TITLE 3: HUMAN RESOURCES DIVISION 2: HEALTH

§ 2434. Services; Requirements.

Respite services made available through the Commonwealth Respite Services Program shall:

- (a) offer access to available respite services that are built on existing community support and services that are responsive to family and caregiver's needs before families and caregivers are in crisis.
- (b) be sensitive to the unique needs, strengths, and cultural values of an individual, family, or caregiver.
 - (c) be driven by community strengths, needs, and resources.
- (d) use a variety of funds and resources, including but not limited to, legislative appropriation, DCCA/CRSP funding, federal grants, CNMI grants, community donations, private and volunteer resources, in-kind, community investments, user fees, and others.

Source: PL 14-36, § 5; repealed and reenacted by PL 20-43 § 2 (Mar. 2, 2018), modified.

Commission Comment: The Commission changed "service" to "services" and placed an apostrophe in the word "caregivers" in (a) pursuant to <u>1 CMC § 3806(g)</u>.