



## Ohio Administrative Code Rule 3701-19-39 Medical director.

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(A) The medical director of a pediatric respite care program will be a physician with overall responsibility for the medical component of the program.

(B) The duties of the medical director include:

- (1) Reviewing patient medical eligibility for pediatric respite care services;
  - (2) Participating as a member of the interdisciplinary team or teams in the development of individual plans of care or assuring that one or more other qualified physicians participate on the team or teams;
  - (3) Consulting with attending physicians, when appropriate, regarding pain and symptom management;
  - (4) Assuring overall continuity of the pediatric respite care program's medical services, including availability of physician services for routine and emergency situations;
  - (5) Acting as liaison between patients' attending physicians and the interdisciplinary team or teams;
  - (6) Establishing health policies for employees of the pediatric respite care program; and
  - (7) Serving as liaison with community physicians, medical schools, and hospitals.
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