



Approved Bylaws Amendments

ACMHAI Business Meeting

December 8, 2023

Amendment #1

Summary

To clarify proxy voting privileges of ACMHAI member boards.

Final

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| Section
1. | All community mental health authorities established under the jurisdiction of the Community Mental Health Act (405ILCS, 20/0.1 <i>et.seq.</i>), all public health boards established under the jurisdiction of the Public health Act (55ILCS, 5/5, 25001 <i>et.seq.</i>), all boards established for the Care & Treatment of Persons With A Developmental Disability (55ILCS, 105/0.1 <i>et.seq.</i>), and such other groups authorized in Illinois Compiled Statutes 1/190-10, desiring membership, may make application to the Association. For voting purposes, any representative serving as a proxy, other than an ACMHAI member board executive staff or board member, must be submitted in writing to the ACMHAI Executive Committee 10 calendar days in advance of the meeting in which a vote will be held. |
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Amendment #2

Summary

To delete a section that no longer applies to the approval process for membership applications.

Final

Section 2. *This section is intentionally left empty to reflect section deletion.*

Amendment #3

Summary

To further clarify ACMHAI trial membership and term.

Final

Section 3. Any groups working toward passage of a referendum as referenced in Section 1 or filling a delegated community role in planning for the community mental health, substance use, or developmental or intellectual disability systems and services, or any local behavioral health authority included in Section 1 that has not previously been an ACMHAI member may be eligible for non-voting trial membership in this Association for one year.

Amendment #4

Summary

To establish a minimum dues amount at the level equal to trial membership dues.

Final

Section 5. The Association shall determine the membership fee appropriate for each category of membership based on an approved fee schedule with a minimum dues amount set at \$500.00. The membership fee schedule shall be submitted for ratification at the annual meeting. The Executive Committee may consider requests for dues modification by existing local behavioral health authorities for up to two years. Any modification of the annual dues for a local behavioral health authority must be reported at the subsequent membership meeting.