

**Title 19—DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH AND SENIOR SERVICES  
Division 30—Division of  
Regulation and Licensure  
Chapter 40—Comprehensive  
Emergency Medical Services Systems Regulations**

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT**

**19 CSR 30-40.710 Definitions and Abbreviations Relating to Stroke Centers.**

The department is amending section (1).

*PURPOSE: This amendment adds virtual reviews to the definitions for stroke centers.*

(1) As used in 19 CSR 30-40.720 and 19 CSR 30-40.730, the following terms shall mean:

**(XX) Virtual review-** a type of review conducted through the use of secure virtual video and audio conferencing and secure file transfers in order to determine compliance with the rules of this chapter.

*AUTHORITY: sections 192.006 and 190.185, RSMo 20[00]16, and section[s] 190.185 and] 190.241, RSMo Supp. [2012]2022. \* Original rule filed Nov. 15, 2012, effective June 30, 2013. Emergency amendment filed November 21, 2022, effective December 7, 2022, expires June 4, 2023.*

*\*Original authority: 192.006, RSMo 1993, amended 1995; 190.185, RSMo 1973, amended 1989, 1993, 1995, 1998, 2002; and 190.241, RSMo 1987, amended 1998, 2008.*

*PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*PRIVATE COST: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with Nicole Gamm at [Nicole.Gamm@health.mo.gov](mailto:Nicole.Gamm@health.mo.gov) or Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, P.O. Box 570, Jefferson City, Missouri 65101-0570. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*