

**MEDICAL BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The **State Medical Board of Ohio**, pursuant to Chapter 119, Ohio Revised Code, hereby gives notice that it will conduct a public hearing to consider the adoption of rules.

The public hearing will be conducted on March 12, 2019, at **1:30 p.m. in the Lobby Hearing Room, Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 E. Broad St., 1st Floor, Columbus, OH.** Oral or written testimony may be presented by any person affected by the proposed actions.

The following rule concerning respiratory care is proposed to be rescinded:

4761-11-03 Board imposition of penalties.

The following rules concerning termination of the physician-patient relationship are proposed to be amended:

4731-27-02: Dismissing a patient from the medical practice.

4731-27-03: Notice of termination of physician employment or physician leaving a practice, selling a practice, or retiring from the practice of medicine.

Starting on February 7, 2019, the proposed rules will be available from:

- State Medical Board of Ohio, 30 East Broad Street, 3rd Floor, Columbus, OH 43215
- Medical Board's website: <http://med.ohio.gov> under the Laws & Rules tab, click on "Newly Adopted and Proposed Rules, then scroll to "PROPOSED RULES FILED WITH THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON AGENCY RULE REVIEW (JCARR)"
- Register of Ohio website: <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/home>

All interested persons will be given the opportunity to be heard at the public hearing. Those persons who wish to provide oral testimony at the hearing are encouraged to pre-register by contacting Sallie Debolt at the address below, and may be given preference in the order of their testimony. Persons providing oral testimony are encouraged to also submit a copy of the testimony at the hearing.

All written comments received by the Board before the close of the hearing record will be considered.

Written comments may be provided at the public hearing or in advance of the hearing.

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