

Procedure: Foster Care Civil Rights

Procedure No.:

Statement of procedure:

All programs, services, and benefits which are administered, supervised, authorized, and/or participated in by Summit County Children Services (SCCS), shall be operated in accordance with the nondiscriminatory provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Act of 1972, Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and Section 1808 of the Small Business Job Protection Act (Adoption).

No child or minor mother residing in an agency foster home shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, disability, age, sex, or religion, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or services authorized by SCCS.

Any client who believes that he/she or any specific class of persons, has been subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, age, sex or religion may file a written complaint with the agency outlining the alleged discriminatory acts. See SCCS Civil Rights Complaint Procedure.

Purpose of the procedure:

Related laws and standards:

Ohio Revised Code (ORC): not applicable
Ohio Administrative Code (OAC): 5101:2-5-13
United States Code (USC): not applicable
Code of Federal Regulations (CFR): not applicable

Council on Accreditation Standards (COA): not applicable

Who is affected by the procedure?

SCCS Clients and caregivers

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Civil Rights Procedure

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