

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

**DATE:**            **October 27, 2009**  
**TIME:**            **1:30 P.M.**  
**LOCATION:**       **Riffe Center, 77 South High Street, Room 1932,**  
                          **Columbus, Ohio 43215**

Pursuant to sections 5111.02 and 5111.85 and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the amendment of the rule as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

5101:3-49-01, entitled Non-medicaid-funded Ohio access success project, is being proposed for amendment. The rule sets forth the application process, eligibility requirements and benefit limitations for the Ohio Access Success Project. Language requiring "a face-to-face interview between the applicant and ODJFS or its designee" is being replaced with language requiring "an assessment of the consumer's care needs in the community." Additionally, language is being added to clarify that eligibility for the Ohio Access Success Project is contingent upon, among other things, an individual's ineligibility for the HOME Choice (Money Follows the Person) Demonstration Program, as well as other services similar to the Ohio Access Success Project that are funded by the Ohio Medicaid Program.

Copies of the proposed rule are 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 the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at [rules@jfs.ohio.gov](mailto:rules@jfs.ohio.gov).