

## Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

### Part A - General Questions

**Rule Number:** 4755-23-01

**Rule Type:** No Change

**Rule Title/Tagline:** Applications for initial license.

**Agency Name:** Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

**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?** 4/27/2020 and 04/01/2025
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?** 4755.411
5. **What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify?** 4755.42, 4755.421
6. **What are the reasons for proposing the rule?**

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

This rule tells applicants how to file for an initial license to practice as a physical therapist or physical therapist assistant.
8. **Does the rule incorporate material by reference?** No

9. 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*

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

This will increase revenues.

\$150,000

The Board licensed 1,065 new physical therapists and physical therapist assistants in FY 2019. The fee for an initial license is \$100. The revenue is slightly more due to abandoned applications.

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

\$100 per application submitted.

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

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

The fee supports agency operations, including payroll for the individuals who review the applications and the maintenance of the eLicense system through which applications are received.

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

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

**17. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? Yes**

**A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? Yes**

A physical therapist and physical therapist assistant are required by law to have a license.

**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? Yes**

Working without a license as a physical therapist or physical therapist assistant may subject a person to criminal charges or enforcement action.

**C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? Yes**

\$100 license fee and submission of documentation to show minimum qualifications.

**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**

The fee remains the same.