Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)

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Agency Name			

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Rule Number

AMENDMENT

Rule Title/Tag Line

Immunizations.

RULE SUMMARY

1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? No

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? Yes

Bill Number: HB119 General Assembly: 127 Sponsor: Rep. Dolan

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: **5111.02**

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **5111.01**, **5111.02**, **5111.021**

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

This rule is being proposed for amendment to incorporate fee increases budgeted in Am. Sub. H.B. 119, 127th General Assembly, because the dollars appropriated to JFS in the 600-525 account, found in section 309.10 of H.B. 119, assume the expenditures with these changes.

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:

This rule outlines coverage provisions for immunizations. The change is increasing the Medicaid maximum fee for vaccinations covered under the federal vaccines for children (VFC) program. The new Medicaid maximum fee for these vaccines will be ten dollars for dates of service on or after July 1, 2008.

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:

This rule incorporates one or more references to another rule or rules of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC). This question is not applicable to any incorporation by reference to another OAC rule or rules because such reference is exempt from compliance with ORC 121.71 to 121.74 pursuant to 121.76 (A) (3).

This rule incorporates one or more dated references to the Centers for Disease Control, the American Academy of Pediatrics, and the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, which are generally accepted industry standards. Each reference is dated and is generally available to persons affected by this rule via the internet, in accordance with ORC 121.75 (E).

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:

Not applicable.

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:

5/5/08 refiling: This rule is being refiled to change the effective date of the increase

in the reimbursement rates for vaccinations covered under the federal vaccines for children (VFC) program to July 1, 2008, for services rendered on or after that date. The response to RSFA question 13 has been changed to reflect that the fiscal impact of the proposed rule is being reported in Medicaid reimbursement rule 5101:3-1-60.

5/7/08 refiling: This rule is being refiled to clarify the only changes to the rule during the 5/5/08 refiling was changing the dates in paragraph (G) (2) of the rule to June 30,2008 and July 1, 2008. For this refiling, there are no changes to the rule. The response to RSFA question 13 is being changed to clarify where the fiscal impact of the rule can be found.

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date: 7/1/2011

(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

The estimated fiscal impact as a result of the proposed amendment to this rule is reported in Medicaid reimbursement rule 5101:3-1-60. That fiscal impact is \$226,370.00 which is reported in RSFA 13 of 5101:3-1-60 under the administration rate for vaccines covered under the federal vaccines for children program.

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

Not applicable.

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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:

There would be no new cost of compliance associated with the proposed amendment of this rule.

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**