# Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis Part A - General Questions

**Rule Number:** 173-51-01

Rule Type: New

Rule Title/Tagline: Assisted living program (state-funded component): introduction and

definitions.

**Agency Name:** Department of Aging

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# I. Rule Summary

- 1. Is this a five year rule review? No
  - A. What is the rule's five year review date?
- 2. Is this rule the result of recent legislation? No
- 3. What statute is this rule being promulgated under? 111.15
- 4. What statute(s) grant rule writing authority? 173.01, 173.02, 173.543
- 5. What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify? 173.543
- 6. What are the reasons for proposing the rule?

This rule filing is part of 2 packages of rules ODA is filing on the same day. The rules in these packages regard eligibility and enrollment in the state- and Medicaid-funded components of the Assisted Living and PASSPORT Programs, the unified waiting list, and PACE. ODA is making many updates to these rules, but all are non-substantive.

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

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This rule introduces Chapter 173-51 of the Administrative Code and defines terms used throughout the chapter.

Comparted to the current rule, which ODA simultaneously proposes to rescind, the following changes are incorporated into this proposed new rule:

- (1) ODA proposes to delete the definitions for "JFS07200" and "ODM02399" from the rule because ODA proposes to no longer mention those forms in this chapter.
- (2) ODA proposes to replace "service plan" with "person-centered services plan."
- (3) ODA proposes to replace "('program')" as it occurs in the definition of "assisted living program" with "(program)."
- (4) ODA proposes to standardize the punctuation in the definitions of forms.
- (5) ODA proposes to give form ODA1115 a new effective date and to revise the form.
- 8. Does the rule incorporate material by reference? Yes
- 9. If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.71 to 121.76, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.

This proposed new rule references forms which ODA publishes on http://aging.ohio.gov/Rules#930163-forms. At any time, the general public may download any of the forms free of charge.

10. 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

11. As a result of this proposed rule, please estimate the increase / decrease in revenues or expenditures affecting this agency, or the state generally, in the current biennium or future years. If the proposed rule is likely to have a different fiscal effect in future years, please describe the expected difference and operation.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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if ODA adopts this proposed new rule, ODA estimates there will be no increase/decrease in revenue from what the Ohio General Assembly appropriated to ODA for the biennium in Am. Sub. H. B. 49 (132nd G.A.).

- 12. What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?
  - ODA estimates that this rule has no cost of compliance to any directly-affected person. It merely introduces the chapter and defines terms used throughout the chapter.
- 13. Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No
- 14. Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No

# III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions

- 15. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? No
- 16. 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

# FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

DISCLAIMER: ODA's designees use this form to estimate if an individual will be eligible for Medicaid while waiting for the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) to determine eligibility. This enables ODA and its designees to determine if an individual is eligible for the state-funded component of the PASSPORT or Assisted Living Programs while waiting for ODM's determination. This form does not replace the calculations ODM and its administrative agencies make to determine an individual's eligibility for Medicaid.

CLIENT'S-INDIVIDUAL'S NAME:		CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S ID #:				
MC	MONTHLY INCOME					
LIST	APPLICANT'S GROSS MONTHLY INCOME A	MOUNTS <del>:</del>				
	INCOME	APPLICANT INDIVIDUAL	SPOUSAL INCOME SPOUSE (MIA)			
1	Social Security/SSI			1		
2	Railroad Retirement			2		
3	Veterans			3		
4	Pensions			4		
5	Net Rental Income			5		
6	Alimony			6		
7	Child Support			7		
8	Estate or Trust Fund			8		
9	Interest Income			9		
10	Dividends			10		
11	Gross Monthly <u>Income From</u> Employment			11		
12	Other (specify)			12		
13	Total Gross Monthly Income			13		

# DECISION POINTS: COMPARE TOTAL GROSS INCOME TO INSTITUTIONAL NEED STANDARD.

**COMPARE TOTAL GROSS INCOME TO INSTITUTIONAL NEED STANDARD.** IF TOTAL GROSS INCOME IS GREATER THAN THE INSTITUTIONAL NEED STANDARD, ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE-FUNDED PROGRAM WILL NOT BE OFFERED

**► IF THE SISTER AGENCY IS NOT SURE OF ELIGIBILITY, THEY SHOULD REFER THE**INDIVIDUAL TO ODM'S ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY FOR THEIR AREA OR TO THE ONLINE APPLICATION (OHIOBENEFITS.GOV).

AT EACH DECISION POINT THAT RESULTS IN ENROLLMENT NOT BEING OFFERED, THE PAA ODA'S DESIGNEE SHALL INFORM THE APPLICANT INDIVIDUAL OF HEARING RIGHTS.

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CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S NAME: CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S ID_#:					
AS	ASSETS				
LIST	APPLICANT'S-COUNTABLE ASSETS:				
		APPLICANT	SPOUSE	JOINT	
		INDIVIDUAL (A)	(B)	(C)	
14	Cash on Hand	(-4)	(-)	(-)	14
15	Savings Account(s)				15
16	Checking Account(s)				16
<u>17</u>	Credit Union Account(s)				<u>17</u>
18	Cash Value Whole of Life Insurance				18
19	Stocks & Securities				19
20	CDs/ <del>IRAs/</del> Money Market				20
<u>21</u>	IRA/401(k) Account(s)				<u>21</u>
22	Trade-in Value/Second Car				22
23	Equity Value/Real Estate				23
<u>24</u>	Estate(s)				<u>24</u>
<u>25</u>	<u>Irrevocable Trust Fund(s)</u>				<u>25</u>
<u>26</u>	Revocable Trust Fund(s)				<u>26</u>
<u>27</u>	Revocable Pre-Need Funeral Contract				<u>27</u>
28	Total Countable Assets				28

### **DECISION POINTS:**

✓ IF APPLICANT INDIVIDUAL HAS NO SPOUSE AND TOTAL ASSETS ARE GREATER THAN
THE CURRENT ASSET STANDARD, ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE FUNDED PROGRAM WILL
NOT BE OFFERED.

**◆** IF THE **APPLICANT**-<u>INDIVIDUAL</u> IS UNABLE TO CONFIRM OR REPORT JOINT COUNTABLE ASSETS, <u>RULE 5160:1-2-10 PROHIBITS</u> ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE FUNDED PROGRAM-<u>WILL</u> NOT BE OFFERED.

**→ IF THE SISTER AGENCY IS NOT SURE OF ELIGIBILITY, THEY SHOULD REFER THE INDIVIDUAL TO ODM'S ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY FOR THEIR AREA OR TO THE ONLINE APPLICATION (OHIOBENEFITS.GOV).** 

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CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S NAME:		CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S ID_#:			
TRA	TRANSFERRED ASSETS				
<u>29</u>	DID THE INDIVIDUAL OR SPOUSE TRANSFER OWNERSHIP OF, OR GIVE AWAY, ANY ASSETS IN THE PAST 5 YEARS?	NO	YES, WHE		<u>29</u>

#### **DECISION POINTS:**

IF THE APPLICANT INDIVIDUAL OR SPOUSE (IF ANY) HAS TRANSFERRED RESOURCES

ASSETS WITHIN THE LAST 5 YEARS (60 MONTHS), ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE FUNDED PROGRAM WILL NOT BE OFFERED.

IF THE APPLICANT INDIVIDUAL OR SPOUSE (IF ANY) HAS REPORTED A TRUST, OF ANY TYPE, HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED, ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE FUNDED PROGRAM WILL NOT BE OFFERED.

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CLIENT'S-INDIVIDUAL'S NAME:		CLIENT'S INDIVIDUAL'S ID #:			
ESTIN	ESTIMATE OF MONTHLY LIABILITY PAYMENT:				
AT-AI	AT-ANY TIME THE RESULT IS <0, THEN-ENTER 0 ON ALL THE APPROPRIATE LINE(S)				
30	Enter Total <u>Gross Monthly Income <del>From from Line 13</del></u>		30		
31A	SUBTRACT: A. Special Individual Maintenance Needs Allowance (SIMNA): and		31A		
31B	B. If employed, subtract up to \$65.00 of <u>Earned gross monthly</u> income		31B		
32	2 Subtotal			32	
33	Subtract MIA <sub>7</sub> (if appropriate) from Line 55 61			33	
34	Subtotal			34	
35	Subtract FA <sub>7</sub> (if appropriate) from Line 62 68		35		
36	Subtotal		31		
37	Subtract-Health Insurance Premiums health insurance premiums (including for spouse and dependents)		37		
38	8 Subtotal			38	
39	Subtract recurring health expenses			39	
40	Subtotal		40		
41	Subtract past-due medical expenses			41	
42	ESTIMATE INDIVIDUAL'S MONTHLY LIABILITY PAYMENT		42		

## **DECISION POINTS**:

IF THE APPLICANT'S INDIVIDUAL'S ESTIMATED MONTHLY LIABILITY EXCEEDS THE ESTIMATED MEDICAID COST OF CARE, AS DEFINED IN OAC 5101:1-39-24 (B)(18) 5160:1-3-04.1(F)(3), ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE-FUNDED PROGRAM WILL NOT BE OFFERED.

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CLIENT'S-INDIVIDUAL'S NAME: CLIENT'S-INDIVIDU		CLIENT'S-INDIVIDUA	<u>L'S</u> ID_#:		
сом	COMMUNITY SPOUSAL ALLOCATION OF ASSETS				
42	2 Enter Applicant's individual's total assets from Line-22A 28A			42	
43	Enter Spouse's total assets from Line 22B 28B			43	
44	4 Enter joint assets from Line-22C 28C			44	
45	Total Countable Assets			45	
46	Subtract spousal floor allocation		-\$	46	
47	Enter result: assets available to-applicant individual			47	
48	Compare result with Medicaid asset standard (If Line 41 47 is equal to or less than \$1,500 \$2,000, the applicant individual meets the asset standard)		-\$	48	
49	Excess resources assets (Currently ineligence Medicaid)	gible for		49	

NOTE: A SPOUSAL ALLOCATION CAN OCCUR WHEN AN INDIVIDUAL HAS LEGAL OWNERSHIP OF RESOURCES ASSETS IN EXCESS OF THE MEDICAID STANDARD AND IS WILLING TO TRANSFER THAT OWNERSHIP TO THE COMMUNITY SPOUSE. MEDICAID ODM ALLOWS THIS A TRANSFER TO OCCUR TO THE SPOUSE DURING THE INITIAL YEAR OF MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY. THE INDIVIDUAL WHO IS REQUIRED TO TRANSFER RESOURCES ASSETS MUST AGREE TO COMPLETE THE TRANSFER PROCESS WITH THE CDJFS ODM'S ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY. THIS TYPE OF TRANSFER IS LEGITIMATE AND APPROPRIATE FOR MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY.

CLIEN	NT'S INDIVIDUAL'S NAME: CLIENT'S	INDIVIDUAL'S ID #	<b>#</b> :	
DETI	ERMINING MONTHLY INCOME ALLOWANCE —(MIA)	AND FAMILY ALI	LOWANCE (FA)	
50	Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance (MMMNA) Standard for Community Spouse			50
EXC	ESS SHELTER ALLOWANCE (ESA):			
51	Rent or monthly mortgage payment			51
52	Monthly property taxes			52
53	Monthly renters or homeowners insurance			53
54	Monthly condo or home owner association fees			54
55	Utility deduction	+		55
56	Total shelter costs			56
57	Subtract ESA standard	-		57
58	Excess shelter allowance (ESA) (Enter 0, if result is <0)		+	58
59	ADD LINES 44- <u>51</u> & <u>52</u> <u>58</u>		=	59
60	SUBTRACT COMMUNITY SPOUSE'S GROSS MONTHLY INCOME	<u>(</u>	-	60
61	MONTHLY INCOME ALLOWANCE (MIA) Enter result on Page 3, Line-26 33		=	61
	CULATE FAMILY ALLOWANCE (FA) IF APPLICANT INDI	VIDUAL HAS SP	OUSE AND	
62	Family allowance standard			62
63	•	0)		63
64	Multiply by number of dependents (excluding spous Subtotal	e) <b>x</b>		64
	Subtract total gross monthly income of dependents			
65	(Enter 0, If result is <0)	-		65
66	Subtotal			66
67	Divide by 3			67
68	FAMILY ALLOWANCE Also enter result on page 2, line-28 30			68

COMMUNITY SPOUSAL ALLOCATION OF ASSETS:	DATE
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