

## **Public Notice**

**November 20, 2020**

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 42 Section 441.304(f), Code of Federal Regulations, public notice is given regarding the submission of the Medically Fragile Adult Waiver (MFAW) application for renewal. The Centers for Medicare and 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 renewal application. Please see complete draft of the waiver application on the MO HealthNet website at: <https://dss.mo.gov/mhd/alerts~public-notice.htm>.

The MO HealthNet Division (MHD) and the Department of Health and Senior Services, Bureau of Special Health Care Needs (SHCN), have developed the MFAW Program to provide Home and Community-Based Services to MHD participants ages 21 and older that have aged out of the Healthy Children and Youth (HCY) Program, have serious and complex medical needs, and require Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (ICF/IID) level of care.

### **Written Public Comments**

MO HealthNet will accept written public comments until the end of business day December 20, 2020. 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 MFAW application are available on-line at <https://dss.mo.gov/mhd/alerts~public-notice.htm>, or by request from the DHSS/SHCN Central Office; by phone at (573) 751-6246; in person at 920 Wildwood Dr., Jefferson City, MO 65102; or by mail at PO Box 570, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570. Comments will be summarized for CMS.