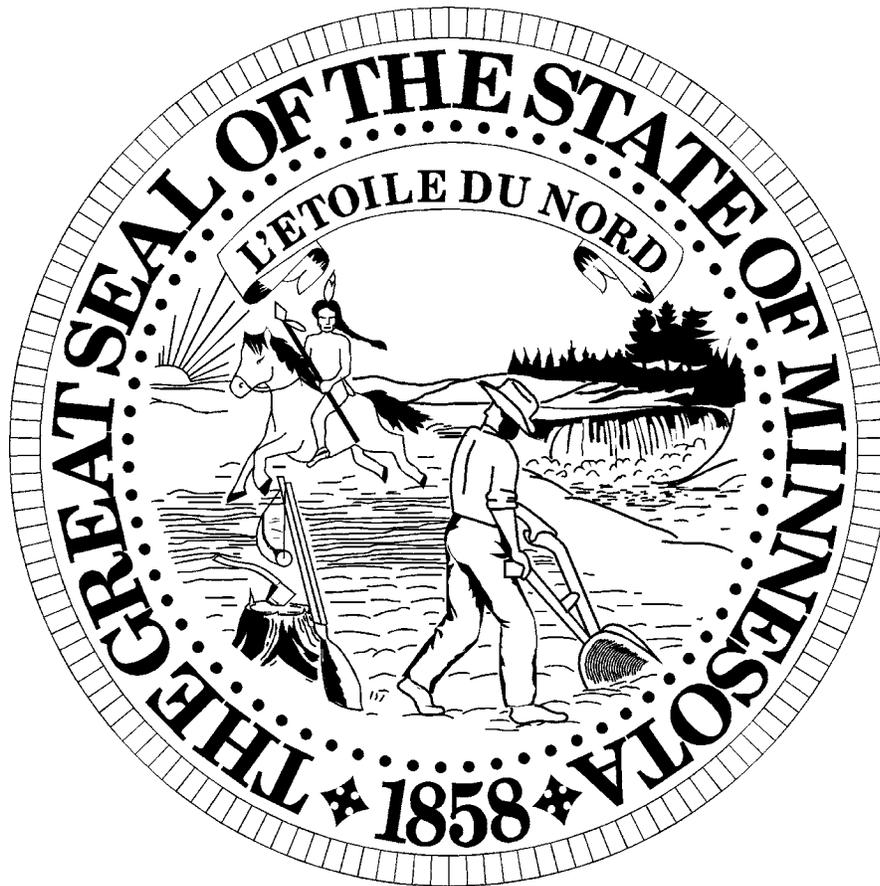


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Department of Natural Resources

Commissioner's Order – SNA Order #260: Spring Beauty Northern Hardwoods Scientific and Natural Area

Date: June 15, 2018

Statutory authority: *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033, 86A.05, subd. 5, and 97A.093

Supersedes: SNA Order # 136

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, certain lands in Cook County, Minnesota, described as:

Government Lots 6 and 7, Section Six (6), Township Sixty-two (62) North, Range Four (4) East,

AND

The Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$), the West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) and the West Half of the Northeast Quarter (W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section One (1), and the East Half of the Southeast Quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$) and the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Two (2), ALL IN Township Sixty-two (62) North, Range Three (3) East.

containing 600 acres, more or less, is under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources;

AND

WHEREAS, such lands contain native plant communities including undisturbed examples of mesic mafic cliff (northern), aspen-birch woodland, aspen-birch forest, upland white cedar forest, sugar maple forest (North Shore); old-growth upland cedar and sugar maple forests; rare species including small-flowered woodrush (*Luzula parviflora*), Chilean sweet cicely (*Osmorhiza berteroi*), and blunt-fruited sweet cicely (*Osmorhiza depauperata*); habitat for species in greatest conservation need such as veery (*Catharus fuscescens*), black-throated blue warbler (*Setophaga caerulescens*), and Philadelphia vireo (*Vireo philadelphicus*); and portions of the Flute Reed River, a designated trout stream.

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be protected and perpetuated in their natural state and used for educational and research purposes in such a manner as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area;

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including but not limited to *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033; 86A.05, subd. 5; and 97A.093; that the above-described lands are designated as the Spring Beauty Northern Hardwoods Scientific and Natural Area.

FURTHERMORE, the Spring Beauty Northern Hardwoods Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general educational and research activities.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of Minn. Rules 6136.0100 through 6136.0600 shall apply to the above-designated area, except that the following uses will be allowed with such limitations as Commissioner determines are necessary for protection of the values for which the site was designated: public hunting in seasons for protected game species, picnicking, picking edible berries for non-commercial purposes, and dogs.

This order takes effect upon signature publication in the State Register.

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, 6/26/2018

Department of Natural Resources

Commissioner's Order – SNA Order #261: Mississippi Oxbow Scientific and Natural Area

Date: June 15, 2018

Statutory authority: *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033, 86A.05, subd. 5, and 97A.093

Supersedes: none

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, certain lands in Itasca County, Minnesota, described as:

Government Lot 4 of Section 16, Township 53 North, Range 24 West

containing 23 acres, more or less, is under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources;

AND

WHEREAS, such lands contain native plant communities including high quality examples of Black Ash-Silver Maple Terrace Forest, Silver Maple (Sensitive Fern) Floodplain Forest, Red Oak-Sugar Maple-Basswood (Bluebead Lily) Forest, and Clay/Mud Shore (River); potential habitat for rare plants and animals and Species in Greatest Conservation need such as bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*), Blanding's turtle (*Emydoidea blandingii*), and blunt-leaved grapefern (*Botrychium oneidense*); and undeveloped shoreline and oxbows of the upper Mississippi River.

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be protected and perpetuated in their natural state and used for educational and research purposes in such a manner as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area;

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including but not limited to *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033; 86A.05, subd. 5; and 97A.093; that the above-described lands are designated as the Mississippi Oxbow Scientific and Natural Area.

FURTHERMORE, the Mississippi Oxbow Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general educational and research activities.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of Minn. Rules 6136.0100 through 6136.0600 shall apply to the above-designated area, except that the following uses will be allowed with such limitations as Commissioner determines are necessary for protection of the values for which the site was designated: public hunting, trapping, fishing, dogs on a leash or under control, swimming, and watercraft access.

This order takes effect upon signature publication in the State Register.

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, 6/26/2018

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Department of Natural Resources

Commissioner's Order – SNA Order #262: Dinner Creek Scientific and Natural Area

Date: June 26, 2018

Statutory authority: *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033, 86A.05, subd. 5, and 97A.093

Supersedes: none

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, certain lands in Becker County, Minnesota, described as:

The Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 26, Township 142 North, Range 36 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Becker County, Minnesota.

AND

The Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 34, Township 142 North, Range 36 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Becker County, Minnesota.

AND

The Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$), West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W $\frac{1}{2}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$) and Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 35, Township 142 North, Range 36 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Becker County, Minnesota.

TOGETHER WITH a 33.00 foot wide easement for driveway purposes over, under and across part of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and over, under and across part of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter in Section 35, Township 142 North, Range 36 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Becker County, Minnesota. The centerline of said 33.00 foot wide driveway easement is described as follows: Commencing at a found iron monument which designates the north quarter corner of Section 36 of said Township 142 North, Range 36 West; thence South 89 degrees 49 minutes 49 seconds West 2611.30 feet on an assumed bearing along the north line of said Section 36 to a found iron monument at the northeast corner of said Section 35; thence South 66 degrees 44 minutes 06 seconds West 1316.20 feet to the centerline of an existing public road (Cedar Lake Road), said point is the point of beginning of the driveway easement centerline to be described; thence South 85 degrees 47 minutes 57 seconds West 40.22 feet; thence westerly on a curve concave to the north, having a central angle of 16 degrees 12 minutes 40 seconds and a radius of 250.00 feet, for a distance of 70.73 feet (chord bearing North 86 degrees 05 minutes 43 seconds West); thence North 77 degrees 59 minutes 23 seconds West 388.65 feet; thence North 72 degrees 16 minutes 48 seconds West 63.71 feet; thence North 86 degrees 56 minutes 17 seconds West 123.14 feet; thence South 69 degrees 18 minutes 09 seconds West 52.93 feet; thence South 50 degrees 40 minutes 35 seconds West 177.56 feet; thence South 55 degrees 25 minutes 42 seconds West 105.60 feet; thence South 34 degrees 02 minutes 59 seconds West 171.31 feet; thence South 37 degrees 11 minutes 32 seconds West 105.74 feet; thence South 51 degrees 22 minutes 51 seconds West 395 feet, more or less, to the west line of said Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and said easement centerline there terminates. At the point of beginning of said easement centerline, the sidelines of said easement shall be prolonged or shortened to terminate on a line which bears North 28 degrees 40 minutes 53 seconds East and South 28 degrees 40 minutes 53 seconds West from said point of beginning. At the point of termination of said easement centerline, the sidelines of said easement shall be prolonged or shortened to terminate on the west line of said Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter.

containing 241.1 acres, more or less, is under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources; subject to existing easements of record.

AND

WHEREAS, such lands contain undisturbed native plant communities, such as white cedar swamp, aspen-birch-basswood forest, jack pine-yarrow woodland, red pine-white pine woodland; and habitat for sensitive plant species, such as white

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adder's mouth orchids (*Malaxis monophyllos* var. *brachypoda*) and Limestone Oak Fern (*Gymnocarpium robertianum*); and habitat for rare animal species such as bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*); and habitat for Species of Greatest Conservation Need such as yellow-bellied sapsucker (*Sphyrapicus varius*), black-backed woodpecker (*Picoides arcticus*), eastern wood peewee (*Contopus virens*), least flycatcher (*Empidonax minimus*), veery (*Catherus fuscescens*), ovenbird (*Seiurus aurocapilla*), white throated-sparrow (*Zonotrichia albicollis*), and rose-breasted grosbeak (*Pheucticus ludovicianus*).

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be protected and perpetuated in their natural state and used for educational and research purposes in such a manner as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area;

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including but not limited to *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033; 86A.05, subd. 5; and 97A.093; that the above-described lands are designated as the Dinner Creek Scientific and Natural Area.

FURTHERMORE, the Dinner Creek Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general educational and research activities.

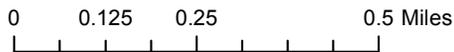
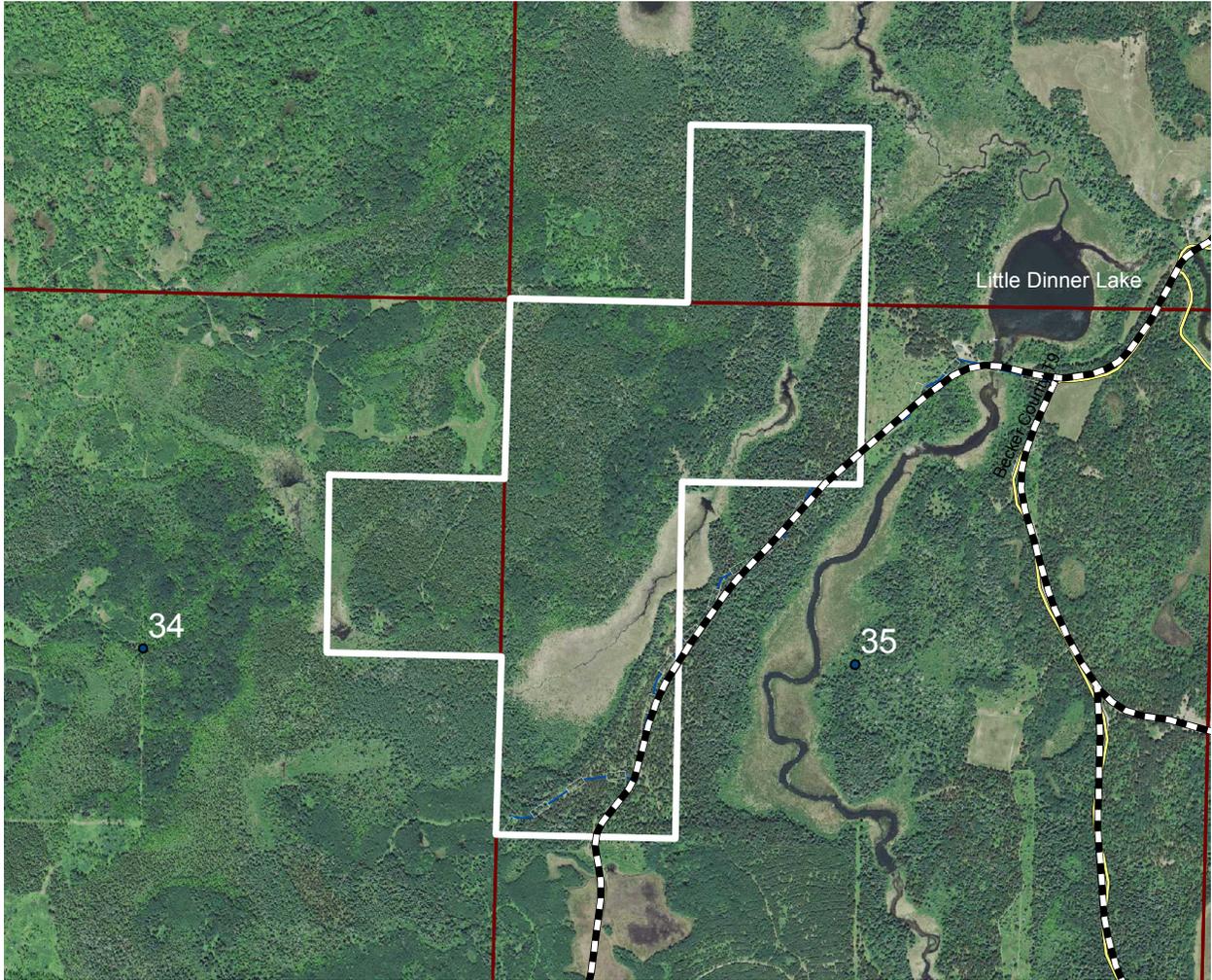
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of Minn. Rules 6136.0100 through 6136.0600 shall apply to the above-designated area, except that the following uses will be allowed with such limitations as Commissioner determines are necessary for protection of the values for which the site was designated: hunting, trapping, and dogs under control for hunting purposes during the regular season, and snowmobiles on the snowmobile trail whose location is indicated on the attached map.

This order takes effect upon signature publication in the State Register.

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner Department of Natural Resources, 6/26/2018

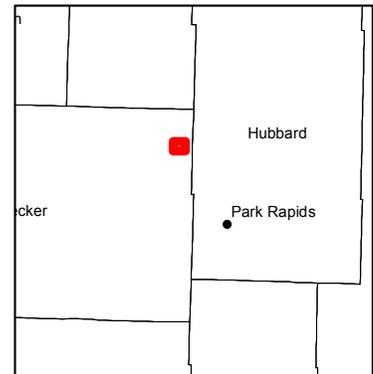
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	Dinner Creek SNA
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	Minnesota Snowmobile Trails

Locator Map



Map made by Melissa Driscoll MN-DNR 3/21/2018

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The *State Register* also publishes other official notices of state agencies and non-state agencies, including notices of meetings and matters of public interest.

Minnesota Department of Health (MDH)

Division of Health Policy

Notice of Adoption of Revised Rules: Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide for the Implementation of the ASC X12N/005010X222A1 Health Care Claim: Professional (837), version 14.0; and, Minnesota Uniform Companion Guide for the Implementation of the ASC X12N/005010X223A2 Health Care Claim: Institutional (837), version 14.0

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) has adopted into rule version 14.0 of the Minnesota Uniform Companion Guides (MUCGs) for the implementation of the following ASC X12N transactions:

ASC X12N/005010X222A1 Health Care Claim: Professional (837); and
ASC X12N/005010X223A2 Health Care Claim: Institutional (837).

For brevity and ease of reference, the MUCGs for the two transactions above are hereinafter referred to as:
837 Professional MUCG (or 837P); and
837 Institutional MUCG (or 837I).

Description of the Rules. Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536, requires the Minnesota Commissioner of Health, in consultation with the Minnesota Administrative Uniformity Committee (AUC), to promulgate rules pursuant to section 62J.61 establishing and requiring group purchasers, clearinghouses, and health care providers to exchange specified health care administrative transactions electronically, using the applicable single, uniform companion guide adopted by the Commissioner of Health. Under Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.61, the Commissioner of Health is exempt from chapter 14, including section 14.386, in implementing sections 62J.50 to 62J.54, subdivision 3, and 62J.56 to 62J.59.

Because the Commissioner of Health has determined that it is unduly cumbersome to publish the entire text of the rules, the Commissioner is publishing this notice adopting version 14.0 (v14.0) of the above referenced MUCGs. The v14.0 rules:

- Describe the data content and other transaction specific characteristics of the transactions listed above, for use by entities subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536;
- Supersede all previous versions and are effective 30 days after the publication of this notice of adoption in the *State Register*;
- Are known as Minnesota Uniform Companion Guides (MUCGs) because they are to be used in conjunction with and as companions to all applicable Minnesota and federal regulations, including 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164 (HIPAA Administrative Simplification, including adopted federal operating rules) and related ASC X12N and retail pharmacy specifications (ASC X12N and NCPDP implementation specifications);
- Supplement, but do not otherwise modify, the ASC X12N and NCPDP implementation specifications in a manner that will make their implementation by users to be out of compliance; and
- Must be appropriately incorporated by reference and/or the relevant transaction information must be displayed in any companion guides provided by entities subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.536.

Changes and Updates to Previously Adopted Rules. MDH periodically reviews and revises the rules described

above as needed with the assistance of the AUC, to ensure that the rules remain up-to-date, correct, and as clear and useful as possible. The versions of the above-referenced MUCGs most recently adopted into rule were published as version 12.0 (v12.0) and were posted at <http://www.health.state.mn.us/asa/rules.html>. The Commissioner of Health, in consultation with the AUC and its Technical Advisory Groups (TAGs), determined that it was necessary to make revisions to the v12.0 rules to ensure that they remained current, accurate, and clear.

Proposed revised versions of the rules were published as version 13.0 (v13.0) and were announced in the *Minnesota State Register*, Volume 42, Number 45, published May 7, 2018. The State Register notice also announced the start of a 30-day public comment period regarding the proposed revisions that concluded on June 5, 2018.

MDH received one comment during the public comment period, which was supportive of a proposed requirement described below for reporting National Drug Codes (NDC). MDH reviewed the comment with the AUC, and requested and obtained additional information and recommendations from the AUC regarding implementation of the NDC reporting requirement.

After reviewing all relevant information and recommendations, MDH is adopting in the v14.0 MUCGs referenced above all the revisions proposed in the v13.0 MUCGs, as summarized below. Per Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.61, the v14.0 MUCGs referenced above become effective 30 days following the publication of this announcement in the *Minnesota State Register*. At that time, the v14.0 MUCGs referenced above will supersede previous versions and will become the versions in effect.

Modifications.

The following changes are adopted in both of the above referenced v14.0 MUCGs:

The cover page has been revised to update the summary information regarding the document, including the status of the document as an adopted rule;

Section 1.6.2, Document Revision History, has been updated to add information for version 13.0 and 14.0;

Section 3.2.5, Claim Attachments and Notes, has been modified as follows:

The legislative reference in the note following the fifth bullet item has been updated to delete the “2016 Laws of Minnesota ...” reference and replace it with “Minnesota Statutes, section 176.135, Subd. 7a.” The phrase “starting January 1, 2017” has also been deleted as no longer relevant.

Section 5. List of Appendices has been modified as follows:

The entry for Table A.5.2 -- Behavioral Health Procedure Code/Modifier Combinations for Specific Benefit Packages Unique to Minnesota Government Programs has been deleted and replaced with a note stating: “The last previously adopted version of this companion guide, v12.0, included Table A.5.2, ‘Behavioral Health Procedure Code/Modifier Combinations for Specific Benefit Packages Unique to Minnesota Government Programs.’ This information is now available on the website of the **Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)** at <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/policies-procedures/minnesota-health-care-programs/provider/billing/auc-and-mhcp.jsp>.”

The revision above was adopted to ensure that medical coding and other information regarding Behavioral Health Procedure Code/Modifier Combinations for Specific Benefit Packages Unique to Minnesota Government Programs is as accurate, clear, and up-to-date as possible. These benefits, related services, and programs may often be subject to and reflect legal, policy, and operational requirements with timeframes independent of the rulemaking process and timelines for the Minnesota Uniform Companion Guides. As the most current, detailed information regarding these services, benefits, and programs is available at the DHS website above, the decision was made to direct users of the MUCG to the DHS website for this information.

Appendix A: Code Set Supplemental Information for Minnesota Uniform Companion Guides has been modified as follows:

As discussed above, Appendix A, Section A.5.2 Behavioral Health Procedure Code/Modifier Combinations for

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Specific Benefit Packages Unique to Minnesota Government Programs and related subsections A.5.2.1 and Table A.5.2 have been deleted and replaced with the statement: “The last previously adopted version of this companion guide, v12.0, included Appendix section A.5.2, ‘Behavioral Health Procedure Code/Modifier Combinations for Specific Benefit Packages Unique to Minnesota Government Programs’ and the related Table A.5.2.’ This information is now available on the website of the **Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)** at <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/policies-procedures/minnesota-health-care-programs/provider/billing/auc-and-mhcp.jsp>.”

A new Appendix D: Required Reporting of National Drug Codes (NDC) and related subsections D.1, D.1.1, and D.1.2 are adopted.

National Drug Codes provide information regarding the manufacturer, dosage, and size/type of prescription drugs that is not available through other health care billing codes. The requirement to report NDC as described in Appendix D is adopted to provide more detailed, robust prescription drug information for improved, more efficient claims processing and adjudication. In addition, the Appendix D requirements are based on and matched with similar requirements already in place for Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) administered by DHS. Moreover, during the 30-day public comment opportunity for v13.0 of the above referenced MUCGs, MDH received one comment, supporting the required reporting of NDC codes.

Note: While Appendix D is adopted in both the v14.0 837I and 837P MUCGs, as stated in the MUCGs, the NDC reporting requirement does not apply to inpatient claims.

Minor wording, formatting, and grammar-related changes have been adopted in both the v14.0 837P and 837I MUCG.

The following adopted changes are specific to the v14.0 837P MUCG:

Appendix A: Code Set Supplemental Information for Minnesota Uniform Companion Guides has been revised as described below.

Table A.5.1 Minnesota Coding Specifications for Early Intensive Development and Behavioral Intervention (EIDBI) has been deleted and replaced with a note stating: “Note: The last previously adopted version of this companion guide, v12.0, included an additional listing here as part of Table A.5.1. for ‘Minnesota Coding Specifications for Early Intensive Development and Behavioral Intervention (EIDBI).’ This information can now be found at the **Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)** website at <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/policies-procedures/minnesota-health-care-programs/provider/billing/auc-and-mhcp.jsp>.”

This revision is adopted as previously discussed above to ensure that medical coding and other information regarding EIDBI is as accurate, clear, and up-to-date as possible by directing the reader to the most current DHS information source.

Table A.5.4.a -- Public Health Nurse Clinic Services in section A.5.4 Maternal and Child Health Billing Guide for Public Health Agencies was modified. The phrase “For Evidence-Based Public Health Home Nurse Visits pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.7635, use S9123 with the U8 modifier (S9123 U8)” was added to the first row, first column of the table to account for a recent change in law resulting in the need for additional information regarding Evidence-Based Public Health Home Nurse Visits to be included on health care claims.

Table A.5.4.c – Miscellaneous in section A.5.4 was modified with a correction. The entries in the first row of the table for “99420 UC” were deleted and replaced with the corrected entries of “96161.”

Dated: July 30, 2018

Jan K. Malcolm
Commissioner
P.O. Box 64975
St. Paul, MN 55164-0975

Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Health Regulation Division – Managed Care Systems Section Notice of Application for Essential Community Provider Status

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application for designation as an Essential Community Provider (ECP) has been submitted to the Commissioner of Health by Jewish Family and Children’s Service of Minneapolis. Clinical services are offered at 5905 Golden Valley Road, Golden Valley, Minnesota, 55422.

An ECP is a health care provider that serves high-risk, special needs, and underserved individuals. To be designated as an ECP, a provider must demonstrate that it meets the requirements of *Minnesota Statutes* Section 62Q.19 and *Minnesota Rules* Chapter 4688. The public is allowed 30 days from the publication date of this notice to submit written comments on the application. The commissioner will approve or deny the application once the comment period and compliance review are complete.

For more information contact:

Anne Kukowski
Managed Care Systems Section
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651-201-5173

Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Health Regulation Division – Managed Care Systems Section Notice of Application for Essential Community Provider Status

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application for designation as an Essential Community Provider (ECP) has been submitted to the Commissioner of Health by Face to Face Health and Counseling Service, Inc. Clinical services are offered at 1156 Arcade Street, St. Paul, Minnesota, 55106.

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Department of Human Services (DHS)

Health Care Administration

Public Notice Regarding Changes to Payment Rates and Methodologies, and Services under the Medical Assistance Program and the MinnesotaCare Program

This notice is published pursuant to *Code of Federal Regulations*, title 42, part 447, section 205 (42 CFR § 447.205), which requires publication of a notice when there is any significant proposed change in the methods and standards for setting payment rates for Medicaid services.

Effective August 1, 2018, the Department shall make a one-time adjustment to a supplemental payment provided to certain safety-net hospitals. For payment years 2016, 2017, and 2018, the Department will provide an interim payment to the hospitals and then reconcile the interim payment for each payment year after calculating the total value of the supplemental payment for each payment year. This change is being made to ensure the financial stability of the affected hospitals.

This change will have no impact on MA program costs.

For more information, or questions about submitting or reviewing comments, please contact Sean Barrett at 651-431-2298 or sean.barrett@state.mn.us. Comments may also be mailed to Sean Barrett at P.O. Box 64983, St Paul, MN 55164. Copies of this notice, and any comments received, may be reviewed by appointment at the Elmer L. Anderson Human Services building located at 540 Cedar St, St Paul, MN 55101.

Minnesota Interagency Council on Homelessness

Notice of meeting

A meeting of the Minnesota Interagency Council on Homelessness has been scheduled for **Thursday, August 2, 2018, at 1:00 p.m.** The meeting will be held in the Lake Superior conference room at Minnesota Housing, 400 Wabasha Street North, Suite 400, Saint Paul, MN, 55102.

If you would like to attend the meeting or would like more information or to be notified of potential changes to the meeting location or time, please send an email to sue.hite-kirk@state.mn.us with your name, organization (if applicable), email address and day time telephone number.

Department of Natural Resources

Notice of Proposed Changes Affecting Recreational Trails and Off-Highway Vehicle Use within Kabetogama and Sturgeon River State Forests

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is considering changes to recreational trails and within Kabetogama and Sturgeon River State Forests in St. Louis County.

The proposed changes include: designating new motorized trail segments and designating existing hunter-walking trails.

Areas with new motorized trail designations are classified as “managed,” which means forest roads are open to motor vehicle use unless posted closed, and forest trails are open to motor vehicle use unless posted closed or “limited,” which means forest roads are open to motor vehicles unless posted closed, and trails are closed to motorized vehicles unless posted open. Other areas of the forests are classified as “closed.” The DNR does not propose to change the classifications.

Minnesota Statutes, section 89.19, subdivision 2 governs designations of forest trails and changes to existing designations.

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The DNR will hold an open house to present information and receive public comments on the proposed changes. The open house is scheduled for **September 26, 2018, from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM** at the Cook Community Center, 799 3rd Ave. SE, Cook, MN 55723.

Summaries of the proposals and related maps are on the DNR website at www.dnr.state.mn.us/input/mgmtplans/ohv/designation/revisions.html. Questions regarding the proposals and the public review period should be directed to:

Joe Unger, Planner
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources
500 Lafayette Road
St. Paul, MN 55155-4039
Phone: (651) 259-5584
E-mail: joe.unger@state.mn.us

Written comments on the proposals can be submitted to the above address until **4:30 p.m. on October 11, 2018**.

State Grants & Loans

In addition to requests by state agencies for technical/professional services (published in the State Contracts Section), the *State Register* also publishes notices about grants and loans available through any agency or branch of state government. Although some grant and loan programs specifically require printing in a statewide publication such as the State Register, there is no requirement for publication in the *State Register* itself. Agencies are encouraged to publish grant and loan notices, and to provide financial estimates as well as sufficient time for interested parties to respond.

SEE ALSO: Office of Grants Management (OGM) at: <http://www.grants.state.mn.us/public/>

Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED) Notice of Grant Opportunity

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED) places notice of any available grant opportunities online at <https://mn.gov/deed/about/contracts/>

Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Request for Proposal for Trainer for Increasing Partnership Through the Use of Data and Information

The Minnesota Department of Health requests proposals to provide training and other learning opportunities to Health Care Homes (HCH) learning community grantees and their partners to focus on increasing capacity of partnerships between primary care, behavioral health and local public health to use and share data to improve the health of the shared population.

It is the goal of this project that Learning Community grantees will increase and strengthen partnerships between local public health, primary care, behavioral health and community based organizations through better use of data and information. The contract will be for nine months starting in September 2018.

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Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received by mail no later than **4:30 pm CST, August 20, 2018. Late proposals will not be considered.** Email or fax proposals will **not** be considered.

The RFP can be viewed by visiting the Department of Health, Health Care Homes website:
<http://www.health.state.mn.us/healthreform/homes/collaborative/lcrequests.html>

This request does not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

Department of Human Services (DHS)

Disability Services Division

Notice of Request for Proposals for a Qualified Grantee to Provide Innovative Solutions for People with Disabilities to Achieve Integrated Life Outcomes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Human Services is requesting proposals to support innovative strategies to improve outcomes for people with disabilities, with priority for proposals serving people eligible for or receiving Home and Community Based Services, to:

- Work in rewarding jobs
- Live where they choose
- Connect with others in their communities.

Work is proposed to start January 1, 2019. For more information, or to obtain a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact:

Gaoly Yang, Innovation Grant Coordinator
Department of Human Services
Disability Services Division
P.O. Box 64967
444 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55155 0967
Phone: (651) 431-2406, Fax: (651) 431-7563
DSD.Innovation@state.mn.us

This is the only person designated to answer questions by potential responders regarding this request.

Proposals submitted in response to this Request for Proposals must be received at the email address above no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, Friday, September 14, 2018. Late proposals will not be considered.** Faxed, mailed, or hand-delivered proposals will **not** be considered.

The RFP can be viewed by visiting the Minnesota Department of Human Services RFP web site:
http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/id_000102

This request does not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

Department of Public Safety Office of Justice Programs Request for Proposals: Pathway to Policing Grants

The Pathway to Policing grants seek to support pathway to policing programs intended to bring persons with nontraditional backgrounds into law enforcement. Law enforcement agencies may apply for reimbursement grants to receive up to 50 percent of the cost of compensating and training pathway to policing participants. Reimbursement grants shall be proportionally allocated based on the number of grant applications approved by the Commissioner of Public Safety.

\$390,000 is available in one-time funding. Per participant amounts are anticipated to be up to \$15,000 but may be lower depending on the number of approved applications.

All applications must be submitted via e-grants, the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) online grants management system, at **e-grants** (<https://app.dps.mn.gov/egrants>) . Applications must be submitted by 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 12, 2018.

To view the RFP go to: **Request for Proposals**

For more information contact Claire Cambridge at claire.cambridge@state.mn.us or 651-201-7307.

State Contracts

Informal Solicitations: Informal solicitations for professional/technical (consultant) contracts valued at over \$5,000 through \$50,000, may either be published in the *State Register* or posted on the Department of Administration, Materials Management Division's (MMD) Web site. Interested vendors are encouraged to monitor the P/T Contract Section of the MMD Website at www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us for informal solicitation announcements.

Formal Solicitations: Department of Administration procedures require that formal solicitations (announcements for contracts with an estimated value over \$50,000) for professional/technical contracts must be published in the *State Register*. Certain quasi-state agency and Minnesota State College and University institutions are exempt from these requirements.

Requirements: There are no statutes or rules requiring contracts to be advertised for any specific length of time, but the Materials Management Division strongly recommends meeting the following requirements: \$0 - \$5000 does not need to be advertised. Contact the Materials Management Division: (651) 296-2600 \$5,000 - \$25,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least seven calendar days; \$25,000 - \$50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least 14 calendar days; and anything above \$50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a minimum of at least 21 calendar days.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)

Dakota County Technical College

Notice of Request for Proposal for the Desire to Purchase and Installation of Two Quincy Model QGV-60 Air Compressors and One Zeks Air Dryer

Dakota County Technical College is requesting proposals for the desire to purchase and installation of 2 new Quincy Model Air Compressors and one Zeks Air Dryer for our current pneumatic system to ensure consistent and comfortable environment management for the college.

Walkthrough's are planned for 9 am to 11 am 8/7/18. To receive a complete copy of the proposal, please email: purchasing@dctc.edu

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Proposals must be sealed with a notation on the outside of the envelope stating: Air Compressor proposal – DELIVER IMMEDIATELY

Mail or deliver (faxes and email will not be accepted) sealed proposal must be delivered no later than 12:00pm Monday, August 13th, 2018 to:

Dakota County Technical College
Purchasing Department
1300-145th Street E., Rosemount, MN 55068
Attn: Chris Hann
Phone (651)423-8405

PROPOSAL CLOSE DATE IS **Monday, August 13th 2018- 12:00P.M.**

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)

Minneapolis Community College

Request for Proposal (RFP) for Designer Selection for Student Affairs Renovation – Technology Building, floor 2

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State), on behalf of Minneapolis Community College, Minneapolis, Minnesota, is soliciting proposals from interested, qualified design consultants for the above referenced project.

A full Request for Proposals (RFP) and Predesign Reports are available on the Minnesota State website: <http://www.minnstate.edu/vendors/index.html>.

A **mandatory informational meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 2, 2018 at 10:30 am**, in Room T-1400 of the Technology building, at Minneapolis Community College, 1501 Hennepin Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN.

Proposals are due no later than **2:00 p.m. CDT, Thursday August 23, 2018**. Late responses will not be considered. Submittal details can be found in the RFP.

Minneapolis College is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)/

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Riverland Community College

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Designer Selection for: Riverland Community College – Albert Lea Campus Transportation, Trade and Industrial Education Center (State Designer Selection Board Project No. 18-05)

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of Riverland Community College, through the State Designer Selection Board, is soliciting proposals from interested, qualified consultants for architectural and engineering design services for the above referenced project.

A full Request for Proposals is available on the Minnesota Department of Administration's website at <https://mn.gov/admin/government/construction-projects/sdsb/projects/> (click 18-05).

A **mandatory informational meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 9, 2018 at 9:00 am CT at Riverland - Albert Lea campus, 2200 Tech Drive, Albert Lea, MN 56007**. Meet at front entry lobby, Door #A1.

Any questions should be directed by email only, to Brad Doss at brad.doss@riverland.edu. Project questions will be taken by this individual only. Questions regarding this RFP must be received by **Friday, August 10, 2018** no later than **4:00 PM** Central Time.

Proposals must be delivered to Jennifer Barber, Executive Secretary, State Designer Selection Board, Real Estate and Construction Services, Room 309, Administration Building, 50 Sherburne Ave., St. Paul, MN 55155 (651.201.2389) not later than **12:00 noon on Monday, August 20, 2018**. Late responses will not be considered.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Department of Human Rights Notice of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Diversion Committee Facilitator

The State of Minnesota, acting through the Minnesota Department of Human Rights, is soliciting proposals from interested, qualified consultants to provide facilitation and project management services for the Diversion Committee, a part of MDHR's Suspensions and Expulsions Initiative that addresses disparities based on race and disability status in school discipline.

The Minnesota Department of Human Rights is the state agency charged with enforcing the Minnesota Human Rights Act. The Human Rights Act prohibits discrimination in education. MDHR analyzed discipline data that school districts and charter schools submit to the Minnesota Department of Education. MDHR's analysis found disparities within protected classes in how school districts and charter schools use suspensions and expulsions. In the fall of 2017, MDHR invited 43 school districts and charter schools to meet and to enter into a settlement agreement and to develop strategies to reduce disparities in suspensions. Settlement agreements require these districts and charter schools to participate in a Diversion Committee created by MDHR in which they will share best practices to reduce suspensions and eliminate disparities, implement implicit bias training, analyze discipline data, and increase student, parent, and community engagement.

A full request for proposals and link to webinar registration is available at the MDHR website: <https://mn.gov/mdhr/news-community/employment/opportunities.jsp>.

An informational webinar is scheduled for: August 10, 2018 from 10:30 to 11:30.

The deadline to respond is **August 21, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.**

Any questions should be directed to Rowzat Shipchandler at Rowzat.shipchandler@state.mn.us. Project questions will be taken by this individual only and must be submitted by August 9 at noon.

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Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT)

Engineering Services Division

Notices Regarding Professional/Technical (P/T) Contracting

P/T Contracting Opportunities: MnDOT is now placing additional public notices for P/T contract opportunities on the MnDOT's Consultant Services website. New public notices may be added to the website on a daily basis and be available for the time period as indicated within the public notice.

Taxpayers' Transportation Accountability Act (TTAA) Notices: MnDOT is posting notices as required by the TTAA on the MnDOT Consultant Services website.

MnDOT's Prequalification Program: MnDOT maintains a Pre-Qualification Program in order to streamline the process of contracting for highway related P/T services. Program information, application requirements, application forms and contact information can be found on MnDOT's Consultant Services website. Applications may be submitted at any time for this Program.

MnDOT Consultant Services website: www.dot.state.mn.us/consult

If you have any questions regarding this notice, or are having problems viewing the information on the Consultant Services website, please call the Consultant Services Help Line at 651-366-4611, Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 4:00pm.



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