

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: December 19, 2013

TIME: 10:00AM

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

Pursuant to sections 3125.25 and 5101.35 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 adoption, amendment, or rescission of the rule or rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:6-8-01, entitled, "State hearings: administrative appeal of the state hearing decision." This amended rule governs the process for appealing a state hearing decision. The rule describes the methods and requirements of requesting an administrative appeal, and explains the various outcomes of that appeal. The changes to this rule include updates to revision dates, updates to agency names, the spelling out of acronyms, and minor changes in wording and punctuation that do not affect the substance of the rule.

Rule 5101:6-8-02, entitled, "State hearings: county reviews." This amended rule governs the process for a county to appeal a state hearing decision through a process called county review. This rule explains the procedures and outcomes of the county review process. The only changes to this rule are minor wording changes in reference to the state hearings agency.

Rule 5101:6-9-01, entitled, "State hearings: further appeal rights." This amended rule describes the further appeal rights an appellant has after a state hearing decision and/or administrative review have been issued. This rule describes what cases may be appealed, contains the requirements for requesting the appeal, and explains the procedure for requesting the appeal. The changes to this rule include minor wording changes in reference to the state hearings agency, updates to addresses, updates to agency names, and minor changes in wording and punctuation that do not affect the substance of the rule.

A copy of the proposed rule(s) is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule at the address listed below. The rule is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. A public hearing on the proposed rule 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 a copy of the proposed rule(s) or comments on the rule(s) 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.