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173-4-08 **Nutrition health screening.**

(A) Definitions for this rule:

- (1) "Nutrition health screening" ("screening") means using the "Determine Your Own Nutritional Health" checklist to screen consumers for nutritional risks and referring consumers with high nutritional risks to community-based services.
- (2) "Determine Your Own Nutritional Health" checklist means form ODA0010 (Rev. May 28, 2009), which is a health screening instrument issued by ODA that indicates a person's level of nutritional risk. The form is available to the general public, free of charge, on ODA's website.
- (3) "High nutritional risk" means the status of a consumer whose score on the "Determine Your Own Nutritional Health" checklist is six or above.

(B) In addition to complying with the mandatory clauses for provider agreements described in rule 173-3-06 of the Administrative Code, a nutrition health screening provider shall comply with the following requirements:

(1) Frequency:

- (a) Congregate meals or alternative meals: The provider shall screen each consumer who is enrolled in a congregate meal program or an alternative meal program and shall do so no later than one month after the consumer's enrollment into the program and at least annually thereafter.
- (b) Home-delivered: The provider shall screen each consumer who is enrolled in a home-delivered meal program and shall do so no later than one month after the first meal is delivered to the consumer's home and at least annually thereafter.

(2) Referrals for high nutritional risk:

- (a) The provider shall establish a referral system that allows for potential interventions for consumers with a high nutritional risk, unless the AAA has already established a referral system.
- (b) The provider shall use the referral system to refer any consumer who is determined to have a high nutritional risk.

(3) Service verification:

- (a) The provider shall record the number of consumers that it refers at high risk that it refers through screening and for potential intervention.
- (b) The provider shall indicate whether the consumer is at high nutritional risk in SAMS (social assistance management system).
- (c) The provider may use a technology-based system to collect and retain this rule's records requirements.

Comment [ODA1]: ODA states this to comply with the incorporation-by-reference statutes for rules.