



The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

77 South High Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-6108



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The OHIO VETERINARY MEDICAL LICENSING BOARD, pursuant to Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, hereby gives notice that it will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of amending Rule 4741-1-25 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC).

Rule 4741-1-25 OAC provides guidance for those licensees who are found to be practicing impaired. The rule was amended to include a safe haven to address confidential assistance for those who have a substance abuse issue or need assistance for mental health wellness.

The hearing will be held on Wednesday, April 12, 2023 beginning at 8:30 a.m in Room 1914 at the Riffe Center, 77 South High St., Columbus, OH 43215.

Individuals intending to testify are encouraged to pre-register by sending an email to info@ovmlb.state.oh.us or calling 614-644-5281. All those wishing to provide testimony should submit a copy of their written testimony for the Board members and staff via fax at 614-644-9038 or via email to Theresa.stir@ovmlb.ohio.gov. Testimony shall be limited to five (5) minutes per person. Written testimony will be introduced into evidence. The full text of the proposed rule is available on the Board's website at www.ovmlb.ohio.gov or from the Ohio Register at www.registerofohio.state.oh.us.