

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE  
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID**

**DATE: May 17, 2018**

**TIME: 11:00 a.m.**

**LOCATION: Lazarus Building  
50 West Town Street, Room A401  
Columbus, Ohio 43215**

Pursuant to Chapter 119. and section 5167.02 of the Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) gives notice of the Department's intent to consider the amendment of the rules identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

**Rule 5160-26-02, “Managed health care programs: eligibility and enrollment,”** is being amended to clarify which populations are excluded from managed care enrollment and to make other technical edits.

**5160-26-03, “Managed health care programs: covered services,”** is being amended to update policy related to the administration of the managed care program. The change is related to implementation of “Behavioral Health Carve-in” beginning July 1, 2018. This is when MCPs become responsible for coverage of behavioral health services provided to managed care members by community behavioral health centers certified by the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS). Paragraph (H)(3) related to the community behavioral health center requirements was removed to align with behavioral health services being “carved-in” to managed care.

The proposed rules are 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 Medicaid, Office of Legal Counsel, 50 West Town Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43218, by fax at (614) 995-1301, or by e-mail at [rules@medicaid.ohio.gov](mailto:rules@medicaid.ohio.gov). Comments received may be reviewed upon request.