Administrative Code Chapter 42 Rule Revision Summary

5101:2-42-19 Requirements for the Provision of Independent Living Services to Youth In Custody

Amendment	Impact
(A) Independent living (IL) services must now be provided to each youth in custody who has attained the age of 14	This may impact current internal PCSA and PCPA processes: • Lowered the age of providing IL services to children in custody who have reached the age of 14
(C) Life skills assessment must now be completed on youth who have reached the age of 14	This may impact current internal PCSA and PCPA processes: • Effective 7/15/15 agencies have sixty days to complete a life skills assessment on children in custody who are 14 and 15 who do not have them completed • Overall lowered the age of completing the assessment to 14 or sixty days after the youth enters agency custody, whichever is first.
(D) The PCSA or PCPA shall determine which IL services are and are not applicable	This may impact current internal PCSA and PCPA processes: • Clarified that agencies shall use the life skills assessment and the eleven requirement topics (i.e. Academic support, Career preparation, budget and financial management) to determine which eleven topics apply to the child at the current time • When the IL plan is reviewed and updated, the eleven topics should be reviewed to determine their

	applicability.
(E) The plan shall be based upon the	This may impact current internal PCSA
assessment, the developmental age of	and PCPA processes:
the child	Allows the agency to consider the developmental age of the child along with other factors when writing the IL plan
(H) Requirement to provide credit checks to youth in foster care at the age of fourteen until released from custody or reach the age of emancipation.	This may impact current internal PCSA and PCPA processes: • Lowered the age of receiving credit reports to the age of 14
(I) Initial information is to be documented within the youth's first year of custody and subsequent changes to the IL plan are to be documented within 30 days in SACWIS. Added addition of medical conditions, Gender and Ethnicity to the youth's characteristics.	This may impact current internal PCSA and PCPA processes: • The documentation guidelines have been revised.