SANILAC COUNTY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY

NUMBER: BA084

NAME: PETTY CASH POLICY

INITIAL APPROVAL DATE: 03/29/1999 BY: Audit Committee (LAST) REVISION DATE: 03/31/2008 BY: Finance Director (LAST) REVIEW DATE: 02/15/2024 BY: Policy Committee DISCONTINUED DATE: N/A REPLACED BY: N/A

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to establish petty cash funds and outline standards for usage.

II. APPLICATION

Populations: None

Programs: **Direct - ALL**

Contracted - None

III. POLICY

Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority will maintain petty cash funds, as necessary, for the purpose of making minor purchases in various programs.

IV. **DEFINITIONS**

V. STANDARDS

- 1. The CFO will be responsible for the determination of the adequacy of the petty cash fund carrying balance and the appropriateness of its use.
- 2. The responsibility for each petty cash fund will be vested in only one person.
- 3. The responsible Supervisor or the designee must approve use of the petty cash fund.
- 4. Petty cash disbursements will be evidenced by properly approved supporting data.

 Request for fund replenishment will be accompanied by supporting data and retained for audit purposes.
- 5. Established petty cash fund balances should agree with balances reported in the general ledger.
- Employee borrowing from petty cash funds for personal purposes will be prohibited.
- 7. Individuals independent of the fund activities will conduct random unannounced audits of petty cash funds.

VI. ATTACHMENTS

VII. REFERENCES