

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: Wednesday, May 21, 2008
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Rm. 3110B, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

Pursuant to Chapter 5104. and Chapter 119. of the 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 rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 5101:2-16-30 entitled "Eligibility requirements for receipt of publicly funded child care benefits" has been amended to add language for the eligibility of a minor parent who participates in the Learning, Earning and Parenting (LEAP) program, to clarify language regarding education and training activities, to clarify language regarding eligibility for protective child care benefits and for Head Start/child care continuing benefits and to update the appendix to reflect the changes in the federal poverty guidelines.

Rule 5101:2-16-39 entitled "Copayment for publicly funded child care benefits" has been amended to change the revision date of a form, to clarify language and to update the appendices as a result of the change in the federal poverty guidelines.

Rule 5101:2-16-41 entitled "Reimbursement rates for providers of publicly funded child care" has been amended to change the revision date of a form and to clarify language.

Rule 5101:2-16-44 entitled "County department of job and family services requirements for the purchase of child care services" has been amended to add language allowing county departments of Job and Family Services to add supplemental information to the JFS 01224 "Contract for Purchase of Publicly Funded Child Care Services."

Rule 5101:2-16-55 entitled "Use of the JFS 01140 "Certificate of Authorization for Payment of Publicly Funded Child Care Services (COAP)" to contract with providers" has been amended to change the revision date of a form and to clarify language.

Rule 5101:2-16 71 entitled "Child care improper payments" has been amended to change the revision date of a form and to clarify language.

A copy of the proposed rules are available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule 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 a copy 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 Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at: rules@odjfs.state.oh.us.