5160-36-04 **Program of all-inclusive care for the elderly (PACE): enrollment and disenrollment.**

- (A) Individuals eligible and seeking to enroll in PACE shall enroll in the manner established in rule 173-50-03 of the Administrative Code unless paragraph (B) of this rule applies.
- (B) A participant may choose to voluntarily disenroll from PACE at any time without cause if the participant or the participant's authorized representative informs the PACE organization orally or in writing.
 - (1) Should a participant choose to voluntarily disenroll from PACE, ODA shall, prior to the participant's disenrollment, verify that the voluntary disenrollment was initiated by the individual or the individual's authorized representative.
 - (2) The voluntary disenrollment of a participant shall occur in the manner prescribed in rule 173-50-04 of the Administrative Code.
- (C) A PACE organization may <u>not</u> initiate the involuntary disenrollment of a participant if any of the following applies:
 - (1) The participant no longer meets the PACE requirements set forth in rule 173-50-02 of the Administrative Code.
 - (2) The participant meets the criteria for involuntary disenrollment set forth in rule 173-50-05 of the Administrative Code.
 - (3) The involuntary disenrollment of a PACE participant shall occur in the manner prescribed in rule 173-50-05 of the Administrative Code.
- (D) Once enrolled in PACE, an individual will not be disenrolled unless the individual requests disenrollment pursuant to paragraph (B) of this rule, moves out of state, or expires.

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