

## Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

### Part A - General Questions

**Rule Number:** 173-3-01

**Rule Type:** Amendment

**Rule Title/Tagline:** Older Americans Act: introduction and definitions.

**Agency Name:** Department of Aging

**Division:**

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#### I. Rule Summary

1. **Is this a five year rule review?** Yes
  - A. **What is the rule's five year review date?** 3/26/2024
2. **Is this rule the result of recent legislation?** No
3. **What statute is this rule being promulgated under?** 119.03
4. **What statute(s) grant rule writing authority?** 121.07, 173.01, 173.02, 173.392; 42 U.S.C. 3025; 45 C.F.R. 1321.9
5. **What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify?** 173.39, 173.392; 42 U.S.C. 3002; 45 C.F.R. 1321.3, 1321.9
6. **Does the rule implement a federal law or rule in a manner that is more stringent or burdensome than the federal law or regulation requires?** No
  - A. **If so, what is the citation to the federal law or rule?** Not Applicable
7. **What are the reasons for proposing the rule?**

This rule exists to introduce Chapter 173-3 of the Administrative Code and to define terms used in the chapter.

**8. Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.**

This rule introduces Chapter 173-3 of the Administrative Code and defines terms used in the chapter. ODA proposes to amend the rule to achieve the following:

1. Define "business day" and delete the related definition of "legal holiday."
2. Define "coordination."
3. Amend the definition of "licensed practical nurse" to refer to RC §4723.01(E) and (F), which indicate that a number of licensed professionals other than an RN may provide direction or an LPN. This will widen the options that providers have for who may direct an LPN.
4. Define "older relative caregiver."
5. Turn the definitions within the definition of "provider" into stand-alone definitions.
6. Delete the January 1, 2023 sunrise provision from the definitions for "licensed healthcare professional," "licensed practical nurse," and "registered nurse."
7. Amend the definition of "unique identifier" to remove references to specific rules and to add "or as an authorization for a plan or agreement" to the end of the definition.

**9. Does the rule incorporate material by reference? No**

**10. If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.75, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.**

*Not Applicable*

**11. If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.**

*Not Applicable*

## **II. Fiscal Analysis**

**12. Please estimate the increase / decrease in the agency's revenues or expenditures in the current biennium due to this rule.**

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

\$0.00

Amending this rule will have no impact upon the biennial budget that the Ohio General Assembly established for ODA in House Bill 33 (135th GA).

**13. What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?**

This rule merely defines terms used in Chapter 173-3 of the Administrative Code. It does not create any cost of compliance to any directly-affected person or organization.

**14. Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No**

**15. Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No**

**16. If the rule imposes a regulation fee, explain how the fee directly relates to your agency's cost in regulating the individual or business.**

Not Applicable

### **III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions**

**17. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes**

**18. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? No**

**A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? No**

**B. Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? No**

**C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? No**

This rule merely defines terms used in Chapter 173-3 of the Administrative Code. It does not create any adverse impact.

- D. Is it likely that the rule will directly reduce the revenue or increase the expenses of the lines of business of which it will apply or applies? No

**IV. Regulatory Restriction Requirements under S.B. 9. Note: This section only applies to agencies described in R.C. 121.95(A).**

- 19. Are you adding a new or removing an existing regulatory restriction as defined in R.C. 121.95? No

- A. How many new regulatory restrictions do you propose adding to this rule?

Not Applicable

- B. How many existing regulatory restrictions do you propose removing from this rule?

Not Applicable

- C. If you are not removing existing regulatory restrictions from this rule, please list the rule number(s) from which you are removing restrictions.

Not Applicable

- D. Please justify the adoption of the new regulatory restriction(s).

Not Applicable