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**Observation of survey or inspection.**

The types of surveys or inspections that may be observed by candidates for certification as ombudsman specialist and ombudsman program director, pursuant to paragraph (A)(3)(c) of rule 173-14-04 of the Administrative Code, include nursing home licensure and certification surveys, life safety code inspections conducted under section 3721.02 of the Revised Code, adult care facility licensure inspections, and regulatory surveys of home health care agencies.

Prior to scheduling any observation of a survey or inspection, the SLTCO shall obtain permission to have the survey or inspection observed by candidates for certification from both the director of health or the designee of the director of health and the administrator or the director of the long-term care facility or provider at which the survey or inspection is to take place.

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Certification

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Date

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