

### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Arkansas Department of Health will hold a public hearing on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup> at 10: 00 a.m. in the Freeway Medical Tower, Room 801, 5800 West 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Little Rock, Arkansas, to allow interested persons an opportunity to comment on proposed revisions to the *Rules and Regulations for Abortion Facilities in Arkansas*. The proposal incorporates statutory changes in the definition of abortion and requires a fetal age determination policy for licensed abortion facilities.

Copies of the proposed revisions are available for public inspection and copying at the Arkansas Department of Health, Section of Health Facilities Services, Freeway Medical Tower, 5800 West 10<sup>th</sup> St., Suite 400, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72204. The proposed rules are also available for inspection online through the Health Department website at [www.healthy.arkansas.gov](http://www.healthy.arkansas.gov), "Rules and Regulations" link, and also through the Secretary of State website: [www.sos.arkansas.gov](http://www.sos.arkansas.gov), "Administrative Rules" link.

The public may submit written comments regarding the proposed revisions by mail or in person to: Connie Melton, Section Chief, Health Facilities Services, Arkansas Department of Health, 5800 West 10<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 400, Little Rock, Arkansas 72204. Comments must be received no later than 11:00 am on December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2013.