

CHAPTER 9530
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY PROGRAMS

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[For text of subps 1 to 17, see M.R.]

Subp 18 **Inappropriate and harmful use.** "Inappropriate and harmful use" means use of a chemical which exceeds social or legal standards of acceptability, the outcome of which is characterized by three or more of the following:

[For text of items A to D, see M.R.]

E. loss of friends due to behavior while intoxicated;

F. chemical use that prohibits one from meeting work, school, family, or social obligations; or

G. continued use of chemicals by a woman after she has been informed that she is pregnant and that continued use may harm her unborn child.

[For text of subp 19, see M.R.]

Subp 20 **Pathological use.** "Pathological use" means the compulsive use of a chemical characterized by three or more of the following:

[For text of items A to D, see M.R.]

E. amnesic periods for events occurring while intoxicated;

F. continuing use despite a serious physical disorder that the individual knows is exacerbated by continued use; or

G. continued use of chemicals by a woman after she has been informed that she is pregnant and that continued use may harm her unborn child.

[For text of subps 21 to 25, see M.R.]

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