

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAID

DATE: February 8, 2021

TIME: 11:00 a.m.

Teleconference Phone Number: 1-614-721-2972

Teleconference Pin: 238169382

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

Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 5160-26-02, entitled "Managed health care programs: eligibility and enrollment" sets forth the criteria for an individual to be eligible for enrollment in the managed care program. Changes to the rule include: clarification of several enrollment exclusion categories for managed care enrollment per current process and removes language requiring Managed Care Organizations (MCO) to report the birth of a newborn to a mother enrolled in managed care. Other grammatical and technical edits were made throughout.

Pursuant to Sub. H.B. 404 (133rd General Assembly), amending Section 12 of Am. Sub. H. B. 197 (133rd General Assembly), ODM will hold the public hearing for this rule package via teleconference. The phone number and pin and the date and time for this hearing are listed at the top of this Notice. All interested parties are invited to participate in the public hearing. Oral and written testimony will be accepted for this hearing and will be given the same consideration. Those who want to give oral testimony are asked to send an email to Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov no later than one hour before the hearing to be added to the witness list. There will be a final call at the end of the hearing for those who wish to offer oral testimony but are not yet on the witness list.

Written comments submitted via fax, United States Postal Service, and email that are received or postmarked no later than the day of the hearing will be accepted as testimony and become part of the hearing record. All testimony will become public record; therefore, the Ohio Department of Medicaid asks that protected health information only be included if the information belongs to the person submitting the testimony or a person for which the submitter is a legal guardian. Written testimony sent via email is highly recommended, all testimony received via email will receive a confirmation of receipt.

A copy of the proposed rule is available, without charge, to any person at the address listed below. The rules are also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. Requests for a copy of the proposed rule or comments on the rule should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Medicaid, Office of Legal Counsel, 50 W. Town Street, Suite 400,

Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 995-1301, or by e-mail at Rules@Medicaid.Ohio.gov.