

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

PROVIDER CERTIFICATION: PARTICIPANT DIRECTION

ODA proposes to amend rules 173-39-02, 173-39-02.11, and 173-39-05 of the Administrative Code, rescind rule 173-39-02.21 of the Administrative Code and transfer the rule's text to rules 173-39-02.4 and 173-39-02.11 of the Administrative Code, and replace rules 173-39-02.4, 173-39-03, and 173-39-04 of the Administrative Code with new rules of the same number. Please review the business impact analysis (BIA) for further details.

ODA will conduct a public hearing on these rule proposals at the following place, date, and time:

Place: **Multi-Purpose Room (lobby level); 50 W. Broad Street; Columbus, OH 43215**

Date: **May 16, 2023**

Time: **10:00AM**

Any person may participate in person or online.

If participating in person, please understand that the building's security staff will require any visitor to the building to register at the security desk by showing a government-issued photo identification (e.g., a driver's license), pass through a metal detector, and allow belongings to be inspected. Please arrive early enough to complete this registration process before the hearing begins. Additionally, please follow [local advisories](#) and [CDC guidance for COVID-19 prevention](#). Participants may find area parking at street meters and area parking garages.

If participating online, [click here to join the meeting](#) from your computer or mobile device via Microsoft Teams.

To receive a response to oral testimony provided during the public hearing, the person making the oral testimony must provide ODA with their contact information and a written version of their testimony before 5:00PM on the day of the hearing. A person may email the contact information and testimony to rules@age.ohio.gov.

To provide written testimony to ODA in lieu of presenting testimony during the hearing, please email the written testimony to rules@age.ohio.gov before the day of the hearing.

To request a reasonable accommodation due to a disability, please contact Helena Carter, ADA Coordinator, 614-728-5086, hcarter@age.ohio.gov no later than seven business days before the scheduled hearing.

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