NOTICE OF RULE MAKING

Arkansas Department of Human Services

Pursuant to U.S. Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981, Ark. Code Ann. Sec. 25-10-101 et seq., Act 218 of 1983, and Act 348 of 1985, the Director of Division of Aging and Adult Services, Department of Human Services, proposes a new rule entitled 310 - Arkansas Family Caregiver Support Program.

Division of Aging and Adult Services (DAAS) is issuing new policy at 310 to comply with the Older Americans Act Title III, Part E. This policy establishes administration and service delivery standards for the Arkansas Family Caregiver Support Program which will allow Area Agencies on Aging to provide support to caregivers. This is mandatory by the Older Americans Act.

The policy will be effective November 1, 2016.

Copies of the rules may be obtained by writing to the Division of Aging and Adult Services, P.O. Box 1437, Slot S530 Little Rock, AR 72203-1437, or emailing daas.policy@arkansas.gov. For those interested parties who wish the opportunity to present their views, all comments about the proposed revision must be submitted in writing by September 5, 2016.

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Craig Cloud, Director

Division of Aging and Adult Services