

## OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

### Change to previous Notice of Public Hearing

The Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning is issuing a correction to LSA #24-424. Pursuant to 42 CFR § 431.408, the Indiana Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA), Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning (OMPP), is providing public notice of its intent to submit an application to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) under § 1115 of the Social Security Act seeking a five-year extension of the substance use disorder (SUD) and serious mental illness (SMI) provisions of the Healthy Indiana Plan 2.0 (HIP 2.0) Demonstration. Collectively, these provisions will be referred to as the SUD/SMI 1115. The current Demonstration is authorized through December 31, 2025. Additionally, the State will seek new authority under this submission to provide coverage to Indiana residents who are former foster care youth under age 26 who turned 18 years of age before January 1, 2023, and were in foster care under the responsibility of another state when they turned 18 and were enrolled in Medicaid at that time (Former Foster Youth). The State is seeking a July 1, 2025 effective date for the Former Foster Youth authority. The complete application, full public notice, and applicable attachments are available at [www.in.gov/fssa/hip/newsroom/public-notice/](http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/newsroom/public-notice/)

This notice provides details about the waiver extension and serves to open the 30-day public comment period, which runs from October 30, 2024, to November 29, 2024. In addition to the 30-day public comment period in which the public will be able to provide written comments to the FSSA via US postal service or electronic mail, the FSSA will host two public hearings in which the public may provide verbal comments. The November 15<sup>th</sup> hearing will allow for both virtual and in-person attendance. Hearings will be held at the following dates, times, and locations:

Hearings will be held as follows:

**(1) Friday, November 15, 2024**

Indiana State Government Center South  
Conference Room 1 – Wabash Hall  
302 West Washington St.  
Indianapolis, IN 46204  
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. EST

Virtual attendees join at this link:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1601476897?pwd=9PTMPdA89RTuQ9r8OXvWiLbfkPHY5U.1>

**(2) Wednesday, November 20**

10:00 a.m. EST  
Medicaid Advisory Committee  
Indiana State Library – History Reference Room 211  
315 W Ohio St.  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

All information regarding the SUD/SMI waiver renewal application, including the public notice, the renewal application packet, and drafts of the most recent independent evaluations are available for public review at Division of Family Resources local offices and the FSSA, Office of General Counsel, 402 W. Washington Street, Room W451, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204. OMPP will also accept written public comments until 5:00 p.m. EST on November 29, 2024. Written comments may be sent via email to: [INMedicaidGA@fssa.IN.gov](mailto:INMedicaidGA@fssa.IN.gov). Please include “SUD/SMI 1115 Extension” in the subject line. Additionally, comments may be mailed to:

Family and Social Services Administration  
Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning  
Attention: Madison May Gruthusen  
402 W. Washington St., W374  
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