

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES**

DATE: 11/5/2018

TIME: 10:00 AM

LOCATION: Room 3110B, Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 East Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

Pursuant to sections 3125.25 and 3111.35 and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the director of the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the amendment of the rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

The following Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rules are being proposed for amendment as a result of a review conducted in accordance with section 106.03 of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) which requires five-year reviews of all state agency rules, and to comply with Senate Bill 70 of the 132nd General Assembly.

- Rule 5101:12-40-05, "Determination of the Existence or Non-Existence of a Father and Child Relationship," describes the requirements for a child support enforcement agency (CSEA) to determine the existence or non-existence of a father and child relationship. Revisions to the rule include changing the objection period of the administrative order from 30 to 14 days, and adding language in paragraph (D) to require a IV-D application or referral to be completed.
- Rule 5101:12-40-20, "Administrative Determination of the Existence or Non-Existence of a Father and Child Relationship," describes the process a CSEA shall follow to administratively determine the existence or non-existence of a father and child relationship. Revisions to this rule include adding language in paragraph (A) to require a IV-D application or referral to be completed, and a minor grammatical change.
- Rule 5101:12-40-20.3, "Administrative Paternity Orders," describes the requirements for a CSEA to issue an administrative paternity order. Revisions to this rule include correcting a form title in paragraph (A), adding language in paragraph (A) to refer a case to court if identical siblings are named as the alleged father, and changing the objection period of the administrative order from 30 to 14 days.
- Rule 5101:12-40-99, "Chapter 5101:12-40 Forms- Paternity Establishment" contains a compilation of forms with their effective or revised effective date, referenced within various rules contained within division 5101:12 of the Administrative Code, but first cited within Chapter 5101:12-40 of the Administrative Code. Revisions to this rule include revising the JFS 07771, JFS 07774, and JFS 07782 effective dates, and correcting the JFS 07771 form title.

Copy of the proposed rules are available, without charge, to any person affected by the rules at the address listed below. The rules are also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>.

A public hearing on the proposed rules will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for copies of the proposed rules or comments on the rules should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal and Acquisition Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e- mail at rules@jfs.ohio.gov.