COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES-DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

EMERGENCY SERVICES BUREAU

PSYCHIATRIC MOBILE RESPONSE TEAM PROGRAM

Procedure for 5150 Designation Approval of Attending Staff of Designated Facilities

Category	I. Residents	II. Attending Staff with	III. Attending Staff without
		Admitting Privileges	Admitting Privileges
Pre-requisites	Must be in an approved psychiatric training program affiliated with an LPS Designated Facility.	 Must have been on the Attending Staff of an LPS Designated Facility for at least ninety days. Must have successfully completed all proctoring requirements and/or probationary reviews. 	 Must have successfully completed the probationary period. Must have been on the attending staff of the LPS Designated Facility f or at least six months. Must have a minimum of three years experience as a Licensed Mental Health Professional.
Requirements	 Must submit an application and signed agreement completed in full. Must attend a 4-hour LPS Designation Training Session. Must achieve a passing score of 80 on a written examination. 	 Must submit an application and signed agreement completed in full. Must take and achieve a passing score of 80 on a written examination. 	 Must submit an application and signed agreement completed in full. Must attend a DMH approved LPS Training for Attending Staff of Designated Facilities. Must take and achieve a passing score of 80 on a written examination.
Frequency of Testing	July of each year or by special arrangement.	Quarterly. (The first Session is scheduled for November 19, 1999 from 1:30-3:30 PM in the 9 th Floor Conference Room at DMH.)	Twice annually. (The first Session is Scheduled for December 7, 1999 from 8:30 AM to 5 PM at St. Anne's Center.)
Re-testing Procedure	May re-test at scheduled quarterly testing sessions.	May re-test at a subsequent quarterly testing session or attend and re-test at a scheduled LPS Designation Training Session.	May re-test at the next scheduled DMH - approved LPS Training for Attending Staff of Designated Facilities.