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AGENCY MEMORANDUM OF RESPONSE

TO: Emily Kaylor
Director of Regulatory Policy
Ohio Lieutenant Governor's Office

FROM: Mahjabeen Qadir
Acting General Counsel
Ohio Department of Health 

RE: O.A.C. Rules 3701-8 to 3701-8-10.2 – Help Me Grow Home Visiting

DATE: October 30, 2017

Thank you for permission to go forward with original filing O.A.C. rules 3701-8-01 to 3701-8-10.2. These rules pertain to the Help Me Grow (HMG) Home Visiting Program. In accordance with the requirements set forth in Am. Sub. H.B 483 and Sub. S.B. 332, both of the 131st General Assembly, and to satisfy five-year review requirements, the Director proposes to adopt new rules 3701-8-01 to 3701-8-10, and to rescind current O.A.C. rules 3701-8-01 to 3701-8-07, and 3701-8-08.1 to 3701-8-10.1.

Besides CSI's approval, the Ohio Public Health Advisory Board voted unanimously at its September 29, 2017 meeting to recommend Director's approval to original file the package.

c: Travis Butchello, Regulatory Policy Advocate