

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

**DATE:** May 13, 2008  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM  
**LOCATION:** Rhodes State Tower, 30 East Broad Street, Room 3110B,  
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 amended rules as identified below and a public hearing thereon.

The Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 5101:3-3 is being updated in accordance with the five year rule review requirement. Technical changes are being made to include current rule references. Substantial policy changes to some of these rules will occur in the near future through the department's Money Follows the Person stakeholder process.

**5101:3-3-05, Skilled level of care (SLOC).** This rule sets forth the criteria used to determine whether an individual who is seeking Medicaid payment for long term care needs services at the skilled care level.

**5101:3-3-06, Intermediate level of care (ILOC).** This rule sets forth the criteria used to determine whether an individual who is seeking Medicaid payment for long term care services needs an intermediate level of care.

**5101:3-3-06.1, Institutions for mental diseases.** This rule defines institutions for mental diseases and is being updated to include current rule references.

**5101:3-3-07, Intermediate care for individuals with mental retardation and developmental disabilities.** This rule sets forth criteria used to determine whether an individual who is seeking Medicaid payment for long-term care services at the level of intermediate care facility for individuals with mental retardation and developmental disabilities.

**5101:3-3-08, Protective level of care.** This rule sets forth the criteria used to determine whether an individual who is seeking Medicaid payment for long term care services needs services at the protective care level.

**5101:3-3-15, In-person assessments and level of care review for Medicaid covered long term care services.** The purpose of this rule is to set forth the in-person assessment process and level of care review process for individuals who are seeking Medicaid payment for long term care services.

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, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at [rules@odjfs.state.oh.us](mailto:rules@odjfs.state.oh.us).