

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE  
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: July 22, 2019  
TIME: 10:00AM  
LOCATION: 3110B, Rhodes State Office Tower

Pursuant to section 5107.05, and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the Director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to amend the rule as identified below and of a public hearing thereon due to five-year rule review.

Rule 5101:1-3-12.5, entitled "Job Search and Job Readiness Assistance," details relevant definitions and limitations when counting job search and job readiness activities toward the federal work participation rate. Changes to the rule include an update to paragraph (C)(7) which is now paragraph (C)(6)(c), the term "smoking cessation" was removed from paragraph (B)(2)(e) because a healthier lifestyle is not limited to smoking cessation, and minor grammatical changes have been made for clarity.

A copy of the proposed rule is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule at the address listed below. The rule is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. A public hearing on the proposed rule will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rule or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal and Acquisition Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298 or by e-mail at [rules@jfs.ohio.gov](mailto:rules@jfs.ohio.gov).