

In the Iowa Supreme Court

**In the Matter of Adopting
Chapter 70 of the Iowa Court
Rules, Rules of Juvenile Court
Services Directed Programs**

Order

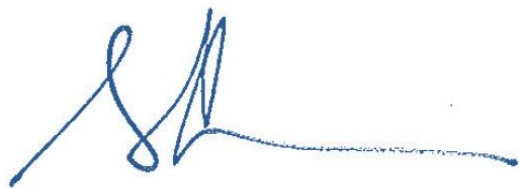
A juvenile court services workgroup was formed to help facilitate the transfer of the administration of early intervention and follow-up programs, graduated sanctions and court-ordered services, from the Iowa Department of Health and Human Services to the Iowa Judicial Branch. The workgroup proposed adding a new chapter to the Iowa Court Rules to govern the administration of these programs and services.

Prior to taking any action on the workgroup's recommendation, the Iowa Supreme Court put out the proposed rules for a sixty-day public comment period from September 9, 2022, through November 10, 2022. Two public comments were submitted for the court's review.

Following review of the public comments and upon the workgroup's recommendation, the court adopts Chapter 70 of the Iowa Court Rules without further substantive change. The new chapter 70 rules are filed in conjunction with this order and, in accordance with 2022 Iowa Acts chapter 1098, section 70, will take effect July 1, 2023.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 2022.

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By: 
Susan Larson Christensen, Chief Justice