Agency Questionnaire	Nonagency Home Health Provider License	Skilled Home Health Services License or Nonmedical Home Health Services License	Residential Care Facility License	Nursing Home License
Agency Name	Ohio Department of Health	Ohio Department of Health	Ohio Department of Health	Ohio Department of Health
Point of Contact	Lisa Griffin Chapa, Director of Government Affairs	Lisa Griffin Chapa, Director of Government Affairs	Lisa Griffin Chapa, Director of Government Affairs	Lisa Griffin Chapa, Director of Government Affairs
Describe the board's primary purpose, goals and objectives, and licenses issued.	Home Health Agency licensing was enacted by H.B. 110 of the 134th G.A. to help the citizens of Ohio in obtaining safe and regulated care that is provided in their residence by licensing individuals that provide non-medical and skilled home health services.	Home Health Agency licensing was enacted by H.B. 110 of the 134th G.A. to help the citizens of Ohio in obtaining safe and regulated care that is provided in their residence by licensing businesses that provide Skilled medical home health services.	State agency responsible for the oversight and enforcement of the licensing laws required in order for this facility type to operate in the state	State agency responsible for the oversight and enforcement of the licensing laws required in order for this facility type to operate in the state
Describe the board's	There are currently 16 active licensed and 12 pending nonagency home health providers licensed. 4 staff monitoring the entire license	There are currently 3051 active licensed and 486 pending Skilled Home Health Services and Non-Medical Home Health Services. 4 staff monitoring the entire	806 active RCF licenses.ODH does not have dedicated staff for one particular	915 active NH licenses. ODH does not have dedicated staff for one particular

annual workload. How many staff are employed?	program. ODH does not have dedicated staff for one particular provider. All providers are handled by a team of licensing specialists, surveyors, and support staff.	license program. ODH does not have dedicated staff for one particular provider. All providers are handled by a team of licensing specialists, surveyors, and support staff.	provider. All providers are handled by a team of licensing specialists, surveyors, and support staff.	provider. All providers are handled by a team of licensing specialists, surveyors, and support staff.
How many new licenses does the board issue annually? How many renewed licenses are issued annually? How much does a new license cost? How much does a renewal cost?	Over the past two complete calendar years, ODH has averaged approximately 5 new applications. New license applications cost $250.00. The renewal is a tri-annual license and the fee is $250.00.	Over the past two complete calendar years, ODH has averaged approximately 880 new applications. New license applications cost $250.00. The renewal is a tri-annual license and the fee is $250.00.	Approximately 20 new licenses annually. Approximately 806 licenses annually. Both a new license and renewal case $320 for each 50 beds within a RCF.	Approximately 10 new licenses annually. Approximately 915 licenses annually. $320 for each 50 beds beds within a nursing home.
In the past 5 years, has there been any consideration to lower the licensure cost?	No, the bill passed in 2021.	No, the bill passed in 2021.	No.	No.
How much revenue is procured from the		Approximately $295,000	Approximately $515,840	Approximately $585,600

procured from the licensure fees? What does this revenue fund?	Approximately $2350 annually.	Approximately $295,000 annually. This funds the administration of this program.	annually. This funds the administration of this program.	annually. This funds the administration of this program.
Are there any federal regulations, or regulations required to be met outside of the existing licensure requirements that have to be complied with? Does federal law require the board to be renewed in some form?	Yes. 42 CFR 484.100 The HHA and its staff must operate and furnish services in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations related to the health and safety of patients. If state or local law provides licensing of HHAs, the HHA must be licensed.	Yes. 42 CFR 484.100 The HHA and its staff must operate and furnish services in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations related to the health and safety of patients. If state or local law provides licensing of HHAs, the HHA must be licensed.	No, however, the Ohio Department of Aging administers the Medicaid waiver program within RCFs on the Ohio Department of Medicaid's behalf.	Yes. 42 CFR 483.70 (a) Licensure. A facility must be licensed under applicable State and local law.

Does the board issue an examination prior to licensure? Does the board issues continuing education courses? If so, how often is continuing education necessary? If the examination or continuing education requirements are done outside the board then what determines the selection of an outside organization to host it?	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
How many other states regulate the occupation or occupations under the board's jurisdiction? Is a license required to engage in that occupation or those occupations in other states?	Each state has their own licensure requirements.	Each state has their own licensure requirements.	Each state has their own licensure requirements.	Each state has their own licensure requirements.

Has the operation of the board inhibited economic growth, reduced efficiency, or increased the cost of government?	No	No	No	No
Are there any licenses that are no longer issued by the board?	No	No	No	No
Is there anything that the board would like to see changed or implemented in regards to occupational licensing within the scope of this legislative review?	Not at this time.	Not at this time.	Not at this time.	Not at this time.

Has the board recommended statutory changes to the general assembly that would benefit the public as opposed to the persons regulated by the board, if any, and have those recommendations and other policies been adopted and implemented?	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Is the preservation of the board and the board's licenses necessary to protect the public's health, safety, or welfare?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Could the public be protected or served in an alternate or less restrictive manner? If applicable, please identify any licenses or functions of the board that could be eliminated or consolidated.	No	No	No	No

Any additional notes or comments the board believes the committee should be aware of?	Not at this time.	Not at this time.	Not at this time.	Not at this time.