a progressive, degenerative, neurological disease. These rules would establish a statewide ALS case registry based on data collection of patients with ALS, identified by neurologists, hospitals, ALS clinics, and vital records. The ALS case registry would provide data for public health surveillance and provide researchers with standardized and comprehensive data aimed at identifying risk factors and prevention strategies.

By authority conferred on the Department of Health and Human Services by sections 2226, 2233, and 5111 of the Public Health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.2226, 333.2233, and 333.5111.

The proposed rules will take effect immediately after filing with the Secretary of State. The proposed rules are published on the State of Michigan's website at [www.michigan.gov/ARD](http://www.michigan.gov/ARD) and in the 11/1/2024 issue of the Michigan Register. Copies of these proposed rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic mail at the following email address: [MDHHS-AdminRules@michigan.gov](mailto:MDHHS-AdminRules@michigan.gov).

Comments on these proposed rules may be made at the hearing, by mail, or by electronic mail at the following addresses until 11/8/2024 at 05:00PM.

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The public hearing will be conducted in compliance with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act. If the hearing is held at a physical location, the building will be accessible with handicap parking available. Anyone needing assistance to take part in the hearing due to disability may call 517-335-4276 to make arrangements.