The State of Ohio defines competencies as demonstrated and measurable patterns of knowledge, skills, abilities, behaviors and other characteristics designed to reflect the behaviors employees use to complete tasks to achieve performance expectations. Recently, DAS Office of Talent Management organized the list of competencies into eight clusters, which give supervisors ease and flexibility when reviewing the competencies that apply to their employees.

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