

The following Notice of Rule Making in the Legal Ads Section will run for THREE (3) consecutive days starting on Wednesday, January 29, 2014 and ending on Friday, January 31, 2014.

NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

The Arkansas Department of Human Services is issuing a new rule, DHS Policy 1082, Drug Screens and Criminal Background Checks of Providers of Certain Medicaid In-Home Care Services, the purpose of which is to implement Act 1336 of 2013 and to enhance the integrity of the Department of Human Services Medicaid program by providing for drug screens and criminal background checks of caretakers

The rule will be effective **April 30, 2014.**

An expanded Notice of Rule Making is available on the DHS website at:

<http://www.arkansas.gov/dhs/NewDHS/notices.html>.

Copies of the rule may be obtained by writing to the Office of Policy and Legal Services, P.O. Box 1437, Slot S280, Little Rock, AR 72203-1437, for those interested parties who wish the opportunity to present their views. All comments about the proposed revision must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the date appearing above or 30 days following the date of the newspaper notice, whichever is the longer period.