An agenda will be made available at https://rad.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets by January 14, 2021. Interested parties may also obtain a copy of the agenda on or after that date by contacting Provider Finance by telephone at (512) 730-7401; by fax at (512) 730-7475; or by e-mail at RateAnalysisDept@hhsc.state.tx.us.

Written Comments. Written comments regarding the proposed topics may be submitted in lieu of, or in addition to, oral comments until 5:00 p.m. the day following the meetings, January 22, 2021. Written comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, fax, or e-mail:

U.S. Mail
Texas Health and Human Services Commission
Attention: Provider Finance, Mail Code H-400
P.O. Box 149030
Austin, Texas 78714-9030

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Attention: Provider Finance, Mail Code H-400
Brown-Healy Building
4900 North Lamar Blvd.
Austin, Texas 78751

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Preferred Communication. E-mail or telephone communication is preferred due to the current state of the COVID-19 disaster. This will ensure the fastest possible response and will help reduce the transmission of infection.

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Karen Ray
Chief Counsel
Texas Health and Human Services Commission
Filed: December 28, 2020

Department of State Health Services
Amendment Placing Oliceridine in Schedule II

The Drug Enforcement Agency issued an interim final rule placing oliceridine, including its isomers, esters, ethers, salts and salts of isomers, esters and ethers whenever the existence of such is possible, in schedule II of the Controlled Substances Act. This action was published in the October 30, 2020 edition of the Federal Register; volume 85, number 211, pages 68749-68753. This action was based on the following:

1. Oliceridine has a high potential for abuse similar to the schedule II substance morphine;
2. Oliceridine has a currently accepted medical use in the United States; and
3. Abuse of oliceridine may lead to severe psychological or physical dependence.

Pursuant to Section 481.034(g), as amended by the 75th legislature, of the Texas Controlled Substances Act, Health and Safety Code, Chapter 481, at least thirty-one days have expired since notice of the above referenced actions were published in the Federal Register. In the capacity as Commissioner of the Texas Department of State Health Services, John Hellerstedt, M.D., does hereby order the substance oliceridine be placed into schedule II.

Schedule II opiates
The following opiates, including their isomers, esters, ethers, salts, and salts of isomers, if the existence of these isomers, esters, ethers, and salts is possible within the specific chemical designation:

(1) Alfentanil;
(2) Alphaprodine;
(3) Anileridine;
(4) Bezitramide;
(5) Carfentanil;
(6) Dextropropoxyphene, bulk (nondosage form);
(7) Dihydrocodeine;
(8) Diphenoxylate;
(9) Fentanyl;
(10) Isomethadone;
(11) Levo-alpha-cetylmethadol (Other names: levo-a-acetylmethadol; levomethadyl acetate, LAAM);
(12) Levomethorphan;
(13) Levorphanol;
(14) Metazocine;
(15) Methadone;
(16) Methadone Intermediate (Other name: 4-cyano-2-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl butane);
(17) Moramide Intermediate (Other name: 2-methyl-3-morpholino-1,1-diphenylpropane-carboxylic acid);

(18) Oliceridine (Other name: N-[(3-methoxythiophen-2-yl)methyl] (2-[(9R)-9-(pyridin-2-yl)-6-oxaspirol [4,5]decan-9-yl]ethyl) amine fumarate);
(19) Pethidine (meperidine);
(20) Pethidine Intermediate-A (Other name: 4-cyano-1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine);
(21) Pethidine Intermediate-B (Other name: ethyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylate);
(22) Pethidine Intermediate-C (Other name: 1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid);
(23) Phenazocine;
(24) Piminodine;
(25) Racemethorphan;
(26) Racemorphin;
(27) Remifentanil;
(28) Sufentanil;
(29) Tapentadol; and
(30) Thiafentanil (Other name: methyl 4-(2-methoxy-N-phenylacetamido)-1-(2-(thiophen-2-yl)ethyl)piperidine-4-carboxylate).

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Texas Department of Insurance

Company Licensing

Application for Aetna Better Health of Texas, Inc., a domestic Health Maintenance Organization (HMO), d/b/a Aetna Better Health of Texas. The home office is in Dallas, Texas.

Application for incorporation in the state of Texas for Centene Venture Insurance Company of Texas, a domestic life, accident and/or health company. The home office is in Austin, Texas.

Any objections must be filed with the Texas Department of Insurance, within twenty (20) calendar days from the date of the Texas Register publication, addressed to the attention of Robert Rudnai, 333 Guadalupe Street, MC 103-CL, Austin, Texas 78701.

Texas Lottery Commission

Correction of Error

The Texas Lottery Commission published the game procedure for Scratch Ticket Game Number 2311 TRIPLE RED 777 SUPER TICKET™ in the December 18, 2020, issue of the Texas Register (45 TexReg 9332). Due to an error by the Texas Register, the trademark symbol was omitted from the name of the game throughout the notice. The correct name of Scratch Ticket Game Number 2311 is TRIPLE RED 777 SUPER TICKET™.

Scratch Ticket Game Number 2258 "MEGA LOTERIA"

1.0 Name and Style of Scratch Ticket Game.

A. The name of Scratch Ticket Game No. 2258 is "MEGA LOTERIA". The play style is "row/column/diagonal".