

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

Part A - General Questions

Rule Number: 3701-8-10

Rule Type: Amendment

Rule Title/Tagline: Central intake and referral system.

Agency Name: Department of Health

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I. Rule Summary

1. **Is this a five year rule review?** No
 - A. **What is the rule's five year review date?** 7/1/2023
2. **Is this rule the result of recent legislation?** No
3. **What statute is this rule being promulgated under?** 119.03
4. **What statute(s) grant rule writing authority?** 3701.61
5. **What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify?** 3701.61
6. **What are the reasons for proposing the rule?**

To transition the process of determining family eligibility from home visiting providers to the central intake and referral agency with the goal of streamlining the process and ensuring families receive services in a timely manner.

7. **Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.**

The language regarding a contract manager completed required training within 30 days has been removed. Removed the language regarding early intervention services, as that program area is overseen by the Ohio Department of Development Disabilities.

Removed requirement that the local directory identifies any federal, state, county, or municipally funded home visiting program. Added language that indicates central intake and referral is responsible for determining initial family eligibility based on established eligibility criteria and that documentation of eligibility is entered into statewide data system.

8. Does the rule incorporate material by reference? No
9. If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.75, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.

Not Applicable

10. If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.

Not Applicable

II. Fiscal Analysis

11. Please estimate the increase / decrease in the agency's revenues or expenditures in the current biennium due to this rule.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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Not Applicable.

12. What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?

Not Applicable.

13. Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No

14. Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No

15. If the rule imposes a regulation fee, explain how the fee directly relates to your agency's cost in regulating the individual or business.

Not Applicable.

III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions

16. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes

17. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? Yes

A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? Yes

This rule sets forth requirements for central intake and referral system contractors.

B. Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? No

C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? Yes

The rule requires that required data be entered into the statewide data system.

D. Is it likely that the rule will directly reduce the revenue or increase the expenses of the lines of business of which it will apply or applies? No

IV. Regulatory Restrictions (This section only applies to agencies indicated in R.C. 121.95 (A))

18. Are you adding a new or removing an existing regulatory restriction as defined in R.C. 121.95? Yes

A. How many new regulatory restrictions do you propose adding? 1

3701-8-10(D)(2)(a) – added requirement for central intake and referral contractor to complete a screening and determine eligibility based on specified criteria

Removing: 3701-8-10(B), 3701-8-10(D)(1)(f)

B. How many existing regulatory restrictions do you propose removing? 2

3701-8-10(B) – removed requirement that contract manager complete all required training within thirty days of hire.

3701-8-10(D)(1)(f) – removed requirement that as a component of the local directory, the central intake and referral contractor shall maintain a home visiting matrix identifying all home visiting programs in the contracted area.