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Delaware County—Child Support Agency Open House promotes "Seek Work" program

Delaware County Child Enforcement Agency will offer an Open House, Wednesday, August 7, in recognition of Child Support Awareness Month. The Open House will be held in the lobby of the CSEA, Delaware County Hayes Building, 140 N. Sandusky St., downtown Delaware, from 2 to 6 pm.

"During the Open House, staff will be explaining the "Seek Work" program established to help obligors have a chance to become a participating parent by paying their support order. The program helps the obligor to identify job opportunities and learn more about local resources that may help them with their individual situations," shared Joyce Bowens, CSEA Director. With participation in the "Seek Work" program, obligors have a better chance of having their license reinstated and of obtaining help in regard to their own support case.

Ohio's Child Support Program touches more children than any other public program in Ohio except public education. The Delaware County CSEA exists to assist families in receiving the financial support to which they are entitled. The local CSEA continues to receive awards from the State Office of Child Support for best performance collections on current support and cases in arrears, and this is yet another example of their creative approach to obtaining the best for the children.

"Our goal is to work with both parents to establish and enforce support orders, to help children receive the financial and medical support ordered for them," continued Bowens.

Refreshments will be provided. For questions, contact Joyce Bowens, CSEA Director, at (740) 833-2720 or visit www.co.delaware.oh.us/csea.

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