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## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RULES CLEARINGHOUSE

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### CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 05-033

#### Comments

**[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated January 2005.]**

#### **2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code**

a. Section HFS 107.07 (3) should be reorganized. For example, consider providing a separate subsection on limitations for each category of service. That way, the reader will be able to more easily locate the applicable limitations on a particular type of service, such as diagnostic procedures.

b. In the plain language analysis of the rule, under the heading “Dental benefit/prior authorization,” the acronym “S-CHIP” is used without first providing the complete term. This should be included. If this is the only time the term is used in the rule, then the acronym is not needed.

#### **4. Adequacy of References to Related Statutes, Rules and Forms**

a. In Section HFS 107.07 (1m), the reference to ch. HFS 105 should be to s. HFS 105.06 (2).

b. In Section HFS 107.07 (4) (i) 3., the reference should be to sub. (3) (w).

c. In Section HFS 107.07 (4) (j), the reference should be to sub. (2) (a) 5.

**5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language**

a. Section HFS 105.01 (5) (a) 1. provides that dental hygienists may not be MA certified, except as provided under s. HFS 105.06 (2). However, s. HFS 105.06 (2) does not specify under what circumstances dental hygienists must be certified. This should be clarified.

b. In Section HFS 107.07 (3) (e) 3., insert a comma after “subd. 1.”

c. In Section HFS 107.07 (3) (e) 5., and other places in the rule, a reference is made to reimbursements that may be made once “per day.” Is this correct?

d. In s. HFS 107.07 (3) (o) and (p), the word “must” should be replaced by the word “may.”

e. In Section HFS 107.07 (4), delete the “a” at the end of the fourth line.