REQUIREMENTS & REGULATIONS
A mentally retarded person “means a person having significantly sub average general intellectual functioning existing concurrently with deficiencies in adaptive behavior, manifested during the developmental period” ORC (Ohio Revised Code Section 5123). The ORC can be found in your local library and are on-line at http://codes.ohio.gov/orc.

The Ohio Department of Development Disabilities (DODD) is responsible for overseeing a statewide system of supports and services for people with development disabilities and their families.

[ ] Residential facilities for mentally retarded and developmentally disabled persons are regulated and licensed by county Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD).

[ ] Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD) phone numbers for your county should be in the County government section of your local telephone books and can be found on-line http://dodd.ohio.gov, or contact the DODD at (614) 466-5214 or toll-free at (800) 617-6733. They will also be able to provide you with the contact number for your county DODD office.

[ ] Contact the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for information about the proper disposal of medical and solid waste. The EPA can be reached at (614) 644-3020 for General Inquiries or (800) 329-7518 for Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention. http://www.epa.state.oh.us/

For more help, contact your local Small Business Development Center (SBDC).
www.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov

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