

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: September 5, 2006
TIME: 1:30 p.m.
LOCATION: Room 3110 B, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 East Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

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 5101:3-2-01, and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:3-2-01 entitled Eligible providers describes providers eligible to participate in the medicaid program and defines the provider agreement. This rule is being proposed for amendment as part of the five-year rule review. Changes include clarifying language and correcting references to other rules by including appropriate decimal points. The department estimates this amendment will have no budgetary impact and that the amendment does not change reimbursement methodologies.

A copy of the 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 rule 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 rule or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at rules@odjfs.state.oh.us.