

## LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF OHIO  
DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

Pursuant to Section 5111.02 and Chapter 119 of the Ohio Revised Code the Director of the Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to amend rule 5101:3-1-60 and of a public hearing upon the permanent rule.

Rule 5101:3-1-60 entitled Medicaid reimbursement contains provisions for reimbursing non-institutional providers. The appendix of this rule is being amended to discontinue local level codes that are not HIPAA compliant for programs including hospice and dental. HIPAA-compliant codes will replace these discontinued codes. Changes were also made to certain surgical codes if ASC providers are eligible to bill the code to reflect the current ASC group and its effective date. Also the professional/technical indicator was revised for several laboratory codes and the preoperative day indicator in the appendix (in the visit column) has been revised to coincide with an indicator in the CPT book for services that include the surgical procedure only.

A copy of the amended rule is available without charge to any person affected by it at the address listed below. The amended rules are also available on the Internet at <http://www.state.oh.us/odjfs/legal.htm>.

A public hearing on the rule will be held on October 29, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. in room 1855 of the Rhodes Office Tower, 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio. Either written or verbal testimony on the proposed rule will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than October 29, 2003 will be treated as testimony. Requests for a copy of the proposed rule or comments should be submitted by mail to Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43214-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at [legal@odjfs.state.oh.us](mailto:legal@odjfs.state.oh.us). Written comments may be reviewed at the department at the address listed above.