

## **Public Notice**

**March 1, 2023**

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 42 Section 441.304(f), Code of Federal Regulations, public notice is given regarding the submission of the AIDS Waiver amendment. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) requires states to obtain public input during the development of a waiver, a waiver renewal or a waiver amendment with substantive changes. Stakeholders are being asked to provide public input and comment in order to allow Missouri to submit this waiver amendment. Please see complete draft of the waiver amendment on the MO HealthNet website under Alerts and Notifications at:

<http://dss.mo.gov/mhd/> and on the Department of Health and Senior Services website at: <http://health.mo.gov/living/healthcondiseases/communicable/hivaids/casemgmt.php>.

The MO HealthNet Division (MHD) and the Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) Bureau of HIV, STD and Hepatitis (BHSH) have developed the AIDS Waiver to provide Home and Community-Based Services to MHD participants ages 21 and older with diagnoses of AIDS or HIV related illnesses.

### **Written Public Comments**

MO HealthNet will accept written public comments until the end of business day March 30, 2023. Written public comments may be mailed or e-mailed to:

**MO HealthNet Division**  
**P.O. Box 6500**  
**Jefferson City, MO 65102-6500**  
**Attn: MO HealthNet Director**  
**Email: [Ask.MHD@dss.mo.gov](mailto:Ask.MHD@dss.mo.gov)**

Complete copies of the AIDS Waiver application are available on-line at <https://dss.mo.gov/mhd/alerts~public-notice.htm>, or by request from the DHSS/BHSH Central Office; by phone at (573) 751-6246; in person at 930 Wildwood Dr., Jefferson City, MO 65102; or by mail at PO Box 570, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570. Comments will be summarized for CMS.