## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: April 21, 2021
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Teleconference

Due to COVID-19 precautions this meeting will be held by teleconference. If you would like to submit oral testimony, please call in at the above date and time to 1-614-721-2972. Then enter the meeting I.D. which is 210 879 217#. Written testimony may also be submitted electronically to rules@jfs.ohio.gov.

Pursuant to sections 5103.03, 5153.166 and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the amendment of the rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon. These rules are proposed for amendment as a result of the five year review process and recent legislative changes.

OAC 5101:2-5-08 entitled "PCPA and PNA Governance and Administration" provides guidance on private agency requirements for the administration of the agency. Paragraph (A)(3) was amended to remove rule chapter numbers.

OAC 5101:2-5-11 entitled "Complaint Handling" provides guidance to agencies on procedures and requirements for follow up regarding a complaint made to ODJFS regarding an incident involving the agency. Rule chapter numbers were removed from paragraphs (A)(1) and (B).

OAC 5101:2-5-17 entitled "Discharge Summary" provides guidance to agencies about the requirements of a discharge summary for a child in care. Residential facility language was removed from paragraph (A) and added to a new paragraph (E). A grammatical clarification was made in paragraph (C). Paragraph (E) also implements the new RTIS system for entering residential facility information.

A copy of the proposed rule(s) is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule(s) at the address listed below. The rule(s) is also available on the internet at <a href="http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/">http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/</a>. A public hearing on the proposed rule(s) will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony. Written testimony may also be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:rules@jfs.ohio.gov">rules@jfs.ohio.gov</a>.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rule(s) or comments on the rule(s) should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal and Acquisition Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at <u>rules@jfs.ohio.gov</u>.

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