#### WSR 11-02-045 AGENDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

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#### January 2011 Rules Agenda

This report details current and anticipated rule-making activities for the department of health (DOH) and the state board of health (SBOH). If you have any questions regarding this report or DOH rule-making activities, please contact Tami Thompson at (360) 236-4044. If you have any questions regarding SBOH rule-making activities please contact Craig McLaughlin at (360) 236-4106.

This agenda is for information purposes, and the noted dates of anticipated rule-making actions are estimates. Governor Chris Gregoire signed an Executive Order (EO) 10-06 on November 17, 2010, directing agencies under her jurisdic-

tion to suspend noncritical rule development and adoption activities until the end of 2011. Under the order agency directors can allow exemptions from the suspension so some specific rules may move ahead. The office of financial management has provided guidelines for these exemptions. The department has reviewed the rule development projects underway to determine if any rules meet the exemption criteria. Exemptions for rules under the authority of the SBOH will be determined at the board's January 2011 meeting.

Any errors in this agenda do not affect the rules and rule-making notices filed with the office of the code reviser and published in the Washington State Register. There may be additional DOH rule-making activities that cannot be forecasted as DOH initiates rule making to implement new state laws, meet federal requirements, or meet unforeseen circumstances. See the "key" at the end of the tables for explanations of terms and acronyms.

SBOH Rule Making

| RCW or<br>Session Law | Authority | WAC and<br>Rule Title   | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date   | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date  | Program Staff<br>Contact            |
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| RCW<br>28A.210.140    | SBOH      | WAC 246-105-040<br>Requirements based<br>on national immuni-<br>zation guidelines.  | 10-16-105<br>8/2/10                   | 10-20-144<br>10/5/10  |                                       | Hearing held 11/10/10 before EO 10-06 went into effect. Anticipate filing 1/11.                      | Jeff Wise<br>(360) 236-3483         |
| RCW 43.20.050         | SBOH      | WAC 246-100-191 Animals, birds, pets—Measures to prevent human disease. WAC 246-100-201 Birds—Measures to prevent psittacosis.  | 07-10-117<br>5/2/07                   | 10-20-146<br>10/5/10  |                                       | Hearing held<br>11/10/10<br>before EO 10-<br>06 went into<br>effect.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. | Liz Dykstra<br>(360) 236-3223       |
| RCW 43.20.050         | SBOH      | Chapter 246-101<br>WAC, Notifiable conditions.  | 09-18-008<br>8/20/09                  | 10-20-155<br>10/6/10  |                                       | Hearing held<br>11/10/10<br>before EO 10-<br>06 went into<br>effect.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. | Pamela Lovinger<br>(360) 236-4225   |
| RCW 43.20.050         | SBOH      | Chapter 246-272A WAC, On-site sewage systems. This will explore creation of a process for the approval and state registration of drain field remediation technologies. The SBOH does not currently regulate remediation technologies. | 06-12-108<br>6/7/06                   | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |  | Melissa McEachron<br>(360) 236-3265 |

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| RCW or<br>Session Law        | Authority                     | WAC and<br>Rule Title  | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR#<br>and Date | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date   | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | Program Staff<br>Contact           |
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| RCW 43.20.050                | SBOH                          | Chapter 246-291<br>WAC, Group B public<br>water supplies.                | 07-14-147<br>7/5/07                  | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |                                       | Theresa Phillips<br>(360) 236-3147 |
| RCW 43.20.050                | SBOH                          | Chapter 246-390<br>WAC, Drinking water<br>laboratory certifica-<br>tion. | 06-23-077<br>11/13/06                | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |                                       | Theresa Phillips<br>(360) 236-3147 |
| RCW 43.20.050                | SBOH<br>(delegated to<br>DOH) | Chapter 246-290 WAC, Group A Public water supplies— Lead and copper.     | 09-15-040<br>1/8/09                  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria.   |                                       |                                       | Theresa Phillips (360) 236-3147    |
| RCW 43.20.050<br>43.20.145   | SBOH                          | Chapter 246-205<br>WAC, Food service.                                    | 10-04-068<br>1/29/10                 | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |                                       | Joe Graham<br>(360) 236-3305       |
| RCW 43.20.050<br>70.119A.080 | SBOH                          | WAC 246-203-103<br>Keeping of animals.                                   | 09-17-132<br>8/19/09                 | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |                                       | Ned Therien<br>(360) 236-4103      |
| RCW 70.62.240                | SBOH                          | Chapter 246-360<br>WAC, Transient<br>accommodations.                     | 07-14-148<br>7/5/07                  | Exemptions for<br>rules under the<br>authority of the<br>SBOH TBD at<br>the board's Janu-<br>ary 2011 meet-<br>ing. |                                       |                                       | John Hilger<br>(360) 236-2929      |

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| RCW or<br>Session Law | Authority                                    | WAC and<br>Rule Title   | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date       | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | Program Staff<br>Contact         |
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| RCW 18.35.161         | Board of hearing and speech                  | WAC 246-828-XXX<br>Prohibiting the use of<br>the title "audio-<br>prosthologist."   | 09-11-116<br>5/20/09                  | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.       |                                       |                                       | Janette Benham<br>(360) 236-4857 |
| RCW 18.52.071         | Board of nursing<br>home adminis-<br>trators | WAC 246-843-010,<br>246-843-070, 246-<br>843-071, 246-843-<br>073, 246-843-090,<br>246-843-093, 246-<br>843-095, 246-843-<br>230 and 246-843-231,<br>application for initial<br>license and endorse-<br>ment. | 06-12-109<br>6/7/06                   | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06. |                                       |                                       | Kendra Pitzler<br>(360) 236-4723 |

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|                                  |                                    |  | CR-101               | CR-102                       | CR-105    | CR-103                         |                              |
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|                                  |                                    |  | Filing               | Filing                       | Filing    | Filing                         |                              |
| RCW or                           |                                    | WAC and                                      | WSR#                 | WSR#                         | WSR#      | WSR#                           | Program Staff                |
| Session Law                      | Authority                          | Rule Title                                   | and Date             | and Date                     | and Date  | and Date                       | Contact                      |
| RCW 18.54.070                    | Board of optom-                    | WAC 246-851-XXX                              | 10-05-060            | 10-21-104                    |           |                                | Judy Haenke                  |
|                                  | etry                               | Optometry multicultural education.           | 2/11/10              | 10/20/10                     |           |                                | (360) 236-4947               |
|                                  |                                    | turar education.                             |                      | hearing was<br>cancelled on  |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | 12/3/10.                     |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | Suspended until              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | 2012 due to EO               |           |                                |                              |
| CI 10.55                         | D 10                               | WY 1 G 2 1 C 0 5 2 YYY 7 Y                   | 10.12.102            | 10-06.                       |           |                                | T: 01 1 1                    |
| Chapters 18.57<br>and 18.57A RCW | Board of osteo-<br>pathic medicine | WAC 246-853-XXX (osteopathic physi-          | 10-13-102<br>6/17/10 | Rule meets EO exemption cri- |           |                                | Erin Obenland (360) 236-4945 |
| and 10.5771 RC W                 | and surgery                        | cian) and 246-854-                           | 0/1//10              | teria.                       |           |                                | (300) 230 4743               |
|                                  |                                    | XXX (osteopathic                             |                      | Anticipate fil-              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | physician assistant) -                       |                      | ing 3/11.                    |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | pain management.                             |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
| RCW 18.130.050                   | Board of osteo-                    | Chapter 246-853                              | 07-16-141<br>8/1/07  | 10-04-066<br>1/29/10         |           | Rule meets                     | Erin Obenland                |
| 18.57.005<br>18.57A.020          | pathic medicine<br>and surgery     | WAC, Osteopathic physicians;                 | 0/1/0/               | 10-16-155                    |           | EO exemp-<br>tion criteria.    | (360) 236-4945               |
| 10.5771.020                      | and surgery                        | chapter 246-854                              |                      | 8/4/10                       |           | Anticipate fil-                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | WAC, Osteopathic                             |                      | 10-17-124                    |           | ing 1/11.                      |                              |
|                                  |                                    | physician assistants—                        |                      | 9/1/10                       |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | Sedation and anesthesia.                     |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
| RCW 18.130.050                   | Board of osteo-                    | Chapter 246-853                              | 07-16-143            | 10-22-108                    |           | Rule meets                     | Erin Obenland                |
| 18.57.005                        | pathic medicine                    | WAC (osteopathic                             | 8/1/07               | 11/2/10                      |           | EO exemp-                      | (360) 236-4945               |
| 18.57A.020                       | and surgery                        | physician); chapter                          |                      | Hearing sched-               |           | tion criteria.                 | ()                           |
|                                  |                                    | 246-854 WAC (osteo-                          |                      | uled for                     |           | Anticipate fil-                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | pathic physician                             |                      | 11/21/11.                    |           | ing 4/11.                      |                              |
|                                  |                                    | assistant). Delegation and supervision of    |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | nonsurgical cosmetic                         |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | procedure.                                   |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
| RCW 18.64.005                    | Board of phar-                     | Chapter 246-886                              | 09-11-049            | Rule requested               |           |                                | Doreen Beebe                 |
|                                  | macy                               | WAC, Animal con-                             | 5/13/09              | by petition and              |           |                                | (360) 236-4834               |
|                                  |                                    | trol—Legend drug                             |                      | meets EO                     |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | sodium pentobarbital.                        |                      | exemption criteria.          |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | Anticipate fil-              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | ing 2/11.                    |           |                                |                              |
| RCW 18.64.005                    | Board of phar-                     | WAC 246-887-280                              |                      | Expedited rule-              | 10-16-111 | Rule meets                     | Doreen Beebe                 |
| 69.50.320                        | macy                               | Approved controlled                          |                      | making notice                | 8/2/10    | EO exemp-                      | (360) 236-4834               |
|                                  |                                    | substances.                                  |                      | filed under<br>RCW           |           | tion criteria. Anticipate fil- |                              |
|                                  |                                    |  |                      | 34.05.353.                   |           | ing 2/11.                      |                              |
| RCW 18.64.005                    | Board of phar-                     | New chapter 246-874                          | 07-14-145            | Rule meets EO                |           |                                | Doreen Beebe                 |
| 18.64.165                        | macy                               | WAC, Pharmaceutical                          | 7/5/07               | exemption cri-               |           |                                | (360) 236-4834               |
|                                  |                                    | services—Correc-                             |                      | teria.                       |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | tional facilities. The board of pharmacy is  |                      | Anticipate fil-              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | considering develop-                         |                      | ing 3/11.                    |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | ing rules that will                          |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | establish enforceable                        |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | requirements specifi-                        |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | cally for Washington correctional facilities |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | in safe handling, stor-                      |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | age, recordkeeping                           |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | and administration of                        |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |
|                                  |                                    | pharmaceuticals.                             |                      |                              |           |                                |                              |

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| RCW or<br>Session Law                           | Authority                                   | WAC and<br>Rule Title  | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date  | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date                           | Program Staff<br>Contact            |
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| RCW 18.130.050<br>and 18.130.050<br>[18.83.050] | Board of psy-<br>chology                    | WAC 246-924-485<br>Repeal delegation of<br>authority to initiate<br>investigations.  |                                       | Expedited rule-<br>making notice<br>filed under<br>RCW 34.05<br>353.             | 10-16-112<br>8/2/10                   | Rule meets<br>EO exemption criteria.<br>Anticipate filing 3/11. | Betty Moe<br>(360) 236-4912         |
| RCW 18.25.0171                                  | Chiropractic quality assurance commission   | WAC 246-808-150<br>Continuing education.   | 09-09-031<br>4/07/09                  | Suspended until 12 due to EO 10-06.  |                                       |   | Leann Yount (360) 236-4856          |
| RCW 18.25.0171<br>18.130.050 (1) and<br>(12)    | Chiropractic quality assurance commission   | WAC 246-808-XXX<br>Future care contracts<br>prohibited chiroprac-<br>tic quality assurance<br>commission.  | 10-06-017<br>2/22/10                  | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.  |                                       |   | Leann Yount (360) 236-4856          |
| Chapter 18.32<br>RCW                            | Dental quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | Chapter 246-817<br>WAC, Pain management.   | 10-13-099<br>6/17/10                  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 3/11.                        |                                       |   | Jennifer Santiago<br>(360) 236-4893 |
| RCW 18.32.040<br>18.130.064                     | Dental quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-817-310<br>and 246-817-XXX,<br>Maintenance and<br>retention of dental<br>records and dental<br>treatment records.  | 09-13-097<br>6/17/09                  | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                                      |                                       |   | Jennifer Santiago<br>(360) 236-4893 |
| RCW 18.32.040<br>18.130.064                     | Dental quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-817-XXX<br>Inactive status.  | 09-03-108<br>1/21/09                  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. 10-23-082 1/21/09. Hearing rescheduled 2/4/11. |                                       |   | Jennifer Santiago<br>(360) 236-4893 |
| RCW 18.130.040                                  | DOH   | New chapter 246-<br>XXX WAC, relating<br>to certification of ani-<br>mal massage practi-<br>tioners.   | 07-18-016<br>8/24/07                  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 3/11.                        |                                       |   | Judy Haenke<br>(360) 236-4828       |
| RCW 18.36A.060                                  | DOH   | WAC 246-836-010<br>and 246-836-210,<br>proposing to amend<br>existing sections and<br>add a new section to<br>identify nonsurgical<br>cosmetic procedures<br>for naturopathic phy-<br>sicians. | 10-15-098<br>7/20/10                  | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                                      |                                       |   | Susan Gragg<br>(360) 236-4941       |
| RCW 18.36A.060                                  | DOH   | WAC 246-836-080<br>Continuing competency program<br>requirements for<br>naturopathic physicians.   | 08-17-041<br>8/14/08                  | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                                      |                                       |   | Susan Gragg<br>(360) 236-4941       |
| RCW 18.84.040                                   | DOH   | WAC 246-926-180,<br>amending the paren-<br>teral procedures for<br>radiologic technolo-<br>gists.  | 10-15-101<br>7/20/10                  | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.  |                                       |   | Susan Gragg<br>(360) 236-4941       |

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|                                   |           |   | CR-101  | CR-102  | CR-105                      | CR-103  |                                     |
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| RCW or<br>Session Law             | Authority | WAC and<br>Rule Title   | Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date   | Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date   | Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date   | Program Staff<br>Contact            |
| RCW 18.36A.060<br>18.36A.100      | DOH       | Chapter 246-836 WAC, amending accreditation requirements for naturopathic medical educational institutions.   | 10-15-097<br>7/20/10  | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                               |                             |   | Susan Gragg<br>(360) 236-4941       |
| RCW 43.70.040<br>70.38.135        | DOH       | WAC 246-310-XXX<br>Hospital acute care<br>bed methodology.  | 09-16-118<br>8/4/09   | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.                                     |                             |   | John Hilger<br>(360) 236-2929       |
| RCW 43.70.120<br>and 7 C.F.R. 246 | DOH       | WAC 246-790-010<br>through 246-790-130,<br>women, infant, and<br>children's nutrition<br>program authorized<br>retailers.                                     | 10-14-093<br>7/6/10   | Rule meets EO exemption criteria.   |                             |   | Peter Gayton (360) 236-3788         |
| RCW 70.118B.040                   | DOH       | Chapter 246-272B<br>WAC, Large on-site<br>sewage system<br>(LOSS) regulations.  | 08-03-065<br>1/14/08  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 1/11.                 |                             |   | Melissa McEachron<br>(360) 236-3265 |
| RCW 70.119.050                    | DOH       | Chapter 246-292<br>WAC, Waterworks<br>operator certification.   | 09-21-043<br>10/13/09   | Rule meets EO<br>exemption cri-<br>teria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 9/11. |                             |   | Theresa Phillips (360) 236-3147     |
| Chapter 70.185<br>RCW             | DOH       | Chapter 246-562<br>WAC, J-1 physician<br>visa waiver regula-<br>tions.  | 08-14-077<br>6/26/08  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 5/11.                 |                             |   | Jennell Prentice<br>(360) 236-2814  |
| Chapter 70.225<br>RCW             | DOH       | Title 246 WAC, adding new chapter for prescription monitoring program (PMP).  | 08-15-085<br>7/16/08  | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 5/11.                 |                             |   | Doreen Beebe<br>(360) 236-4834      |
| RCW<br>70.119A.170                | DOH       | Chapter 246-296<br>WAC, Drinking water<br>state revolving fund<br>loan program.   | Rule meets EO<br>exemption cri-<br>teria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. |   |                             |   | Theresa Phillips (360) 236-3147     |
| Chapter 70.54<br>RCW              | DOH       | Chapter 246-102<br>WAC, Cancer registry.  | 09-15-186<br>7/22/09  | 10-13-097<br>6/6/10   |                             | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.                                     | Katie Golub<br>(360) 236-3624       |
| RCW 70.98.050                     | DOH       | Chapter 246-231 WAC, Packaging and transportation of radioactive material, and chapter 246-240 WAC, Radiation protection—Medical use of radioactive material. | Proposal is<br>exempt under<br>RCW<br>34.05.310 (4).                      | 10-14-098<br>7/6/10   |                             | Rule meets<br>EO exemp-<br>tion criteria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. | Traci Black (360) 236-3259          |
| RCW 70.98.050                     | DOH       | Chapter 246-247<br>WAC, Radiation protection—Air emission.  | 05-12-140<br>6/1/05   | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                               |                             |   | Traci Black (360) 236-3259          |
| RCW 70.98.050                     | DOH       | Chapter 246-255A WAC, Dental X-ray radiation safety and diagnostic imaging quality standards.   | 09-16-141<br>8/5/09   | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipate filing 4/11.                 |                             |   | Andrew Thatcher (360) 236-3231      |

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| RCW or<br>Session Law                    | Authority                                    | WAC and<br>Rule Title  | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date                | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date                                     | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103 Filing WSR # and Date  | Program Staff<br>Contact       |
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| RCW 43.70.040<br>70.38.135               | DOH  | WAC 246-310-XXX<br>Revising and updat-<br>ing the certificate of<br>need adjudicative<br>proceeding rules.   | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.          |   |                                       |   | John Hilger<br>(360) 236-2929  |
| RCW 70.168.050<br>70.168.060             | DOH  | WAC 246-976-001<br>through 246-976-400,<br>246-976-890, 246-<br>976-920, 246-976-<br>950, EMS and trauma<br>prehospital rules and<br>standards.  | 08-16-037<br>7/29/08                                 | 10-08-092<br>4/6/10<br>Supplemental<br>10-21-070<br>10/18/10              |                                       | Rule meets<br>EO exemp-<br>tion criteria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 3/11. | Mike Lopez<br>(360) 236-2841   |
| RCW 70.98.050<br>70.98.080               | DOH  | WAC 246-220-010<br>Definitions. Radio<br>protection, 246-249-<br>010 Definitions, 246-<br>249-090 Transfer for<br>disposal and mani-<br>fests, 246-250-010<br>Definitions. Licens-<br>ing land disposal. | Proposal is<br>exempt under<br>RCW<br>34.05.310 (4). | 10-16-107<br>8/2/10   |                                       | Rule meets<br>EO exemption criteria.<br>Anticipate filing 1/11.           | Traci Black<br>(360) 236-3259  |
| RCW 18.71.017                            | Medical quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-919-XXX<br>Definitions and cre-<br>dentialing of physi-<br>cians for teaching-<br>research and fellow-<br>ship limited licenses.   | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.          |   |                                       |   | Beverly Teeter (360) 236-4788  |
| RCW 18.71.017                            | Medical quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-919-480<br>Retired active credential.  | 09-20-075<br>10/21/09                                | 10-21-103<br>10/20/10   |                                       | Rule meets<br>EO exemp-<br>tion criteria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 4/11. | Julie Kitten<br>(360) 236-2757 |
| RCW 18.130.050<br>18.71A.020             | Medical quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | New sections in chapter 246-918 WAC,<br>Safe and effective<br>analgesia and anesthesia administration<br>in office-based surgery settings as it<br>applies to physician<br>assistants.                   | 07-23-125<br>11/21/07                                | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                               |                                       |   | Beverly Teeter (360) 236-4788  |
| Chapters 18.71,<br>18.71A RCW            | Medical quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-919-XXX<br>Physicians and 246-<br>918-XXX Physician<br>assistants<br>pain management.  | 10-13-094<br>6/16/10                                 | Rule meets EO<br>exemption cri-<br>teria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. |                                       |   | Julie Kitten<br>(360) 236-2757 |
| RCW 18.71.017<br>18.130.050<br>18.71.430 | Medical quality<br>assurance com-<br>mission | WAC 246-919-430 (physicians) and WAC 246-918-XXX (physician assistants), requiring additional practice information at renewal.   | 09-14-114<br>6/30/09                                 | 10-21-098<br>6/30/09  |                                       | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.                                     | Julie Kitten<br>(360) 236-2757 |
| Chapter 18.79<br>RCW                     | Nursing care quality assurance commission    | WAC 246-840-XXX<br>Pain management.  | 10-13-100<br>6/17/10                                 | Rule meets EO exemption criteria. Anticipating filing 1/11.               |                                       |   | Terry West (360) 236-4712      |

Miscellaneous [6]

| RCW or<br>Session Law       | Authority                           | WAC and<br>Rule Title   | CR-101<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date               | CR-102<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date                                     | CR-105<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date | CR-103<br>Filing<br>WSR #<br>and Date                                     | Program Staff<br>Contact         |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| RCW 18.59.090<br>18.130.050 | Occupational therapy practice board | WAC 246-847-030 Occupational therapists acting in a consulting capacity, 246-847-055 Initial application for individuals who have not practiced within the past four years, 246-847-068 Expired license, 246-847-070 Inactive credential, 246-847-125 Applicants currently licensed in other states or territories and 246-847-XXX Renewal for those that have not practiced in four years. | 08-15-088<br>7/17/08                                | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.                                     |                                       |   | Janette Benham<br>(360) 236-4857 |
| Chapter 18.22<br>RCW        | Podiatric medi-<br>cal board        | WAC 246-922-XXX<br>Pain management.   | 10-13-103<br>6/17/10                                | Rule meets EO<br>exemption cri-<br>teria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. |                                       |   | Erin Obenland (360) 236-4945     |
| RCW 18.22.015<br>18.130.050 | Podiatric medical board             | WAC 246-922-010<br>Definitions; adding<br>new sections to chap-<br>ter 246-922 WAC to<br>establish standards<br>for prescribing<br>orthotic devices by<br>podiatrists.  | 07-16-140<br>8/1/07                                 | Suspended until<br>2012 due to EO<br>10-06.                               |                                       |   | Erin Obenland<br>(360) 236-4945  |
| RCW 18.92.030               | Veterinary board<br>of governors    | WAC 246-933-460<br>Courses approved by<br>the veterinary board,<br>amending the list of<br>approved organiza-<br>tions.   | 10-13-095<br>6/16/10                                | 10-21-081<br>10/19/10   |                                       | Suspended until 2012 due to EO 10-06.                                     | Judy Haenke<br>(360) 236-4947    |
| RCW 43.70.110<br>43.20B.020 | DOH                                 | Chapter 246-272 WAC, Wastewater and reclaimed water use fees, consolidating the on-site sewage system additives fee. NO CHANGE IN THE FEE AMOUNT OR APPLICATION.  | Proposal is<br>exempt under<br>RCW<br>34.05.310(4). | 10-20-136<br>10/5/10  |                                       | Rule meets<br>EO exemp-<br>tion criteria.<br>Anticipate fil-<br>ing 1/11. | Brandy Brush (360) 236-3342      |

#### **KEY**

**CR** means "code reviser" on the notice forms created by the office of the code reviser for use by all state agencies.

**CR-101** is a preproposal statement of inquiry filed under RCW 34.05.310.

**CR-102** is a proposed rule-making notice filed under RCW 34.05.320 or 34.05.340.

**Proposal is Exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4)** means a rule that does not require the filing of a CR-101 notice under RCW 34.05.310(4).

**CR-105** is an expedited rule-making notice filed under RCW 34.05.353. This is an accelerated rule adoption process with no public hearing required.

CR-103 is rule-making order permanently adopting a rule, and filed under RCW 34.05.360 and 34.05.380.

**EMERGENCY** rules are temporary rules filed under RCW 34.05.350 and 34.05.380 by using a CR-103 Rule-making order. Emergency rules may be used to meet certain urgent circumstances. These rules are effective for one hundred twenty days after the filing date, and may be extended in certain circumstances.

**EO** is the Executive Order 10-06 of 2010.

[7] Miscellaneous

Blank cells in tables mean the anticipated filing date is not known at the time this rules agenda is filed.

**TBD** - **To Be Determined** is when a date is still being discussed.

**RCW** is the Revised Code of Washington.

**WAC** is the Washington Administrative Code.

WSR number is the Washington State Register official filing reference number given by the office of the code reviser when a notice is filed.

**DOH** is the department of health.

**HSQA** is the health systems quality assurance division.

**EH** is the environmental health division.

EHSPHL is the epidemiology health statistics and public health labs division.

**CFH** is the community family health division.

**SBOH** is the state board of health.

#### WSR 11-03-002 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

(Health Insurance Partnership Board) [Filed January 5, 2011, 2:51 p.m.]

#### **2011 Meeting Schedule**

The Washington health insurance partnership board will meet on Monday, March 21, 2011, 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the Washington State Health Care Authority, Sue Crystal Center, 676 Woodland Square Loop S.E., Lacey, WA 98503.

If you are a person with a disability and need a special accommodation, please contact Beth Walter, (360) 923-2942, Beth. Walter@hca.wa.gov.

## WSR 11-03-005 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

(Office of Drinking Water) [Filed January 5, 2011, 4:10 p.m.]

Title of Policy: Pitless Adapters, Pitless Units, and Well Caps.

Issuing Entity: Washington state department of health, division of environmental health, office of drinking water.

Description: This policy provides direction to department of health, office of drinking water staff on standards and specifications for pitless adapters, pitless units, and well caps.

Office Contact: Scott Torpie, Department of Health, Office of Drinking Water, P.O. Box 47822, Olympia, WA 98504-7822, (360) 236-3131, scott.torpie@doh.wa.gov.

Effective Date: December 29, 2010.

## WSR 11-03-006 AGENDA FOREST PRACTICES BOARD

[Filed January 6, 2011, 8:21 a.m.]

Rule Development Agenda January - June 2011

The forest practices board's mandate is to adopt rules to protect the state's public resources while maintaining a viable forest products industry. The following rule proposals are under development or are anticipated during this time period. There may be additional rule-making activity not on the agenda as conditions warrant.

- 1. **Notice of Forest Practice to Affected Indian Tribes.** The board may consider rule making that will require landowners to meet with tribes when an application involves a cultural resource.
- 2. **Riparian Open Space Program.** The board will consider initiating rule making at the February 2011 meeting to implement SSB 5401, 2009 session, which expanded the program to include the acquisition of conservation easements on forest land that contains critical habitat for threatened or endangered species as designated by the board. The legislation also changed the type of channel migration lands eligible for acquisition from "unconfined avulsing channel migration zones" to simply "unconfined channel migration zones."
- 3. **Forest Biomass.** The board will consider initiating rule making at the February 2011 meeting to amend WAC 222-16-010 to ensure the public understands that this activity is a forest practice and subject to the resource protection measures required in Title 222 WAC and chapter 76.09 RCW.
- 4. Watershed Analysis. The board will consider initiating rule making at the February 2011 meeting to amend rules relating to the use and review of approved watershed analyses.
- 5. **Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan.** The board may consider rule making to amend WAC 222-24-050 and 222-24-051 to allow landowners to apply for an extension of the road maintenance and abandonment plan (RMAP) deadline for up to five years.

Contact Person: Patricia Anderson, FPB Rules Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, Forest Practices Division, P.O. Box 47012, Olympia, WA 98504-7012, phone (360) 902-1413, fax (360) 902-1428, e-mail patricia. anderson@dnr.wa.gov.

Miscellaneous [8]

#### WSR 11-03-007 AGENDA WASHINGTON STATE PATROL

[Filed January 6, 2011, 10:11 a.m.]

#### Semi-Annual Rule-Making Agenda January through June 2011

The following is the Washington state patrol's (WSP) semi-annual rule-making agenda for publication in the Washington State Register pursuant to RCW 34.05.314.

There may be additional rule-making activity not on the agenda as conditions warrant.

If you have any questions about this rule-making agenda, please contact Melissa Van Gorkom, Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 42600, Olympia, WA 98504-2600, phone (360) 596-4017, fax (360) 596-4015, e-mail WSPrules@wsp.wa.gov.

| WAC Citation           | Subject Matter  |                                       | <b>Current Activity</b>   |   |
|------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|
|                        |   | Preproposal<br>(CR-101)               | Proposed (CR-102) or<br>Expedited (CR-105)  | Permanent<br>(CR-103)                       |
| Chapter 448-16<br>WAC  | Administration of the breath test program. The agency anticipates a need to update this language if proposed legislation passes in the 2010 session.      | WSR 10-10-091<br>filed May 3, 2010    | WSR 10-16-079<br>filed July 30, 2010<br>Supplemental<br>WSR 10-19-070<br>filed September 16, 2010 | WSR 10-24-066<br>filed November 30,<br>2010 |
| Chapter 204-50<br>WAC  | Ignition interlock breath alcohol devices. The agency anticipates a need to update this language if proposed legislation passes in the 2010 session.      | WSR 10-10-090<br>filed May 3, 2010    | WSR 10-20-130<br>filed October 5, 2010  | WSR 10-24-074<br>filed November 30,<br>2010 |
| Chapter 204-91A<br>WAC | Chapter 204-91A WAC, Towing businesses. It is anticipated that this WAC will need to be updated to address new standards and provide clarifying language. | WSR 10-16-113<br>filed August 2, 2010 | WSR 10-19-095<br>filed September 20, 2010   | WSR 10-24-068<br>filed November 30,<br>2010 |
| Chapter 212-02<br>WAC  | Chapter 212-02 WAC, Fire marshal's office. It is anticipated that this WAC will be repealed as the language is no longer necessary.                       | WSR 10-16-081 filed July 30, 2010     | WSR 10-19-093<br>filed September 20, 2010   | WSR 10-24-065<br>filed November 30,<br>2010 |
| Chapter 448-14<br>WAC  | Blood alcohol analysis. The agency anticipates a need to update this language if proposed legislation passes in the 2010 session.                         | WSR 10-16-080<br>filed July 30, 2010  | WSR 10-19-094<br>filed September 20, 2010   | WSR 10-24-067<br>filed November 30,<br>2010 |

Melissa Van Gorkom Rules Coordinator

WSR 11-03-008
INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT
DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 6, 2011, 2:15 p.m.]

**Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement** 

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a

list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

### Medicaid Purchasing Administration (MPA) Division of Legal Services

Document Title: # Memo 10-72. Subject: Prescription drug program. Effective Date: December 1, 2010.

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Document Description: Effective January 1, 2011, the department will: No longer cover Medicare Part D copays; provide information for the department's e-mail list; make changes to the Washington preferred drug list; add to the list of drugs that require prior authorization; add to the list of drugs with limitations; and change the expedited authorization list.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Amber Dassow, MPA, P.O. Box 5504, phone (360) 725-1349, TDD/TTY 1-800-848-5429, fax (360) 586-9727, e-mail dassoal@dshs.wa.gov, web site http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov.

# WSR 11-03-009 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 6, 2011, 2:18 p.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

### Economic Services Administration (ESA) Division of Child Support (DCS)

Document Title: Policy Clarification Memo 11-001: Centralized Public Disclosure Pilot Project.

Subject: Centralized public disclosure pilot project.

Effective Date: December 28, 2010.

Document Description: This policy clarification memo explains how DSHS is piloting a project to move ESA public disclosure responsibilities into a single, coordinated unit.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Janet Hazelton, DCS, P.O. Box 11520, Tacoma, WA 98411-5520, phone (360) 664-5236, TDD/TTY (360) 753-9122, fax (360) 586-3274, e-mail JHazelto@dshs.wa.gov, web site http://www.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/.

# WSR 11-03-010 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 6, 2011, 2:19 p.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

#### Medicaid Purchasing Administration Division of Healthcare Services

Document Title: Medicaid State Plan Amendment. Subject: Medicaid state plan amendment 11-04.

Effective Date: January 1, 2011.

Document Description: The department intends to submit an amendment to the Title XIX medicaid state plan to establish a chronic care program for high risk, high cost categorically needy clients in Cowlitz County.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Alison Robbins, Care Management, P.O. Box 45530, Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-1634, TDD/TTY 800-848-5429, fax (360) 753-7315, e-mail Alison. Robbins@dshs.wa.gov.

# WSR 11-03-011 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 6, 2011, 2:20 p.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

### **Economic Services Administration Division of Child Support (DCS)**

Document Title: Policy Clarification Memo 11-002: DOL Digital Photos.

Subject: Department of licensing (DOL) digital photos. Effective Date: December 28, 2010.

Document Description: This policy clarification memo explains how DCS receives and handles digital driver license photographs from DOL.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Jeff Kildahl, DCS, P.O. Box 11520, Tacoma, WA 98411-5520, phone (360) 664-5278, TDD/TTY (360) 753-9122, fax (360) 586-3274, e-mail JKildahl@dshs.wa. gov, web site http://www.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/.

# WSR 11-03-012 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 6, 2011, 2:51 p.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

### **Economic Services Administration Division of Child Support (DCS)**

Document Title: Policy Clarification Memo 10-014: Purging Archive Search File Copies.

Subject: Changes in how the support enforcement management system (SEMS) will purge file copies of archive search (AS) copies of forms.

Effective Date: December 16, 2010.

Miscellaneous [10]

Document Description: This policy clarification memo explains changes to DCS policies and procedures for purging file copies of AS copies and forms according to an established schedule to reduce the costs of data storage.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Janet Hazelton, DCS, P.O. Box 11520, Tacoma, WA 98411-5520, phone (360) 664-5236, TDD/TTY (360) 753-9122, fax (360) 586-3274, e-mail JHazelto@dshs.wa.gov, web site http://www.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/.

#### WSR 11-03-013 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

(Board of Physical Therapy) [Filed January 6, 2011, 3:56 p.m.]

In accordance with the Open Public Meeting[s] Act (chapter 42.30 RCW) and the Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 34.05 RCW), the following is the schedule of regular meetings for the department of health, board of physical therapy, for the year 2011. The board of physical therapy meetings are open to the public, and access for persons with disabilities may be arranged with advance notice; please contact the staff person below for more information.

Agendas for the meetings listed below are made available in advance via listserv and the department of health web site (see below). Every attempt is made to ensure that the agenda is up-to-date. However, the board of physical therapy reserves the right to change or amend agendas at the meeting.

| Date               | Time       | Location        |
|--------------------|------------|-----------------|
| January 26, 2011   | 9:00 a.m.  | Conference call |
| March 16, 2011     | 9:00 a.m.  | Conference call |
| May 18, 2011       | 10:00 a.m. | Tumwater        |
| July 20, 2011      | 9:00 a.m.  | Conference call |
| September 14, 2011 | 10:00 a.m. | Kent            |
| November 16, 2011  | 10:00 a.m. | Kent            |

If you need further information, please contact Kris Waidely, Program Manager, Board of Physical Therapy, Washington Department of Health, P.O. Box 47852, Olympia, WA 98504-7852, (360) 236-4847, (360) 236-2901, kris. waidely@doh.wa.gov, www.doh.wa.gov.

Please be advised the board of physical therapy is required to comply with the Public Disclosure Act, chapter 42.56 RCW. This act establishes a strong state mandate in favor of disclosure of public records. As such, the information you submit to the board, including personal information, may ultimately be subject to disclosure as a public record.

## WSR 11-03-014 INTERPRETIVE AND POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

(Office of Drinking Water) [Filed January 6, 2011, 4:08 p.m.]

Title of Policy: Pitless Adapters, Pitless Units, and Well Caps.

Issuing Entity: Washington state department of health, division of environmental health, office of drinking water.

Description: This policy provides direction to department of health, office of drinking water staff on standards and specifications for pitless adapters, pitless units, and well caps.

Office Contact: Scott Torpie, Department of Health, Office of Drinking Water, P.O. Box 47822, Olympia, WA 98504-7822, (360) 236-3131, scott.torpie@doh.wa.gov.

Effective Date: December 29, 2010.

Denise A. Clifford

Director

#### WSR 11-03-015 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS WINE COMMISSION

[Filed January 6, 2011, 11:15 p.m.]

### 2011 SCHEDULE OF COMMISSIONER BOARD MEETINGS As of January 2011

Below are the 2011 meeting dates for the Washington wine commission board:

| Friday, January 28<br>8:00 a.m 5 p.m.        | Seattle (board retreat) Waterfront Seafood Grill 2801 Alaskan Way Pier 70 Seattle, WA 98121                                 | Facility phone (206) 956-8171 |
|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Friday, February 11<br>1:30 p.m 4:30<br>p.m. | Richland<br>Tri-Cities Visitor and Convention<br>Bureau<br>7130 West Grandridge Boulevard<br>Suite B<br>Kennewick, WA 99336 | Facility phone (509) 735-8486 |
| Friday, March 11                             | Seattle   |                               |
| Friday, April 8                              | Richland  |                               |
| Friday, May 6                                | Seattle   |                               |
| Friday, June 10                              | Richland  |                               |
| Friday, July 8                               | Richland  |                               |
| Friday, August 5                             | Seattle   |                               |
| Friday, September 9                          | Richland  |                               |
| October                                      | no meeting  |                               |
| Friday, November 4                           | Seattle   |                               |
| Friday, December 2                           | Seattle   |                               |
|  |   |                               |

All meetings (except otherwise noted, above) begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 12:00 p.m. The locations for the Richland and Seattle meetings are as follows (unless noted differently, above):

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WSU Tri-Cities
2710 University Drive
Room CIC 210
Richland, WA 99354-1671
Switchboard (509) 372-7000
Washington State Housing Finance Commission
1000 Second Avenue
28th Floor
Seattle, WA 98104
Switchboard (206) 464-7139

#### WSR 11-03-016 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

[Filed January 7, 2011, 9:39 a.m.]

NOTICE OF APPEAL RCW 34.05.330(3)

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.330(3), you are hereby notified for publication in the Washington State Register that:

On January 4, 2011, the Governor's Office received an appeal from Mr. John Worthington relating to the Washington State Board of Pharmacy's denial of a petition to repeal or amend WAC 246-887-100. His appeal was denied as untimely on January 5, 2011.

DATE: January 5, 2011 Narda Pierce General Counsel to the Governor

January 5, 2011

John Worthington 4500 SE 2nd Place Renton, WA 98059

Re: Administrative Rule Appeal - WAC 246-887-100

Dear Mr. Worthington:

This letter is in response to your petition for rulemaking, which was initially filed with the Washington State Board of Pharmacy (Board) on July 6, 2010. Pursuant to your waiver of the 60-day response requirement, the Board considered your petition at its September 16, 2010, meeting and issued its written denial on December 1, 2010. On January 4, 2011, the Governor's Office received your appeal of that denial under RCW 34.05.330. After consideration of your appeal petition and the Board's denial, I am writing to inform you that the Governor lacks jurisdiction to either grant or deny your petition.

Under the Administrative Procedures Act, the Governor lacks jurisdiction to consider petitions where the underlying agency has not issued a denial, where the petitioner fails to timely petition within thirty (30) days of the agency denial, or where the petitioner is petitioning an agency's denial to adopt a new rule. RCW 34.05.330.

This appeal was received by the Governor's Office after the statutory due date of December 30, 2010. Under the Admin-

istrative Procedure Act, it is untimely and cannot be considered by the Governor. As a result, your petition must be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Notwithstanding this, the Governor appreciates your interest in these matters of public concern.

Sincerely, Narda Pierce General Counsel

**Reviser's note:** The typographical error in the above section occurred in the copy filed by the agency and appears in the Register pursuant to the requirements of RCW 34.08.040.

#### WSR 11-03-017 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

(Dental Hygiene Examining Committee)

[Filed January 7, 2011, 11:55 a.m.]

In accordance with the Open Public Meeting[s] Act (chapter 42.30 RCW) and the Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 34.05 RCW), the following is the schedule of regular meetings for the department of health, dental hygiene examining committee, for the year 2011. The dental hygiene examining committee meetings are open to the public and access for persons with disabilities may be arranged with advance notice; please contact the staff person below for more information.

Agendas for the meetings listed below are made available in advance via listserv and the department of health web site (see below). Every attempt is made to ensure that the agenda is up-to-date. However, the dental hygiene examining committee reserves the right to change or amend agendas at the meeting.

| Date            | Time      | Location        |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|
| April 1, 2011   | 9:00 a.m. | Tumwater        |
| July 1, 2011    | 9:00 a.m. | Conference call |
| August 5, 2011  | 9:00 a.m. | Conference call |
| October 7, 2011 | 9:00 a.m. | Tumwater        |

If you need further information, please contact Vicki Brown, Program Manager, Dental Hygiene Examining Committee, Washington Department of Health, P.O. Box 47852, Olympia, WA 98504-7852, phone (360) 236-4865, fax (360) 236-2901, vicki.brown@doh.wa.gov, www.doh.wa.gov.

Please be advised the dental hygiene examining committee is required to comply with the Public Disclosure Act, chapter 42.56 RCW. This act establishes a strong state mandate in favor of disclosure of public records. As such, the information you submit to the board, including personal information, may ultimately be subject to disclosure as a public record.

Miscellaneous [12]

#### WSR 11-03-022 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS BELLINGHAM TECHNICAL COLLEGE

[Filed January 10, 2011, 9:21 a.m.]

The **regularly scheduled** meeting of the board of trustees of Bellingham Technical College will be held on Thursday, January 20, 2011, from 9:00 - 12:00 p.m., in the College Services Board Room on the Bellingham Technical College campus. Call 752-8334 for information.

## WSR 11-03-023 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

(Board of Natural Resources) [Filed January 10, 2011, 9:29 a.m.]

2011 MEETING DATES

Below is the schedule for the board of natural resources meetings for 2011. The meetings take place in Olympia at the Natural Resources Building in Room 172. Meetings begin at 9:00 a.m., but ending times will be determined as agendas are developed.

If you have any questions, please call the board coordinator at (360) 902-1103 or e-mail bnr@dnr.wa.gov.

January 4, 2011

February 1, 2011

March 1, 2011

April 5, 2011

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May 3, 2011

June 7, 2011

July 5, 2011

August (board retreat TBD)

September 6, 2011

October 4, 2011

November 1, 2011

December 6, 2011

# WSR 11-03-024 AGENDA DEPARTMENT OF RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

[Filed January 10, 2011, 10:56 a.m.]

#### Semi-Annual Rule-Making Agenda January through June 2011

The following is the department of retirement systems' (DRS) semi-annual rule-making agenda for publication in the Washington State Register pursuant to RCW 34.05.314.

There may be additional rule-making activity not on the agenda as conditions warrant. If you have questions about this rule-making agenda or the DRS rule-making process,

please contact Ken Goolsby, Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 48380, Olympia, WA 98504-8380, phone (360) 664-7291, e-mail Rules@drs.wa.gov.

| WAC<br>Chapter                  | Why rule making is needed   | Anticipated rule-making action  |
|---------------------------------|---|---|
| 415-02                          | To develop rule(s) regarding implementation of 401(h) medical reimbursement account for LEOFF Plan 2 and WSP survivors and catastrophically disabled members.                   | File CR-101,<br>file CR-102,<br>hold public<br>hearing,<br>file CR-103P |
| 415-108                         | Technical correction - WAC 415-108-710 currently conflicts internally and is not consistent with statute. Technical correction.   | File CR-102,<br>hold public<br>hearing,<br>file CR-103                  |
| 415-200,<br>415-111,<br>415-501 | To amend rules to implement E2SHB 2617 (2010) which eliminates the employee retirement benefits board (ERBB). Agency rules will need repealing and updating for implementation. | File CR-102,<br>hold public<br>hearing,<br>file CR-103                  |

Ken Goolsby Rules and Contracts Coordinator

#### WSR 11-03-027 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE

[Filed January 10, 2011, 3:42 p.m.]

Following is the schedule of regular meetings for The Evergreen State College board of trustees for 2011:

| Date        | Time    | Location                    |
|-------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| January 19, | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
| 2011        | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|             |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|             |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| March 8,    | 10:00 - | The Evergreen State College |
| 2011        | 5:00    | Tacoma                      |
|             |         | 1210 Sixth Avenue           |
|             |         | Tacoma, WA 98405            |
| March 9,    | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
| 2011        | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|             |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|             |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |

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| Date          | Time    | Location                    |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| May 10, 2011  | 10:00 - | The Evergreen State College |
| ,             | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| May 11, 2011  | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
|               | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| June 9, 2011  | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
|               | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| July 20, 2011 | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
|               | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| September     | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
| 19, 2011      | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |
| November 9,   | 9:00 -  | The Evergreen State College |
| 2011          | 5:00    | 2700 Evergreen Parkway N.W. |
|               |         | Boardroom LIB 3201          |
|               |         | Olympia, WA 98505           |

If you need further information contact the president's office, LIB 3200, (360) 867-6100, fax (360) 867-6577, carmichj@evergreen.edu, or on-line at http://www.evergreen.edu/trustees.

## WSR 11-03-029 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS RECREATION AND CONSERVATION OFFICE

(Recreation and Conservation Funding Board) [Filed January 11, 2011, 9:09 a.m.]

The next public meeting for the recreation and conservation funding board scheduled for February 1, 2011, has been cancelled. The next meeting will be held on March 31, 2011 - April 1, 2011.

For further information, please contact Tauren Ibarra at (360) 902-3013 or check recreation and conservation office's web page at http://www.rco.wa.gov/rcfb/board/schedule.htm

# WSR 11-03-030 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS DRY PEA AND LENTIL COMMISSION

[Filed January 11, 2011, 9:09 a.m.]

### Annual Meeting Schedule Fiscal Year 2010-2011

The Washington dry pea and lentil commission announces the following revised meeting schedule for the 2010-11 fiscal year as of January 7, 2011:

| Date   | Time      | Place                                      | Notes  |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| January 28, 2011<br>Friday (moved to make<br>room for Ag Show) | 9:00 a.m. | USADPLC Stateline Offices<br>Moscow, Idaho | Joint meeting with Idaho commission and WPLGA board (DC mission)   |
| March 23, 2011<br>Wednesday                                    | 9:00 a.m. | USADPLC Stateline Offices<br>Moscow, Idaho | Joint meeting with the Idaho commission and WPLGA board (planting projections)   |
| May 26, 2011<br>Thursday                                       | 9:00 a.m. | USADPLC Stateline Offices<br>Moscow, Idaho | Joint meeting with Idaho commission and WPLGA board (budget approval/policy discussions, contract approval)                    |
| September 21, 2011<br>Wednesday                                | 9:00 a.m. | USADPLC Stateline Offices<br>Moscow, Idaho | Joint meeting with Idaho commission and WPLGA board (farm bill/policy update, review contracts)                                |
| November 21, 2011<br>Monday                                    | 9:00 a.m. | USADPLC Stateline Offices<br>Moscow, Idaho | Joint meeting with Idaho commission and WPLGA board (farm bill/policy update, review contracts, report from universities, RMA) |

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| Date             | Time        | Place                     | Notes                                   |
|------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|
| December 7, 2011 | 8:00 - 4:00 | University Inn            | WPLGA annual grower meeting             |
| Wednesday        |             | Moscow, Idaho             | annual commission reports               |
| December 8, 2011 | 9:00 a.m.   | USADPLC Stateline Offices | Joint meeting with Idaho commission and |
| Thursday         |             | Moscow, Idaho             | WPLGA board (budget/election of WPLGA   |
|                  |             |                           | officers, travel approval)              |

If you have any questions about the meeting schedule, please contact Todd Scholz or Tim McGreevy at (208) 882-3023 or e-mail at pulse@pea-lentil.com.

## WSR 11-03-031 POLICY STATEMENT UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

[Filed January 11, 2011, 12:46 p.m.]

The University of Washington has recently revised the following policy statements:

- "Campuses, Colleges, and Schools," revised effective July 1, 2010 (Executive Order No. IX).
- "Types of University Personnel," revised effective July 12, 2010 (*UW Employment and Administrative Policies*, Chapter 101, Section 1).
- "Chemical Hazard Communication Program," revised effective July 13, 2010 (Administrative Policy Statement 12.5).
- "University Organization Chart," revised effective July 28, 2010 (Administrative Policy Statement 1.1).
- "Accident, Injury, and Illness Reporting," revised effective September 28, 2010 (Administrative Policy Statement 10.8).
- "The Vice President for External Affairs," revised effective October 11, 2010 (Executive Order No. 11).

To view any current policy statement, see http://www.washington.edu/admin/rules/policies/. To request a paper copy of any policy listed above, contact Rebecca Goodwin Deardorff, Director of Rules Coordination, University of Washington, Box 351210, Seattle, WA 98195-1210, e-mail rules@uw.edu, or fax (206) 685-3825.

# WSR 11-03-034 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS LIFE SCIENCES DISCOVERY FUND AUTHORITY

[Filed January 12, 2011, 9:11 a.m.]

Please note the updated or new information struck through or underlined below for the life sciences discovery fund authority (agency #3560) 2011 board meetings. Note as well that we will post our public meeting agenda and any call-in information as appropriate on our web site http://www.lsdfa.org/about/staff/meetings.html prior to each meeting.

#### **2011 Public Board Meeting Dates**

(times are approximate and subject to change)

| Tuesday                | 8:30 a.m                       | Washington Dagorah Founda                  |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Tuesday,<br>February 1 | 0.00 0 0000000                 | Washington Research Founda-<br>tion Office |
| redition 1             | <del>5 p.m.</del><br>9:15 a.m. | 2815 Eastlake Avenue East                  |
|                        | 9.13 a.III.                    | Suite 300                                  |
|                        |                                | Seattle, WA                                |
|                        | 10.00                          | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·      |
| Tuesday,               | 10:30 a.m                      | (via telecon)                              |
| February 8             | 11:00 a.m.                     |  |
| Tuesday,               | 8:30 a.m                       | Washington Research Founda-                |
| April 26               | 5 p.m.                         | tion Office                                |
|                        |                                | 2815 Eastlake Avenue East                  |
|                        |                                | Suite 300                                  |
|                        |                                | Seattle, WA                                |
| Tuesday,               | 10:30 a.m                      | (via telecon)                              |
| May 3                  | 11:00 a.m.                     |  |
| Tuesday,               | 8:30 a.m                       | Washington Research Founda-                |
| July 12                | 5:00 p.m.                      | tion Office                                |
|                        |                                | 2815 Eastlake Avenue East                  |
|                        |                                | Suite 300                                  |
|                        |                                | Seattle, WA                                |
| Tuesday,               | 8:30 a.m                       | Washington Research Founda-                |
| September 13           | 5:00 p.m.                      | tion Office                                |
|                        |                                | 2815 Eastlake Avenue East                  |
|                        |                                | Suite 300                                  |
|                        |                                | Seattle, WA                                |
| Tuesday,               | 10:30 a.m                      | (via telecon)                              |
| September 20           | 11:00 a.m.                     |  |
| Tuesday,               | 8:30 a.m                       | Washington Research Founda-                |
| November 8             | 5:00 p.m.                      | tion Office                                |
|                        |                                | 2815 Eastlake Avenue East                  |
|                        |                                | Suite 300                                  |
|                        |                                | Seattle, WA                                |

#### WSR 11-03-035 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS LOTTERY COMMISSION

[Filed January 12, 2011, 9:20 a.m.]

COMMISSION MEETING Thursday, January 27, 2011 Lottery Headquarters Olympia, Washington 1:00 p.m.

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#### WSR 11-03-036 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS LOTTERY COMMISSION

[Filed January 12, 2011, 9:20 a.m.]

WORK SESSION Thursday, January 27, 2011 Lottery Headquarters Olympia, Washington 8:30 a.m.

#### WSR 11-03-037 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

[Filed January 12, 2011, 9:20 a.m.]

January 10 Lowering of the Washington State and United States Flags

I hereby direct that Washington State and United States flags at all State agency facilities be lowered to half-staff this week in memory of the victims of the Arizona tragedy.

### <u>Please notify all of your field offices and facilities around the state.</u>

Other government entities, citizens and businesses are encouraged to join this recognition.

Flags should remain at half-staff until close of business/sunset Friday, January 14, 2011.

Please call (360) 902-0383 if you have any questions about this flag lowering.

Christine O. Gregoire Governor

#### WSR 11-03-039 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS SKAGIT VALLEY COLLEGE

[Filed January 12, 2011, 9:59 a.m.]

The Skagit Valley College (Community College District No. 4) board of trustees has changed the following regular meetings:

From: February 8, 2011
To: February 22, 2011
From: March 8, 2011
To: March 22, 2011

If you need further information, please contact Lisa Radeleff, President's Office, 2405 East College Way, Mount Vernon, WA 98273, (360) 416-7995 (office), (360) 416-7773 (fax), lradeleff@skagit.edu, www.skagit.edu.

## WSR 11-03-042 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS SEATTLE COMMUNITY COLLEGES

[Filed January 13, 2011, 9:12 a.m.]

In compliance with RCW 42.30.075, the Seattle Community Colleges - District VI board of trustees is holding a special meeting (retreat) on January 12, 2011, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 2001 8th Avenue, Room 2809, Seattle, WA 98121.

If you have any questions, please contact Harrietta Hanson at (206) 587-3850.

## WSR 11-03-043 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS FORENSIC INVESTIGATIONS COUNCIL

[Filed January 13, 2011, 9:12 a.m.]

Pursuant to RCW 42.30.075, the forensic investigations council meeting scheduled for January 21, 2011, at the WA Counties Building in Olympia, Washington is being cancelled

If you have questions or need further information, David McEachran can be reached at (360) 676-6784.

#### WSR 11-03-044 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS CONVENTION CENTER

[Filed January 13, 2011, 9:12 a.m.]

A regular meeting of the Washington state convention center public facilities district board of directors will be held on Tuesday, January 18, 2011, at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will take place in Room 303 of the Convention Center, 800 Pike Street, Seattle.

If you have any questions regarding the board meeting, please call (206) 694-5000.

# WSR 11-03-045 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENSE

[Filed January 13, 2011, 10:53 a.m.]

Washington state office of public defense (OPD) will hold its quarterly advisory committee meetings as follows:

March 7, 2011 11:30 a.m. Temple of Justice (Supreme

to Court)

12:45 p.m. Chief Justice's Reception Room

415 12th Avenue S.W. Olympia, WA 98501

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The remaining meeting dates are:

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--|--|
| June 9, 2011                     | 9:30 a.m.<br>to<br>11:30 a.m. | Administrative Office of the<br>Courts<br>SeaTac Office Center-South<br>Tower<br>18000 International Boulevard<br>Suite 1106<br>SeaTac, WA 98188-4251 |  |  |
| September 22, 2011               | 9:30 a.m.<br>to<br>11:30 a.m. | Administrative Office of the<br>Courts<br>SeaTac Office Center-South<br>Tower<br>18000 International Boulevard<br>Suite 1106<br>SeaTac, WA 98188-4251 |  |  |
| December 8, 2011                 | 9:30 a.m.<br>to<br>11:30 a.m. | Administrative Office of the<br>Courts<br>SeaTac Office Center-South<br>Tower<br>18000 International Boulevard<br>Suite 1106<br>SeaTac, WA 98188-4251 |  |  |

Contact OPD at (360) 586-3164, extension 100 if you have questions regarding the above meeting schedule.

## WSR 11-03-055 INTERPRETIVE AND POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

[Filed January 14, 2011, 9:14 a.m.]

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.230(12), following are policy and interpretive statements issued by the department regarding the insurance services division policies.

If you have any questions or need additional information please call Tamara Jones at (360) 902-6805.

**Insurance Services Division:** Employer Services Program Policy.

**New Policy 63.72:** Assigning and Reassigning Accounts to Claims with Final Orders.

This policy clarifies for consistency the application of final and binding status of allowance, liability, and/or rejection orders when reassigning a claim between two subaccounts under a single policy.

Contact Jo Anne Attwood, P.O. Box 44148, Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 902-4777, smij235@lni.wa.gov.

**Insurance Services Division:** Employer Services Program and Fraud Prevention and Compliance Program Policy.

**Amended Policy 63.68:** Completing Master Business Applications for Unregistered Employers.

This policy has been updated to clarify the guidelines for the department in completing a master business application to open an account for an unregistered employer who has not voluntarily applied for industrial insurance coverage.

Contact Jo Anne Attwood, P.O. Box 44148, Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 902-4777, smij235@lni.wa.gov.

Amended Policy 91.27: Audit Adjustments' Tolerance. This policy applies to premium audits of state fund accounts and describes when premiums will be adjusted from

an audit. This policy applies only to the change in premiums during the audit period, independent of any penalty or interest amounts.

Contact Angie Niemeyer, P.O. Box 44150, Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 902-4752, wiao235@lni.wa.gov.

#### New Policy 91.29: Audit Collection Tolerance.

This policy applies to premium audits of state fund accounts and describes which collections unit will be assigned to an audit resulting in a debit balance.

Contact Angie Niemeyer, P.O. Box 44150, Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 902-4752, wiao235@lni.wa.gov.

Tamara Jones
Assistant Director of
Legislative and Government Affairs

#### WSR 11-03-056 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

[Filed January 14, 2011, 9:26 a.m.]

NOTICE OF APPEAL RCW 34.05.330(3)

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.330(3), you are hereby notified for publication in the Washington State Register that:

On January 5, 2011, the Governor's Office received an Administrative Rule Appeal from Ms. Janet Varon regarding the Department of Social and Health Service's emergency amendment to WAC 388-502-0160. The Governor denied the Petition on January 12, 2011.

DATE: January 12, 2011

Narda Pierce

General Counsel to the Governor

January 12, 2011

Janet Varon On behalf of POWER 4759 15th Avenue NE, #305 Seattle, WA 98105

RE: Petition for Repeal of Emergency Rule Change WSR 11-02-026

Dear Ms. Varon:

Thank you for your letter of January 5, 2011, and the attached "Petition for Adoption, Amendment, or Repeal of a State Administrative Rule (RCW 34.05.350)" in which you petition for the repeal of the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) Emergency Rule Change WSR 11-02-026.

DSHS cited RCW 34.05.350(1)(b) and (c) as the grounds for adoption of the rule on an emergency basis. Those subsections provide that an agency may adopt an emergency rule "if the agency finds that state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule" or "in order to implement the requirements or reductions in appropriations enacted in any budget for fiscal years 2009, 2010, or 2011, which necessi-

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tates the need for the immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the fiscal needs or requirements of the agency."

The Governor has limited authority under chapter 34.05 RCW with regard to emergency rules. RCW 34.05.350(3) provides that when a petitioner requests the immediate repeal of an emergency rule "[i]n ruling on the petition, the governor shall consider only whether the conditions in subsection (1) of this section were met such that adoption of the rule on an emergency basis was necessary." Thus, the only question for the Governor is whether the Department of Social and Health Services correctly concluded that the situation met the requirements of RCW 34.05.350(1)(b) or RCW 34.05.350 (1)(c).

DSHS stated the following reason for its findings under RCW 34.05.350: "Governor Gregoire issued Executive Order 10-04 on September 13, 2010, under the authority of RCW 43.88.110(7). In the Executive Order, the Governor required DSHS and all other state agencies to reduce their expenditures in state fiscal year 2011 by approximately 6.3%. As a consequence of the Executive Order, funding will no longer be available as of January 1, 2011, for the benefits that are being eliminated as part of these regulatory amendments. Delaying the adoption of these cuts to optional services could jeopardize the state's ability to maintain the mandatory Medicaid services for the majority of DSHS clients."

In order to meet state budget requirements, it was necessary to exclude certain categories of services from the state's Medicaid program. Since they are no longer included in Washington's benefit package, it was also essential to adopt immediate amendments to rules relating to providers that were consistent with the exclusion of certain services. While I encourage you to participate in the development of any permanent rules to provide input on the notice given to clients, I agree with DSHS that the situation addressed by Emergency Rule Change WSR 11-02-026 met the requirements of RCW 34.05.350(1)(b) or RCW 34.05.350(1)(c).

For these reasons, your petition for repeal of the Department of Social and Health Service Emergency Rule Change WSR 11-02-026 is denied.

Sincerely,

Christine O. Gregoire Governor

#### WSR 11-03-059 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS STATUTE LAW COMMITTEE

[Filed January 14, 2011, 12:53 p.m.]

Notice of Special Meeting

Historically, the statute law committee meets two times each calendar year.

The chair of the statute law committee has called a special meeting of the committee on Wednesday, January 19, from noon until 1:00 p.m. in the senate rules room located on the 2nd floor of the legislative building.

The purpose of this meeting is to consider endorsement of the bill draft concerning the publication authority of the committee.

Debbie Deibert or K. Kyle Thiessen are the contact persons for information concerning this meeting and can be reached at (360) 786-6777.

## WSR 11-03-060 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

[Filed January 14, 2011, 2:39 p.m.]

Pursuant to RCW 39.12.015, 39.12.020 and WAC 296-127-011, on January 6, 2011, the industrial statistician and director of labor and industries made a correction to the prevailing rates of wage. Pursuant to WAC 296-127-011, the corrected rates will become effective thirty days after publication, on February 5, 2011.

This wage rate correction affects the trade glaziers in Clark County.

Every contractor and subcontractor on every public works project must file a statement of intent to pay prevailing wages and an affidavit of wages paid. Both forms must be filed on every project. The filing of the affidavit of wages paid does not set aside the requirement to also file the statement of intent to pay prevailing wages. The department may fine contractors \$500 for failure to file these forms.

For more information on prevailing wage or a copy of the rates please visit our web site at www.lni.wa.gov/TradesLicensing/PrevailingWage/ or call (360) 902-5335.

Attached below are details to this correction.

David Soma Prevailing Wage Manager Industrial Statistician

State of Washington
Department of Labor and Industries
Prevailing Wage Section
Telephone (360) 902-5335
P.O. Box 44540
Olympia, WA 98504-4540

Washington State Prevailing Wage

The PREVAILING WAGES listed here include both the hourly wage rate and the hourly rate of fringe benefits. On public works projects, worker's wage and benefit rates must add to not less than this total. A brief description of overtime calculation requirements are provided on the benefit code key.

This is a correction to the glaziers rate in Clark County. An error was identified and corrected, in a survey response submitted during the wage-and-hour survey process.

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Changes to the journey level wages also impact apprentice wages. Use the apprentice wage rates lookup page.

| Publish Date: J | anuary 6, 2011.   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Effective Date: | February 5, 2011. |

| County  | Trade     | Corrected Job<br>Classification | Corrected Wage | Incorrect Job<br>Classification | Incorrect Wage |
|---------|-----------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| Clallam | Surveyors | All Classifications             | \$46.69        | All Classifications             | \$25.26        |

#### WSR 11-03-064 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

[Filed January 18, 2011, 9:08 a.m.]

Lowering of the Washington State and United States Flags

I hereby direct that Washington State and United States flags at all state agency facilities be lowered to half-staff **Tuesday, January 18, 2011**, in memory of U.S. Army Private First Class Robert J. Near, 21, of Granger, who died January 7 in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Kandahar Province, Afghanistan.

### <u>Please notify your staff and all of your field offices</u> and facilities around the state.

Flags should remain at half-staff until close of business Tuesday, or first thing Wednesday morning, January 19.

Other government entities, citizens and businesses are encouraged to join this recognition.

Please call (360) 902-0383 if you have any questions about this flag lowering.

Christine O. Gregoire Governor

#### WSR 11-03-065 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS RED RASPBERRY COMMISSION

[Filed January 18, 2011, 9:09 a.m.]

The Washington red raspberry commission has adopted the following meeting schedule for 2011:

#### 2011 Meeting Schedule

| January 26   | Lynden     |
|--------------|------------|
| April 13     | Puyallup   |
| September 21 | Mt. Vernon |
| October 26   | Lynden     |
| December 7   | Lynden     |
|              |            |

# WSR 11-03-070 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 18, 2011, 10:18 a.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

#### Medicaid Purchasing Administration Division of Rates and Finance

Document Title: Medicaid State Plan Amendment. Subject: Medicaid state plan amendment (SPA) 11-02. Effective Date: January 1, 2011.

Document Description: The department intends to submit an amendment to the Title XIX medicaid state plan to comply with the CMS state medicaid director letter (SMDL) #10-026, which provides guidance on implementing Section 6505 Prohibition on Payments to Institutions or Entities Located outside of the United States, of the Affordable Care Act of 2010. States are to submit SPAs to provide a statement of compliance with this prohibition on payments to any financial institution or entity located outside of the United States for any items or services provided under the state plan.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Carolyn Adams, Office of Hospital Rates, P.O. Box 45510, Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-1854, TDD/TTY 800-848-5429, fax (360) 753-9152, e-mail adamscr@dshs.wa.gov.

# WSR 11-03-071 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 18, 2011, 10:18 a.m.]

#### Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

#### Medicaid Purchasing Administration Division of Rates and Finance

Document Title: Medicaid State Plan Amendment 11-06.

Subject: Rural health centers.

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Effective Date: January 1, 2011.

Document Description: The department is submitting state plan amendment 11-06 to comply with legislation passed during the December 11, 2010, special session. The legislation directs the department to "reduce cost-based encounter payments to federally-qualified and rural health centers (FQHCs and RHCs) by reinstituting the federal prospective payment system that was replaced by an alternate payment methodology in 2009."

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Jean Bui, Office of Professional Rates, P.O. Box 45510, Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-1973, TDD/TTY 800-848-5429, fax (360) 586-7498, e-mail buija @dshs.wa.gov.

# WSR 11-03-072 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 18, 2011, 10:18 a.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

### **Economic Services Administration Division of Child Support (DCS)**

Document Title: Administrative Policy 1.25: How Staff Obtain an Anti-Harassment Order.

Subject: DCS policy regarding how staff may get an anti-harassment order to provide protection.

Effective Date: January 10, 2011.

Document Description: This administrative policy explains how employees of DCS may get an anti-harassment order to provide protection against a customer or member of the public who is associated with a child support case and who has engaged in threatening behavior against an employee who is carrying out DCS responsibilities.

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Janet Hazelton, DCS, P.O. Box 11520, Tacoma, WA 98411-5520, phone (360) 664-5236, TDD/TTY (360) 753-9122, fax (360) 586-3274, e-mail JHazelto @dshs.wa.gov, web site http://www.dshs.wa.gov/dcs/.

# WSR 11-03-073 INTERPRETIVE OR POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 18, 2011, 10:19 a.m.]

#### **Notice of Interpretive or Policy Statement**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.230(12), following is a list of policy and interpretive statements issued by the department of social and health services.

#### Medicaid Purchasing Administration Division of Rates and Finance

Document Title: Medicaid State Plan Amendment 11-05.

Subject: Federally qualified health centers.

Effective Date: January 1, 2011.

Document Description: The department is submitting state plan amendment 11-05 to comply with legislation passed during the December 11, 2010, special session. The legislation directs the department to "reduce cost-based encounter payments to federally-qualified and rural health centers (FQHCs and RHCs) by reinstituting the federal prospective payment system that was replaced by an alternate payment methodology in 2009."

To receive a copy of the interpretive or policy statements, contact Jean Bui, Office of Professional Rates, P.O. Box 45510, Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-1973, TDD/TTY 800-848-5429, fax (360) 586-7498, e-mail buija @dshs.wa.gov.

## WSR 11-03-074 DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

[Filed January 18, 2011, 11:06 a.m.]

#### Notice of Pending and Potential Legislation Regarding Medicaid Payment Rates to Nursing Facilities

The department of social and health services (DSHS) provides the following description of bills now under consideration by the Washington state legislature. If enacted, the bills would impact the nursing facility medicaid payment system, chapter 74.46 RCW. During session, the legislature can substantially change these proposals and there is no guarantee that any of the proposals will be enacted. To find and read the full text of bills before the legislature go to http://apps.leg. wa.gov/billinfo/.

Please comment on any of these proposals by doing any or all of the following:

- Contact your legislators. To identify your legislators and/or how to contact them go to www.leg.wa. gov;
- Call the legislative hotline at 1-800-562-6000 to leave a message on any issue;
- Comment to the legislative committees considering the bills and/or attend their hearings on the bills. To identify the committees, the hearing schedules, and/or to sign up and receive e-mail notices about the hearing schedules go to www.leg.wa.gov; and/or
- Send comments to Kathy Marshall, director, management services division, aging and disability services administration, DSHS at MarshKA@DSHS. wa.gov.

SB 5041 and HB 1149: These identical "companion" bills would clarify that in calculating the "financing allowance" component rate, the "minimum occupancy" assumption would be eighty-five percent for essential community

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providers, ninety percent for small nonessential community providers, and ninety-two percent for large nonessential community providers. Each would also clarify that "bed banking" would no longer have any effect on the calculation of the financing allowance component.

Each bill would also clarify that, after DSHS has fully implemented minimum data set 3.0, there will be no requirement to adjust any semiannual rate setting which used the previously established case mix adjustment using the new minimum data set 3.0 data.

Further, each bill would provide that, to allow for the transition to minimum data set 3.0 and implementation of resource utilization group (RUG) IV, for the July 1, 2011, through July 1, 2012, cost-rebasing periods, DSHS may determine the calendar quarter or quarters upon which the facility average case mix index will be calculated.

**HB 1249:** The governor's supplemental budget proposes certain changes to the nursing facility medicaid payment system in chapter 74.46 RCW. HB 1249 would make these statutory changes, which would:

- Amend RCW 74.46.431 to provide, beginning July 1, 2013, for the rebasing of costs biennially during every odd-numbered year, using cost report data from two years prior to the rebase period. For example, adjusted cost report data from 2011 would be used for rates from July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2015, and so forth. Adjusted cost report data for calendar year 2007 would continue to be used for rates through June 30, 2013.
- Amend RCW 74.46.437 to provide that the factor used to calculate the allowable return on investment in setting the financing allowance component rate be changed to 4.0 percent for all facilities, from the current two-tiered factor of ten percent or 8.5 percent depending on date of acquisition. The section would also be amended to clarify that in calculating the financing allowance component rate, the minimum occupancy assumption would be eighty-five percent for essential community providers, ninety percent for small nonessential community providers, and ninety-two percent for large nonessential community providers. The section would further be amended to clarify that bed banking would no longer have any effect on the calculation of the financing allowance component rate.
- Amend RCW 74.46.485 to provide that DSHS may adjust the case mix index for any of the lowest ten resource utilization group categories beginning with PA1 through PE2 to any case mix index that aids in achieving the purpose and intent of RCW 74.39A.-007 and cost-efficient care; and to remove the requirement that, after DSHS has fully implemented minimum data set 3.0, it must adjust any semiannual rate setting in which it used the previously established case mix adjustment using the new minimum data set 3.0 data.
- Amend RCW 74.46.496 to provide that case mix weights shall be determined by assigning the lowest case mix weight (rather than a case mix weight of

- 1.000) to the resource utilization group III classification group with the lowest total weighted minutes.
- Amend RCW 74.46.501 to provide that, to allow for the transition to minimum data set 3.0 and implementation of resource utilization group IV for the July 1, 2011, through July 1, 2012, cost-rebasing periods DSHS may determine the calendar quarter or quarters upon which the facility average case mix will be calculated.
- Repeal RCW 74.46.433 concerning the variable return component rate. The effect of the repeal would be to accelerate the termination of the variable return component rate to March 1, 2011, from the currently scheduled termination date of July 1, 2011.

This proposal has an emergency clause that would put it into effect on March 1, 2011.

In addition to the possible legislation described above, other legislative proposals impacting the nursing facility medicaid payment system, chapter 74.46 RCW, may be considered by the legislature. Persons interested in this subject should frequently check the legislative web site noted above.

## WSR 11-03-075 NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

(Real Estate Appraiser Commission)

[Filed January 18, 2011, 1:33 p.m.]

The real estate appraiser commission meetings will meet on a regular basis per WAC 308-125-225. Regular meetings are scheduled in February, May, August and November on the third Friday.

Following is the schedule for the year 2011:

| February 18, 2011 | Labor & Industries      |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
|                   | 7273 Linderson Way S.E. |
|                   | Rooms S 17 and 18       |
|                   | Tumwater, WA 98501      |
| May 20, 2011      | Labor & Industries      |
|                   | 7273 Linderson Way S.E. |
|                   | Rooms S 17 and 18       |
|                   | Tumwater, WA 98501      |
| August 19, 2011   | Labor & Industries      |
|                   | 7273 Linderson Way S.E. |
|                   | Rooms S 17 and 18       |
|                   | Tumwater, WA 98501      |
| November 18, 2011 | Labor & Industries      |
|                   | 7273 Linderson Way S.E. |
|                   | Rooms S 17 and 18       |
|                   | Tumwater, WA            |

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## WSR 11-03-085 INTERPRETIVE AND POLICY STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

[Filed January 19, 2011, 8:46 a.m.]

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.230(12), enclosed is a policy and interpretive statement issued by the department regarding the insurance services division policy.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Tamara Jones at (360) 902-6805.

**Insurance Services Division:** Employer Services Program and Field Audit Program

**Amended Policy 91.53:** Employer Misrepresentation—Penalty.

This policy defines "employer misrepresentation" and provides guidelines for applying the penalty for employer misrepresentation. The policy states that a regional penalty review committee will be established in each region.

**Contact** Angie Niemeyer, P.O. Box 44150, Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 902-4752, wiao235@lni.wa.gov.

Tamara Jones Assistant Director of Legislative and Government Affairs

#### WSR 11-03-087 INTERPRETIVE STATEMENT DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

[Filed January 19, 2011, 8:47 a.m.]

#### INTERPRETIVE STATEMENT ISSUED

The department issued ETA 3164.2011 *Public Utility Pole Attachment Contracts*. This ETA explains when the leasehold excise tax applies to utility pole attachment contracts allowing a private lessee access to a publicly-owned utility pole for the purpose of attaching wires or cables.

A copy of this document is available via the internet at Recent Rule and Interpretive Statements, Adoptions, and Repeals.

Alan R. Lynn Rules Coordinator

#### WSR 11-03-090 AGENDA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

[Filed January 19, 2011, 9:18 a.m.]

#### Semi-Annual Rule-Making Agenda January through June 2011

The following is the Washington state board of education's (SBE) rule-making agenda for January through June 2011. There may be additional rule-making activity not on the agenda as conditions warrant.

If you have any questions about this rule-making agenda, please contact Brad Burnham, P.O. Box 47206, Olympia, WA 98504, phone (360) 725-6029, e-mail brad.burnham@k12.wa.us.

| WAC Citation | Subject Matter  |                         | <b>Current Activity</b>                       |                    |
|--------------|---|-------------------------|---|--------------------|
|              |   | Preproposal<br>(CR-101) | Proposed (CR-102)<br>or<br>Expedited (CR-105) | Permanent (CR-103) |
| 180-16-195   | Proposed revision to improve efficiency and streamline compliance requirements. The revision would require school districts to submit compliance forms electronically rather than mailing in paper forms. |                         |   |                    |
| 180-16-210   | Repeal is necessary due to changes to RCW 28A.150.250 that become effective September 1, 2011, as set forth in ESHB 2261, chapter 548, Laws of 2009.  |                         |   |                    |
| 180-16-215   | Revision is necessary due to changes to RCW 28A.150.250 that become effective September 1, 2011, as set forth in ESHB 2261, chapter 548, Laws of 2009.  |                         |   |                    |

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