

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: October 22, 2010
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Room 2925, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 East Broad St., Columbus Ohio 43215

Pursuant to section 5111.02 and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC), the director of the 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.

Rule 5101:3-10-01, entitled "Eligible Providers," sets forth the provider enrollment criteria for the Ohio Medicaid Durable Medical Equipment (DME) program.

Rule 5101:3-10-13, entitled "Oxygen: Covered Services and Limitations," sets forth the provisions regarding the supply of oxygen services to Medicaid consumers by providers of DME services.

Rule 5101:3-10-26, entitled "Enteral Nutrition," sets forth the provisions regarding the supply of enteral products to Medicaid consumers by providers of DME services.

Rule 5101:3-10-31, entitled "Therapeutic Footwear for Consumers with Diabetes," sets forth the provisions regarding the supply of therapeutic footwear to Medicaid consumers by providers of DME services.

Rule 5101:3-10-32, entitled "Ostomy and Urological Supplies," sets forth the provisions regarding the supply of ostomy and urological supplies to Medicaid consumers by providers of DME services.

These rules are being amended for implementation of the Medicaid Information Technology System (MITS) that will go live on December 7, 2010, for five year rule review, and to update existing language. MITS is Ohio Medicaid's electronic claims submission interface and will be accessed through a web portal via the ODJFS website.

Copies of the proposed rules, are available, without charge, to any person affected by the rules at the address listed below and at the county departments of job and family services. The proposed rules, including the certificate of medical necessity, are also available on the internet at: <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>.

A public hearing on the proposed rules, including the certificate of medical necessity, 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 hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rules or comments on the rules should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street,

31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-0414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at rules@jfs.ohio.gov.