

**Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)****Department of Job and Family Services**

Agency Name

**Division of Medical Assistance**

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Rule Number

**NEW**

TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag Line

**Ohio home care waiver: reimbursement rates and billing procedures.****RULE SUMMARY**

1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? **No**

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? **No**

3. Statute prescribing the procedure in accordance with the agency is required to adopt the rule: **119.03**

4. Statute(s) authorizing agency to adopt the rule: **5111.85**

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **5111.01, 5111.02, 5111.85**

6. State the reason(s) for proposing (i.e., why are you filing,) this rule:

This rule is being proposed to implement part of the Ohio Home Care Program redesign. This rule replaces rule 5101:3-1-06.3, in part.

7. If the rule is an AMENDMENT, then summarize the changes and the content of the proposed rule; If the rule type is RESCISSION, NEW or NO CHANGE, then summarize the content of the rule:

This rule sets forth HIPAA codes for Ohio Home Care Waiver services. It also sets

forth the reimbursement rates associated with Ohio Home Care Waiver services. The first hour of Waiver Nursing Services is being reduced by eight percent, and each subsequent hour of Waiver Nursing Services is being reduced by five percent.

8. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference and the agency claims the incorporation by reference is exempt from compliance with sections 121.71 to 121.74 of the Revised Code because the text or other material is **generally available** to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule, provide an explanation of how the text or other material is generally available to those persons:

This rule incorporates one or more references to another rule or rules of the Ohio Administrative Code. This question is not applicable to any incorporation by reference to another OAC rule because such reference is exempt from compliance with ORC 121.71 to 121.74 pursuant to ORC 121.76(A)(3).

9. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material electronically, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material electronically was infeasible:

Not applicable.

10. If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material was infeasible:

*Not Applicable.*

11. If **revising** or **refiling** this rule, identify changes made from the previously filed version of this rule; if none, please state so:

*Not Applicable.*

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date:

(If the rule is not exempt and you answered NO to question No. 1, provide the scheduled review date. If you answered YES to No. 1, the review date for this rule is the filing date.)

NOTE: If the rule is not exempt at the time of final filing, two dates are required: the current review date plus a date not to exceed 5 years from the effective date for Amended rules or a date not to exceed 5 years from the review date for No

Change rules.

**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

13. Estimate the total amount by which *this proposed rule* would **increase /decrease** either **revenues /expenditures** for the agency during the current biennium (in dollars): Explain the net impact of the proposed changes to the budget of your agency/department.

This will decrease expenditures.

\$8,000,000.

ODJFS estimates the changes being implemented by rules 5101:3-46-06, 5101:3-47-06, 5101:3-50-06, and 5101:3-12-06 (for the Ohio Home Care, Transitions MR/DD and Transitions Carve-Out Waivers, and Private Duty Nursing Services, respectively) will decrease annual aggregate Medicaid expenditures by \$8,000,000.

14. Identify the appropriation (by line item etc.) that authorizes each expenditure necessitated by the proposed rule:

600-525.

15. Provide a summary of the estimated cost of compliance with the rule to all directly affected persons. When appropriate, please include the source for your information/estimated costs, e.g. industry, CFR, internal/agency:

The estimated cost of compliance will vary based on the number of hours of Waiver Nursing Services provided to each consumer. The first hour of Waiver Nursing Services will result in an eight percent decrease in provider revenue, while subsequent hours of Waiver Nursing Services will result in a five percent decrease in provider revenue.

16. Does this rule have a fiscal effect on school districts, counties, townships, or municipal corporations? **No**

17. Does this rule deal with environmental protection or contain a component dealing with environmental protection as defined in R. C. 121.39? **No**