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## FASTFINGERPRINTS IS PREPARED TO ASSIST HOME HEALTH AGENCIES WITH NEW OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH LEGISLATION FOR **BACKGROUND CHECKS**

**Columbus, Ohio (Jan. 22, 2013)** — [FastFingerprints](#), a division of National Background Check, Inc. (NBCI), is ready and available to help with the following new legislation requiring home health agencies to expand their background check policy.

*“Effective January 1, 2013, Home Health Agencies (HHAs) must conduct criminal background checks on applicants before hiring, and on all employees, at least once every five years. HHAs must initially check current employees hired prior to January 1, 2008 no later than thirty days after the anniversary of the employee’s date of hire, and employees hired on or after January 1, 2008 no later than thirty days after the fifth anniversary of the date of hire.”*

FastFingerprints currently has 13 locations across the state of Ohio ready to provide first-class services to all home health agencies, and their employees, with **BCI & FBI** background checks. Our locations, found in local communities throughout the state, have easy and convenient hours of operation – many with Saturday hours. In addition, because this will be an on-going responsibility for HHAs, FastFingerprints can add the convenient **storage** feature to background checks. With the added storage feature, future background check requests can be made by simply emailing or faxing our form back to us with your payment details – no need to make a 2<sup>nd</sup> visit to our stores.

For HHAs that will have more than 50 transactions a year, a **direct bill** account can be set up for ease of use by your employees. Additionally, for HHAs that can gather 20 or more employees at one site, within a designated window of time, a FastFingerprints’ **mobile** unit will come on site, setup live scan equipment, and be ready to fingerprint in less than 10 minutes. Once returned to our offices, all information will be uploaded to the BCI portal for processing, and results sent to where designated. The full array of services provided by FastFingerprints will make compliance to the new legislation a one-stop process for HHAs throughout the state of Ohio.

### **About Fast Fingerprints**

FastFingerprints, a division of National Background Check, Inc., has been a leader in the services, technology and equipment required to process state and FBI background checks via electronic fingerprinting for over 13 years. In addition to 13 locations here in Ohio and 16 in Florida, FastFingerprints’ parent company (NBCI), is one of the few companies in the nation to be recognized by the FBI as an approved FBI Channeling Agency that processes FBI requests for federally legislated purposes. More information on acquiring an FBI criminal history check for federal reasons, not for Ohio state legislative reasons, can be found at [www.nationalbackgroundcheck.com](http://www.nationalbackgroundcheck.com) under the Fingerprinting and FBI Channeling tab. FastFingerprints welcomes walk-ins, and are available for mobile screening appointments. To find a location near you, or to set up a mobile appointment, please visit [www.fastfingerprints.com](http://www.fastfingerprints.com) or call 1.877.932.2435.