

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: April 20, 2005
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Room 1823, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 East Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

Pursuant to section 5111.02 and Chapter 119, of the Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the rescission of rules 5101:3-27-05 and 5101:3-30-04 and the adoption of rules 5101:3-27-05, 5101:3-27-07, 5101:3-30-04, and 5101:3-30-06 on a proposed permanent basis, and a public hearing upon the proposed rescissions and adoptions.

Rule 5101:3-27-05 entitled "Reimbursement" sets forth the methods and standards for establishing payment rates for covered services in a community mental health agency. This rule is being proposed for permanent rescission in conjunction with the permanent adoption of a new rule by the same number.

Rule 5101:3-27-05 entitled "Reimbursement and rate setting for community mental health medicaid treatment services" sets forth the reimbursement and rate setting process based on the uniform cost report for the specific medicaid covered community mental health services. This rule is being proposed for permanent adoption to make Medicaid consistent with rules filed by ODMH for Uniform Cost Reports.

Rule 5101:3-27-07 entitled "Cost reconciliation requirements for medicaid covered mental health treatment services" sets forth the cost reconciliation calculation method to be used by the Ohio department of mental health, the notification of overpayment requirement, and the repayment process for medicaid participating mental health programs. This rule is being proposed for permanent adoption to insure that Medicaid requirements are consistent with all requirements for costing, reimbursement and reconciliation.

Rule 5101:3-30-04 entitled "Reimbursement" sets forth the reimbursement through the Ohio department of alcohol and drug addiction services to eligible providers of medicaid covered treatment services. This rule is being proposed for permanent rescission in conjunction with the permanent adoption of a new rule by the same number.

Rule 5101:3-30-04 entitled "Reimbursement and rate setting for community medicaid alcohol and other drug treatment services" sets forth the reimbursement and rate setting for specific community medicaid alcohol and other drug treatment services. This rule is being proposed for permanent adoption to make Medicaid consistent with rules filed by ODADAS for Uniform Cost Reports.

Rule 5101:3-30-06 entitled "Cost reconciliation requirements for medicaid covered alcohol and drug addiction treatment services" sets forth the cost reconciliation calculation method to be used by ODADAS, the notification of overpayment requirement, and the repayment process for medicaid participating alcohol and other drug programs. This rule is being proposed for permanent adoption to insure that Medicaid requirements are consistent with all requirements for costing, reimbursement and reconciliation.

The Department estimates that the proposed rescissions and adoptions of rules listed above of the Ohio Administrative Code will not increase nor decrease the annual aggregate expenditures.

A copy of each proposed rule is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule at the address listed below. The rule is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. A public hearing on the proposed rules 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.

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 St, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at legal@odjfs.state.oh.us.