Long-Term Services & Supports

Mike DeWine, Governor Deborah Veley, Executive Director

NOTICE of PUBLIC HEARING

Section 119.032 of the Revised Code requires the Board of Executives of Long-Term Services and Supports (BELTSS) to review the rules of Chapter 4751 of the Ohio Administrative Code no later than the rules' assigned review dates. The rules regulate BELTSS. BELTSS is proposing to modify OAC 4751-1-05.1 and 4751-1-13.

4751-1-05.1: Rule being changed to reflect Board's new practice of requiring the Core of Knowledge course providers to successfully complete the Continuing Education approval process, and to account for holding the Core class during a COVID pandemic declared by the Governor.

4751-1-13: Rule changed to account for a COVID pandemic declared by the Governor and its effect on distance learning CEs and potentially the overall continuing education requirement upon Board action.

BELTSS will conduct a public hearing to obtain comments concerning the rule proposals on <u>Wednesday, March 17 at the following link: Join Skype Meeting</u> or join by phone at 1-614-721-2972, 140519276# (Dial-in Number). The link and more information are available on the Board's website (www.beltss.ohio.gov) under "News and Events, Rule Changes". The hearing will begin at 9:00 AM and will continue until all parties in attendance at that time have had an opportunity to provide comment.

Any person may direct written comments or requests for information concerning BELTSS' rule proposals to Deborah Veley, Executive Director of BELTSS, on or before the date of the hearing by writing to <u>dveley@age.ohio.gov</u>.

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