

**Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)****Department of Health**

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**3701-17-55**

Rule Number

**AMENDMENT**

TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag Line

**Qualifications and health of personnel.****RULE SUMMARY**

1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? **Yes**

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? **No**

3. Statute prescribing the procedure in accordance with the agency is required to adopt the rule: **119.03**

4. Statute(s) authorizing agency to adopt the rule: **3721.04, 3721.121**

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **3721.011, 3721.07, 3721.12, 3721.14, 3721.121**

6. State the reason(s) for proposing (i.e., why are you filing,) this rule:

ODH is filing this rule with amendment as part of the five year rule review process. The five year review of OAC rules 3701-17-50 to 3701-17-68 is due to be completed by September 28, 2012.

7. If the rule is an AMENDMENT, then summarize the changes and the content of the proposed rule; If the rule type is RESCISSION, NEW or NO CHANGE,

then summarize the content of the rule:

The rule summarizes the qualifications and requirements for personnel working in residential care facilities, including those pertaining to tuberculosis testing.

The rule has been reorganized in some areas for clarity. The requirement relating to the activities director has been amended to reflect the removal of special population language from rule 3701-17-52. Additionally, first aid training is now required within sixty days of hire, and the American Heart Association's Heartsaver First Aid course is now a recognized first aid course. Finally, language regarding when staff training by a dietitian is necessary, has been updated to reflect the industry standard of "complex therapeutic diets," rather than "special diets."

11/8/2012: Paragraph (F) has been amended to change the word "supervising" to "providing"; this change is made to avoid violating the scope of practice of dietitians.

8. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference and the agency claims the incorporation by reference is exempt from compliance with sections 121.71 to 121.74 of the Revised Code because the text or other material is **generally available** to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule, provide an explanation of how the text or other material is generally available to those persons:

The rule references sections of the Ohio Revised and Administrative Codes (ORC and OAC), and the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). The ORC, OAC and CFR are generally available in libraries and on the internet to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule.

9. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material electronically, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material electronically was infeasible:

Filing copies of state and federal law and regulations cited in the text of a rule is exempted pursuant to Revised Code 121.75 and 121.76.

10. If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material was infeasible:

*Not Applicable.*

11. If **revising** or **refiling** this rule, identify changes made from the previously filed version of this rule; if none, please state so. If applicable, indicate each specific paragraph of the rule that has been modified:

11/8/2012: Based upon testimony during the 10/30/2012 rules hearing and discussion with stakeholders during the last several weeks, ODH is proposing amendments to O.A.C. 3701-17-50, 3701-17-55, 3701-17-59, 3701-17-60, 3701-17-62, and 3701-17-67.

09/28/2012: ODH is revise filing the rules in this package in order to add the public notice; the notice was inadvertently omitted from the original filing.

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date: **9/25/2012**

(If the rule is not exempt and you answered NO to question No. 1, provide the scheduled review date. If you answered YES to No. 1, the review date for this rule is the filing date.)

NOTE: If the rule is not exempt at the time of final filing, two dates are required: the current review date plus a date not to exceed 5 years from the effective date for Amended rules or a date not to exceed 5 years from the review date for No Change rules.

### **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

13. Estimate the total amount by which *this proposed rule* would **increase / decrease** either **revenues / expenditures** for the agency during the current biennium (in dollars): Explain the net impact of the proposed changes to the budget of your agency/department.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

\$0.00

Not applicable

14. Identify the appropriation (by line item etc.) that authorizes each expenditure necessitated by the proposed rule:

Not applicable

15. Provide a summary of the estimated cost of compliance with the rule to all directly affected persons. When appropriate, please include the source for your information/estimated costs, e.g. industry, CFR, internal/agency:

3701-17-55(E) to (J): Cost borne by the facility:

Personnel providing training \$0.00 to an average of \$33.05 per hour of training session.

Coverage of personnel attending training:

\$0.00 to an average of \$11.59 per hour of training session.

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16. Does this rule have a fiscal effect on school districts, counties, townships, or municipal corporations? **No**

17. Does this rule deal with environmental protection or contain a component dealing with environmental protection as defined in R. C. 121.39? **No**

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18. Has this rule been filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office pursuant to R.C. 121.82? **Yes**

19. Specific to this rule, answer the following:

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**