



“Community Mental Health Agency Deemed Status & Certification Rules Changes”
2 December 2011 Webinar
Supplemental Questions

1. 3793:2-1-07(D) indicates that ODADAS certified agencies will have deemed status to waive certain sections of the client rights rule if we are ODMH certified. Would that mean that ODADAS is OK with us following our accrediting body right standards instead of those listed on 3793?
2. Does this include ODADAS certified services?

Please follow up with ODADAS on its rules and process regarding deemed status.

3. Can you please identify the link to the JFS billing rules?

<http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/5101%3A3-27>

4. If ODMH follows up on allegations of violations of client rights, what standards will they use - accrediting body, other?

ODMH will review the allegation in a manner that is appropriate based on the specific situation. The review of an allegation of a violation of client rights is unrelated to standards for a client rights policy or grievance procedure.

5. Was there a consumer panel advising the Department on these changes?

The November 24, 2011 amendment to Ohio Administrative Code 5122-25-03 “Deemed Status and Reciprocity” were required by changes to the Ohio Revised Code under House Bill 153 (129th General Assembly).

6. How will the change to the deemed status rule impact an agency client rights policy and grievance procedures? Do accrediting bodies require clients are informed of rights and the use of a client advocate?

ODMH will issue a separate FAQ to address questions about client rights.