

**Department of
Aging**

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NOTICE

Revised, January 3, 2012

ODA is proposing to amend a small number of rules to make non-controversial corrections.

Section 119.03 of the Revised Code requires ODA to conduct a public hearing to obtain comments concerning ODA's proposed amendments to rules 173-37-01, 173-38-01, and 173-50-01 of the Administrative Code. ODA will conduct the hearing on **January 4, 2012** at 50 W. Broad Street, 10th floor; **Conference Room 10A**; Columbus, OH 43215. The hearing will begin at **11:00AM** and will continue until all parties in attendance at that time have had an opportunity to provide comment.

ODA will consolidate this public hearing with three other public hearings on January 4, 2012 to reduce the state's administrative expenses and to reduce the general public's costs associated with traveling to Columbus to participate in public hearings.

Any person may direct written comments or requests for information concerning the proposed actions to Tom Simmons, ODA's rules manager, on or before the date of the hearing by writing to rules@age.state.oh.us.

INTRODUCTION

ODA is amending three rules to make minor updates and corrections.

173-37-01 Enrollment process for the choices program.

Specifically, ODA is proposing to revise this rule to:

1. Update the reference to the PASSPORT Program found in paragraph (A) of the rule.
2. Insert "173.01" into the statutory authority section for each of the new rules because section 173.01 of the Revised Code also gives ODA authority to adopt each rule.

173-38-01 Introduction and definitions.

Specifically, ODA is proposing to amend the rule to correct a misspelled word in paragraph (B)(8) of the rule.

173-50-01 Introduction and definitions.

Specifically, ODA is proposing to amend the rule to:

1. Replace an incorrect reference to another rule in paragraph (B)(1) of the rule.

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2. Insert "173.01" into the statutory authority section of the rule because section 173.01 of the Revised Code also gives ODA authority to adopt the rule.