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TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Renee Clack, Director, Health Care Quality
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SUBJECT: 25 TAC Chapter 448, Chemical Dependency Licensing Rules

The Department of State Health Services will hold a stakeholder meeting on Friday, July 29, 2016 from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm to discuss a revised proposed draft of the chemical dependency licensing rules found at 25 TAC Chapter 448. These proposed draft new rules are necessary to incorporate legislation passed during the 84th Regular Session of the Texas Legislature and to modify outdated licensing rules. The meeting will be held at the following location:

J.J. Pickle Research Campus
Big Tex Auditorium 1.102
10100 Burnet Road, Austin, TX 78758

PARKING PERMIT ATTACHED

The proposed *draft* rules are available on the health facilities web page for your perusal. You may access our website at: <http://www.dshs.texas.gov/facilities/draft-rules.aspx>. In addition to the proposed draft to be discussed at the stakeholder meeting on July 29, 2016, a draft tracking changes since the draft posted on May 11, 2016 is also available for your convenience. If you have further questions regarding the upcoming meeting, please contact Allison Hughes. She may be reached via telephone at (512) 834-6700 or by email at allison.hughes@dshs.state.tx.us.