RESCISSION OF VHA MANUAL M-1, PART IX, CHAPTER 2, QUARTERLY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS AND CHAPTER 34, EFFICIENCY REVIEW PROGRAM

1. By direction of the Under Secretary for Health, Veterans Health Administration (VHA), VHA Manual M-1, Part IX, Staffing Guidelines and Productivity Enhancements, Chapter 2, Quarterly Reporting Requirements, and Chapter 34, Efficiency Review Program, dated April 21, 1989, are rescinded.

2. The content of this VHA manual is outdated and no longer relevant. This is now managed by the Office of Productivity, Efficiency, and Staffing (OPES) at http://opes.vssc.med.va.gov/Pages/Default.aspx; other current reporting requirements can be found in the following VHA policies:
   a. VHA Directive 1161, Productivity and Staffing in Outpatient Clinical Encounters for Mental Health Providers, dated June 7, 2013;
   c. VHA Handbook 1065.01, Productivity and Staffing Guidance for Specialty Provider Group Practice, dated May 4, 2015;
   d. VHA Directive 1351, Staffing Methodology for VHA Nursing Personnel, dated December 20, 2017;
   e. VHA Directive 1082, Patient Care Data Capture, dated March 24, 2015;
   f. VHA Directive 2010-049, Encounter and Workload Capture for Therapeutic and Supported Employment Services Vocational Programs, dated October 14, 2010; and
   g. VHA Directive 1101.05(2), Emergency Medicine, dated September 2, 2016.

3. All inquiries concerning this action should be addressed to the Office of Productivity, Efficiency, and Staffing at VHA10EEAAction@va.gov.

4. This VHA notice will be archived as of May 31, 2019. However, the rescission information will remain in effect.

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