

WSR 14-15-092
PERMANENT RULES
DEPARTMENT OF

SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Aging and Long-Term Support Administration)

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Purpose: This rule change establishes a new residential support waiver for adult family homes to provide specific behavior support services under contract with the department, as negotiated in collective bargaining. This rule identifies the scope of services, eligibility criteria, and payment requirements. In addition, this rule makes some minor changes to regulatory and statutory references, program titles, and terminology.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 388-106-0015, 388-106-0030, 388-106-0040, 388-106-0070, 388-106-0110, 388-106-0120, 388-106-0200, 388-106-0225, 388-106-0305, 388-106-0805, 388-106-0900, and 388-106-0955

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 74.08.090 and 74.09.520.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-11-091 on May 21, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: In WAC 388-106-0015(16), the following words have been deleted from the description of residential support, "licensed and contracted enhanced services facility or in a." The department will offer residential services in enhanced services facilities through a new 1915i state plan option, not through the residential support waiver. Within this rule, all other references to "enhanced services facilities" remain unchanged.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Comply with Federal Statute: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; Federal Rules or Standards: New 7, Amended 12, Repealed 0; or Recently Enacted State Statutes: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-16-026, filed 7/25/12, effective 8/25/12)

WAC 388-106-0015 What long-term care services does the department provide? The department provides long-term care services through programs that are designed to help you remain in the community. These programs offer

an alternative to nursing home care (which is described in WAC 388-106-0350 through 388-106-0360). You may receive services from any of the following:

(1) **Medicaid personal care (MPC)** is a medicaid state plan program authorized under RCW 74.09.520. Clients eligible for this program may receive personal care in their own home or in a residential facility.

(2) **Community options program entry system (COPEs)** is a medicaid waiver program authorized under RCW 74.39A.030. Clients eligible for this program may receive personal care in their own home or in a residential facility.

(3) **Chore** is a state-only funded program authorized under RCW 74.39A.110. Grandfathered clients may receive assistance with personal care in their own home.

(4) **Volunteer chore** is a state-funded program that provides volunteer assistance with household tasks to eligible clients.

(5) **Program of all-inclusive care for the elderly (PACE)** is a medicaid/medicare managed care program authorized under 42 CFR 460.2. Clients eligible for this program may receive personal care and medical services in their own home, in residential facilities, and in adult day health centers.

(6) **Adult day health** is a supervised daytime program providing skilled nursing and rehabilitative therapy services in addition to core services outlined in WAC 388-106-0800.

(7) **Adult day care** is a supervised daytime program providing core services, as defined under WAC 388-106-0800.

(8) ~~((GAU-funded residential care))~~ **Medical care services** is a state-funded program authorized under ~~((WAC 388-400-0025))~~ RCW 74.09.035. Clients eligible for this program may receive personal care services in an adult family home or an adult residential care facility.

(9) **Residential care discharge allowance** is a service that helps eligible clients to establish or resume living in their own home.

(10) **Private duty nursing** is a medicaid service that provides an alternative to institutionalization in a hospital or nursing facility setting. Clients eligible for this program may receive at least four continuous hours of skilled nursing care on a day to day basis in their own home.

(11) **Senior Citizens Services Act (SCSA)** is a program authorized under chapter 74.38 RCW. Clients eligible for this program may receive community-based services as defined in RCW 74.38.040.

(12) **Respite program** is a program authorized under RCW 74.41.040 and WAC 388-106-1200. This program provides relief care for unpaid family or other caregivers of adults with a functional disability.

(13) **Programs for persons with developmental disabilities** are discussed in chapter 388-823 through ~~((388-853))~~ 388-850 WAC.

(14) **Nursing facility.**

(15) **New Freedom consumer directed services (NFCDS)** is a medicaid waiver program authorized under RCW 74.39A.030.

(16) Residential Support is a medicaid waiver program authorized under RCW 74.39A.030. Clients eligible for this program may receive personal care in a licensed adult family

home with a contract to provide specialized behavior services.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-11-082, filed 5/17/05, effective 6/17/05)

WAC 388-106-0030 Where can I receive services?

You may receive services:

- (1) In your own home.
- (2) In a residential facility, which includes licensed:
 - (a) Adult family homes, as defined in RCW 70.128.010.
 - (b) ~~((Boarding homes))~~ Assisted living facilities. Types of licensed and contracted assisted living facilities include:
 - (i) Assisted living facilities, as defined in WAC 388-110-020;
 - (ii) Enhanced adult residential care facilities, as defined in WAC 388-110-020;
 - (iii) Enhanced adult residential care facilities-specialized dementia care, as defined in WAC 388-110-020; ~~((and))~~
 - (iv) Adult residential care facilities, as defined in WAC 388-110-020; and
 - (c) Enhanced services facility, when available, as defined in RCW 70.97.010(12).
- (3) In a nursing home, as defined in WAC 388-97-005.

Reviser's note: RCW 34.05.395 requires the use of underlining and deletion marks to indicate amendments to existing rules. The rule published above varies from its predecessor in certain respects not indicated by the use of these markings.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-18-039 and 13-17-125, filed 8/29/13 and 8/21/13, effective 10/1/13)

WAC 388-106-0040 Who can provide long-term care services? The following types of providers can provide long-term care services:

- (1) Individual providers (IPs), who provide services to clients in their own home. IPs must meet the requirements outlined in WAC 388-71-0500 through ~~((388-71-05909))~~ 388-71-05640.
- (2) Home care agencies~~((, who))~~ that provide services to clients in their own home. Home care agencies must be licensed under chapter 70.127 RCW and chapter ~~((246-336))~~ 246-335 WAC and contracted with area agency on aging.
- (3) Residential providers, which include licensed adult family homes ~~((and boarding homes, who))~~, enhanced services facilities (when available), and assisted living facilities, that contract with the department to provide assisted living, adult residential care, and enhanced adult residential care services (which may also include specialized dementia care).
- (4) Providers who have contracted with the department to perform other services.
- (5) In the case of New Freedom consumer directed services (NFCDS), additional providers meeting NFCDS HCBS waiver requirements contracting with a department approved provider of fiscal management services.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-16-026, filed 7/25/12, effective 8/25/12)

WAC 388-106-0070 Will I be assessed in CARE? You will be assessed in CARE if you are applying for or receiving

~~((DDD))~~ DDA services, COPEs, MPC, chore, respite, adult day health, ~~((GAU-funded residential care))~~ medical care services, PACE, private duty nursing, residential support, and ~~((New Freedom or long-term care services within the WMP program))~~ new freedom.

If you are under the age of eighteen and within thirty calendar days of your next birthday, CARE determines your assessment age to be that of your next birthday.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 08-19-102, filed 9/17/08, effective 10/18/08)

WAC 388-106-0110 How does the CARE tool evaluate me for the exceptional care classification of the E Group? CARE places you in the exceptional care E Group classifications when the following criteria are met in either diagram 1 or 2:

Diagram 1
You have an ADL score of greater than or equal to 22.
AND
You need a turning/repositioning program.
AND
You need at least one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ External catheter; ■ Intermittent catheter; ■ Indwelling catheter care; ■ Bowel program; ■ Ostomy care; or ■ Total in self performance for toilet use.
AND
You need one of the following services provided by an individual provider, agency provider, a private duty nurse, or through self-directed care when in the in home setting, or provided by AFH ((boarding home)) <u>assisted living facility</u> staff, facility RN/LPN, facility staff or private duty nursing when living in a residential setting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Active range of motion (AROM); or ■ Passive range of motion (PROM).

Diagram 2
You have an ADL score of greater than or equal to 22.
AND
You need a turning/repositioning program.
AND
You need one of the following services provided by an individual provider, agency provider, a private duty nurse, or through self-directed care when in the in home setting, or provided by AFH ((boarding home)) <u>or assisted living facility</u> staff, facility RN/LPN, facility staff or private duty nursing when living in a residential setting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Active range of motion (AROM); or ■ Passive range of motion (PROM).
AND

Diagram 2
All of the following apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ You require IV nutrition support or tube feeding; ■ Your total calories received per IV or tube was greater than 50%; and ■ Your fluid intake by IV or tube is greater than 2 cups per day.
AND
You need assistance with one of the following, provided by an individual provider, agency provider, a private duty nurse, or through self-directed care when in the in home setting or provided by AFH((boarding home)) or <u>assisted living facility</u> staff, facility RN/LPN, facility staff, a private duty nurse or nurse delegation when living in a residential setting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Dialysis; or ■ Ventilator/respirator.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-11-082, filed 5/17/05, effective 6/17/05)

WAC 388-106-0120 What is the payment rate that the department will pay the provider if I receive personal care services in a residential facility? The department publishes rates and/or adopts rules to establish how much the department pays toward the cost of your care in a residential facility. (~~The department assigns payment rates to the CARE classification groups. Payment for care in a residential facility corresponds to the payment rate assigned to the classification group in which the CARE tool has placed you.~~)

(1) For COPES, MPC, medical care services, RCL, and new freedom programs, the department assigns payment rates to the CARE classification group. Under these programs, payment for care in a residential facility corresponds to the payment rate assigned to the classification group in which the CARE tool has placed you.

(2) When the service is available, the enhanced services facility rate is determined by legislative action and appropriation.

(3) The rate for adult family homes with a specialized behavior support contract is based on the CARE classification group and an add-on amount, which is negotiated through the collective bargaining process.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 06-05-022, filed 2/6/06, effective 3/9/06)

WAC 388-106-0200 What services may I receive under medicaid personal care (MPC)? You may be eligible to receive only the following services under medicaid personal care (MPC):

(1) Personal care services, as defined in WAC 388-106-0010, in your own home and, as applicable, assistance with personal care tasks while you are out of the home accessing community resources or working.

(2) Personal care services in one of the following residential care facilities:

(a) Adult family homes; or

(b) A licensed (~~(boarding home)~~) assisted living facility that has contracted with the department to provide adult residential care services.

(3) Nursing services, if you are not already receiving this type of service from another resource. A registered nurse may visit you and perform any of the following activities. The frequency and scope of the nursing services is based on your individual need as determined by your CARE assessment and any additional collateral contact information obtained by your case manager:

- (a) Nursing assessment/reassessment;
- (b) Instruction to you and your providers;
- (c) Care coordination and referral to other health care providers;

(d) Skilled treatment, only in the event of an emergency.

A skilled treatment is care that would require authorization, prescription, and supervision by an authorized practitioner prior to its provision by a nurse, for example, medication administration or wound care such as debridement. In none-emergency situations, the nurse will refer the need for any skilled medical or nursing treatments to a health care provider, a home health agency or other appropriate resource;

(e) File review; and/or

(f) Evaluation of health-related care needs affecting service planning and delivery.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 08-22-052, filed 11/3/08, effective 12/4/08)

WAC 388-106-0225 How do I pay for MPC? (1) If you live in your own home, you do not participate toward the cost of your personal care services.

(2) If you live in a residential facility and are:

(a) An SSI beneficiary who receives only SSI income, you only pay for board and room. You are allowed to keep a personal needs allowance of forty-one dollars and forty-four cents per month. Effective January 1, 2009 this amount will change to sixty-two dollars and seventy-nine cents;

(b) An SSI beneficiary who receives SSI and another source of income, you only pay for board and room. You are allowed to keep a personal needs allowance of forty-one dollars and forty-four cents. You keep an additional twenty dollars from non-SSI income. Effective January 1, 2009 this amount will change to sixty-two dollars and seventy-nine cents. This new amount includes the twenty dollar disregard;

(c) An SSI-related person under WAC (~~(388-475-0050)~~) 182-512-0050, you may be required to participate towards the cost of your personal care services in addition to your board and room if your financial eligibility is based on the facility's state contracted rate described in WAC (~~(388-513-1305)~~) 182-513-1305. You are allowed to keep a personal needs allowance of forty-one dollars and forty-four cents. You keep an additional twenty dollars from non-SSI income. Effective January 1, 2009 this amount will change to sixty-two dollars and seventy-nine cents. This new amount includes the twenty dollar disregard; or

(d) A (~~(general assistance)~~) medical care services client eligible for categorically needy medicaid coverage in an adult family home (AFH), you are allowed to keep a personal needs allowance (PNA) of thirty-eight dollars and eighty-

four cents per month. The remainder of your income must be paid to the AFH as your room and board up to the ((~~ADSA~~)) ALISA room and board standards((-); or

(e) A ((~~general assistance~~)) medical care services client eligible for categorically needy medicaid coverage in ((~~a boarding home~~)) an assisted living facility, you are authorized a personal needs grant of up to thirty-eight dollars and eighty-four cents per month((-); or

(f) Personal needs allowance (PNA) standards and the ((~~ADSA~~)) ALISA room and board standard can be found at <http://www.dshs.wa.gov/manuals/eaz/sections/LongTermCare/lcstandardsPNAchartsufile.shtml>.

(3) The department pays the residential care facility from the first day of service through the:

(a) Last day of service when the medicaid resident dies in the facility; or

(b) Day of service before the day the medicaid resident is discharged.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-15-087, filed 7/18/12, effective 8/18/12)

WAC 388-106-0305 What services may I receive under COPEs if I live in a residential facility? If you live in one of the following residential facilities: A licensed ((~~boarding home~~)) assisted living facility contracted with the department to provide assisted living, enhanced adult residential care, enhanced adult residential care-specialized dementia care or an adult family home, you may be eligible to receive only the following services under COPEs:

(1) Personal care services as defined under WAC 388-106-0010.

(2) Specialized durable and nondurable medical equipment and supplies under WAC ((~~388-543-1000~~)) 182-543-1000, when the items are:

(a) Medically necessary under WAC ((~~388-500-0005~~)) 182-500-0005; and

(b) Necessary: For life support; to increase your ability to perform activities of daily living; or to perceive, control, or communicate with the environment in which you live; and

(c) Directly medically or remedially beneficial to you; and

(d) In addition to and do not replace any medical equipment and/or supplies otherwise provided under medicaid and/or medicare; and

(e) In addition to and do not replace the services required by the department's contract with a residential facility.

(3) Training needs identified in CARE or in a professional evaluation, that are in addition to and do not replace the services required by the department's contract with the residential facility and that meet a therapeutic goal such as:

(a) Adjusting to a serious impairment;

(b) Managing personal care needs; or

(c) Developing necessary skills to deal with care providers.

(4) Transportation services, when the service:

(a) Provides access to community services and resources to meet a therapeutic goal;

(b) Is not diverting in nature;

(c) Is in addition to and does not replace the medicaid-brokered transportation or transportation services available in the community; and

(d) Does not replace the services required by DSHS contract in residential facilities.

(5) Skilled nursing, when the service is:

(a) Provided by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse under the supervision of a registered nurse;

(b) Beyond the amount, duration or scope of medicaid-reimbursed home health services as provided under WAC ((~~388-551-2100~~)) 182-551-2100; and

(c) In addition to and does not replace the services required by the department's contract with the residential facility (e.g. intermittent nursing services as described in WAC 388-78A-2310).

(6) Nursing services, when you are not already receiving this type of service from another resource. A registered nurse may visit you and perform any of the following activities. The frequency and scope of the nursing services is based on your individual need as determined by your CARE assessment and any additional collateral contact information obtained by your case manager.

(a) Nursing assessment/reassessment;

(b) Instruction to you and your providers;

(c) Care coordination and referral to other health care providers;

(d) Skilled treatment, only in the event of an emergency. A skilled treatment is care that would require authorization, prescription, and supervision by an authorized practitioner prior to its provision by a nurse, for example, medication administration or wound care such as debridement. In non-emergency situations, the nurse will refer the need for any skilled medical or nursing treatments to a health care provider, a home health agency or other appropriate resource.

(e) File review; and/or

(f) Evaluation of health-related care needs affecting service plan and delivery.

(7) Community transition services, if you are being discharged from the nursing facility or hospital and if services are necessary for you to live in a residential facility. Services:

(a) May include: Safety deposits, utility set up fees or deposits, health and safety assurances such as pest eradication, allergen control or one time cleaning prior to occupancy, moving fees, furniture, essential furnishings, and basic items essential for basic living outside the institution.

(b) Do not include rent, recreational or diverting items such as TV, cable or VCRs.

(8) Adult day health services as described in WAC 388-71-0706 when you are:

(a) Assessed as having an unmet need for skilled nursing under WAC 388-71-0712 or skilled rehabilitative therapy under WAC 388-71-0714, and:

(i) There is a reasonable expectation that these services will improve, restore or maintain your health status, or in the case of a progressive disabling condition, will either restore or slow the decline of your health and functional status or ease related pain or suffering;

(ii) You are at risk for deteriorating health deteriorating functional ability, or institutionalization; and

(iii) You have a chronic or acute health condition that you are not able to safely manage due to a cognitive, physical, or other functional impairment.

(b) Assessed as having needs for personal care or other core services, whether or not those needs are otherwise met.

(c) You are not eligible for adult day health if you:

(i) Can independently perform or obtain the services provided at an adult day health center;

(ii) Have referred care needs that:

(A) Exceed the scope of authorized services that the adult day health center is able to provide;

(B) Do not need to be provided or supervised by a licensed nurse or therapist;

(C) Can be met in a less structured care setting;

(D) In the case of skilled care needs, are being met by paid or unpaid caregivers;

(E) Live in a nursing home or other institutional facility;

or
(F) Are not capable of participating safely in a group care setting.

Residential Support

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0336 What services may I receive under the residential support waiver? You may receive the following services under the residential support waiver:

(1) Adult family homes with a specialized behavior support contract will provide personal care, supportive services, nurse delegation, supervision in the home and community, and 24-hour on-site response staff;

(2) Specialized durable and nondurable medical equipment and supplies under WAC 182-543-1000, when the items are:

(a) Medically necessary under WAC 182-500-0005; and

(b) Necessary: for life support; to increase your ability to perform activities of daily living; or to perceive, control, or communicate with the environment in which you live; and

(c) Directly medically or remedially beneficial to you; and

(d) In addition to and do not replace any medical equipment and/or supplies otherwise provided under medicaid and/or medicare; and

(e) In addition to and do not replace the services required by the department's contract with a residential facility.

(3) Client support training needs identified in CARE or in a professional evaluation, that are in addition to and do not replace the services required by the department's contract with the residential facility and that meet a therapeutic goal such as:

(a) Adjusting to a serious impairment;

(b) Managing personal care needs; or

(c) Developing necessary skills to deal with care providers.

(4) Nurse delegation when:

(a) You are receiving personal care from a registered or certified nursing assistant who has completed nurse delegation core training;

(b) Your medical condition is considered stable and predictable by the delegating nurse; and

(c) Services are provided in compliance with WAC 246-840-930.

(5) Skilled nursing, when the service is:

(a) Provided by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse under the supervision of a registered nurse;

(b) Beyond the amount, duration or scope of medicaid-reimbursed home health services as provided under WAC 182-551-2100; and

(c) In addition to and does not replace the services required by the department's contract with the residential facility.

(6) Nursing services, when you are not already receiving this type of service from another resource. A registered nurse may perform any of the following activities. The frequency and scope of the nursing services is based on your individual need as determined by your CARE assessment and any additional collateral contact information obtained by your case manager.

(a) Nursing assessment/reassessment;

(b) Instruction to you, your providers, and your caregivers;

(c) Care coordination and referral to other health care providers;

(d) Skilled treatment, only in the event of an emergency. A skilled treatment is care that would require authorization, prescription, and supervision by an authorized practitioner prior to its provision by a nurse, for example, medication administration or wound care such as debridement. In none-emergency situations, the nurse will refer the need for any skilled medical or nursing treatments to a health care provider or other appropriate resource.

(e) File review; and/or

(f) Evaluation of health-related care needs affecting service plan and delivery.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0338 Am I eligible for services funded by the residential support waiver? You are eligible for services funded by the residential support waiver if you meet all of the following criteria. The department must assess your needs in CARE and determine that:

(1) You are at least eighteen years or older and blind or have a disability, as defined in WAC 182-512-0050, or are age sixty-five or older;

(2) You meet financial eligibility requirements. This means the department will assess your finances and determine if your income and resources fall within the limits set in WAC 182-515-1505, income and resource criteria for home and community based waiver programs and hospice clients.

(3) Your CARE assessment shows you need the level of care provided in a nursing facility (or will likely need the level of care within thirty days unless residential support waiver services are provided) which is defined in WAC 388-106-0355(1).

(4) You currently reside at a state mental hospital or the psychiatric unit of a hospital past the time you are ready for discharge to the community; and

(5) You have been assessed as stable and ready for discharge by the hospital; and

(6) You have a history of frequent or protracted psychiatric hospitalizations; and

(7) Due to the protracted nature of your behavior and clinical complexity, you have no other placement options as evidenced by you being unsuccessful in finding community placement with otherwise qualified community providers; and

(8) You have behavioral or clinical complexity that requires the level of supplementary staffing available only in the qualified community settings provided through the residential support waiver; and

(9) You require caregiving staff with specific training in providing personal care, supervision, and behavioral supports to adults with challenging behaviors. Under this section, "challenging behaviors" means a persistent pattern of behaviors or uncontrolled symptoms of a cognitive or mental condition that inhibit the individual's functioning in public places, in the facility, or integration within the community. These behaviors have been present for long periods of time or have manifested as an acute onset.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0340 When do services from the residential support waiver start? Your eligibility for Residential Support begins the date the department authorizes services.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0342 How do I remain eligible for residential support waiver services? (1) In order to remain eligible for residential support waiver services, you must be in need of services as determined through a CARE assessment and as determined by the department. Your CARE assessment must show your need for the level of care provided in a nursing facility, as defined in WAC 388-106-0355(1). The assessment in CARE must be completed at least annually or more often when there are significant changes in your functional or financial circumstances.

(2) When eligibility statutes, regulations and/or rules for the residential support waiver change, irrespective of whether your functional or financial circumstances have changed, if you do not meet the changed eligibility requirements, the department will terminate your Residential Support services.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0344 How do I pay for residential support waiver services? Depending on your income and resources, you may be required to pay participation toward the cost of your care, as outlined in WAC 182-515-1505. If you have nonexempt income that exceeds the cost of residential support services, you may retain the difference. If you are receiving services in an adult family home with a specialized behavior support contract you must use your income to pay for your room and board and services. You are allowed to keep some of your income for personal needs allowance (PNA). The department determines the amount of PNA that

you may keep. The department pays the facility for the difference between what you pay and the department-set rate for the facility. The department pays the residential care facility from the first day of service through the:

(1) Last day of service when the medicaid resident dies in the facility; or

(2) Day of service before the day the medicaid resident is discharged.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0346 Can I be employed and receive residential support waiver services? You can be employed and receive residential support services, per WAC 182-515-1505.

NEW SECTION

WAC 388-106-0348 Are there waiting lists for the residential support waiver services? The department will create a waiting list in accordance with caseload limits determined by legislative funding. Wait listed clients will gain access in the following manner:

(1) Length of time since the participant requested placement;

(2) Continued functional and financial eligibility;

(3) Geographical preferences; and

(4) Choice of provider, setting, and roommate.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-11-082, filed 5/17/05, effective 6/17/05)

WAC 388-106-0805 Am I eligible for adult day care?

(1) If you receive COPES (~~(or MNIW)~~), you may be eligible for adult day care as a waiver service if you are assessed as having an unmet need for one or more of the following core services:

(a) Personal care services;

(b) Routine health monitoring with consultation from a registered nurse;

(c) General therapeutic activities; or

(d) Supervision and/or protection if required for your safety.

(2) You are not eligible for adult day care if you receive COPES (~~(or MNIW)~~) and you:

(a) Can independently perform or obtain the services provided at an adult day care center;

(b) Have unmet needs that can be met through the COPES (~~(or MNIW)~~) program more cost effectively without authorizing day care services;

(c) Have referred care needs that:

(i) Exceed the scope of authorized services that the adult day care center is able to provide;

(ii) Can be met in a less structured care setting; or

(iii) Are being met by paid or unpaid caregivers.

(d) Live in a nursing home, (~~(boarding home)~~) assisted living facility, adult family home, or other licensed institutional or residential facility; or

(e) Are not capable of participating safely in a group care setting.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-11-082, filed 5/17/05, effective 6/17/05)

WAC 388-106-0900 ~~What services may I receive under ((GAU-funded residential care))~~ medical care services? You may receive personal care services in an adult family home or a licensed ~~((boarding home))~~ assisted living facility contracted with the department to provide adult residential care services. You may also receive nurse delegation services under this program.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-11-082, filed 5/17/05, effective 6/17/05)

WAC 388-106-0955 Am I eligible for residential care discharge allowance? You are eligible for a residential discharge allowance if you:

- (1) Receive long-term care services from home and community services;
- (2) Are being discharged from a hospital, nursing facility, a licensed ~~((boarding home))~~ assisted living facility, enhanced services facility, or adult family home to your own home;
- (3) Do not have other programs, services, or resources to assist you with these costs; and
- (4) Have needs beyond what is covered under the community transition service (under COPES((:)) and MNRW((: and MNRW))).

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PERMANENT RULES

HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

(Washington Apple Health)

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Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: **Medicaid Expansion WACs - Phase 5.** The health care authority (HCA) is implementing new regulations under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act in preparation for healthcare reform in Washington state. This includes the establishment of standalone rules for medical assistance programs, which are required under 2E2SHB 1738, Laws of 2011, which creates HCA as the single state agency responsible for the administrations and supervision of Washington apple health (medicaid program).

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Repealing WAC 182-503-0532, 182-503-0555, 182-503-0560, 182-504-0030, 182-504-0040, 182-504-0100, 182-506-0020, 182-508-0010, 182-508-0015, 182-508-0020, 182-508-0030, 182-508-0035, 182-508-0040, 182-508-0050, 182-508-0060, 182-508-0070, 182-508-0080, 182-508-0090, 182-508-0100, 182-508-0110, 182-508-0120, 182-508-0130, 182-508-0160, 182-508-0220, 182-508-0230, 182-508-0300, 182-508-0305, 182-508-0310, 182-508-0315, 182-508-0320, 182-508-0325, 182-508-0330, 182-508-0335, 182-508-0340, 182-508-0345, 182-508-0350, 182-508-0355, 182-508-0360, 182-508-0365, 182-508-0370, 182-508-0375, 182-509-0005, 182-509-0015, 182-509-0025, 182-509-0030, 182-509-0035, 182-509-0045, 182-509-0055, 182-509-0065, 182-509-0080,

182-509-0085, 182-509-0095, 182-509-0100, 182-509-0110, 182-509-0135, 182-509-0155, 182-509-0165, 182-509-0175, 182-509-0200, 182-509-0205, 182-509-0210, 182-509-0225, 182-523-0110, 182-523-0120 and 182-550-5125; and amending WAC 182-508-0005, 182-508-0150, 182-523-0100, 182-523-0130, 182-534-0100, 182-550-1200, 182-550-1700, 182-550-2521, 182-550-2650, and 182-550-6700.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 41.05.021, 41.05.160.

Other Authority: Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111-148); 42 C.F.R. § 431, 435, and 457; and 45 C.F.R. § 155.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-10-079 on May 6, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: The following changes were made from the version filed as WSR 14-10-079 on May 6, 2014:

WAC 182-508-0005: Changed title: "Eligibility for Washington apple health medical care services—Eligibility and scope of coverage."

(1) A person is eligible for state-funded Washington apple health (WAH) medical care services (MCS) coverage to the extent of available funds if the person is:

(a) Determined by the department of social and health services to be eligible for benefits under either the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-400-0060 or the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-400-0070; and

(b) Not eligible for another federally funded categorically needy (CN) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0020) or alternative benefits plan (ABP) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0010) WAH program.

~~(2) A person is not eligible for WAH MCS if he or she is eligible for federally funded or federally matched programs (see WAC 182-503-0505(2)).~~ If an enrollment cap exists under WAC 182-508-0150, a waiting list of persons may be established.

(3) A person's period of eligibility for MCS is the same as either the person's period of eligibility for the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-449-0150 or the person's incapacity authorization period for the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-447-0110.

(4) The MCS program covers only the medically necessary services identified in WAC 182-501-0060.

(5) The MCS program does not cover medical services received outside the state of Washington unless the medical services are provided in a border city listed in WAC 182-501-0175.

WAC 182-546-5550: Section has been removed from this proposal.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Comply with Federal Statute: New 0, Amended 10, Repealed 65; Federal Rules or Standards: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; or Recently Enacted State Statutes: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted at Request of a Nongovernmental Entity: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted on the Agency's Own Initiative: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

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Number of Sections Adopted Using Negotiated Rule Making: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; Pilot Rule Making: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; or Other Alternative Rule Making: New 0, Amended 10, Repealed 65.

Date Adopted: July 24, 2014.

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REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

- WAC 182-503-0532 Citizenship requirements for the medical care services (MCS) and ADATSA programs.
- WAC 182-503-0555 Age requirement for MCS and ADATSA.
- WAC 182-503-0560 Impact of fleeing felon status on eligibility for medical care services (MCS).

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

- WAC 182-504-0030 Medical certification periods for recipients of medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-504-0040 Requirements for a midcertification review for medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-504-0100 Changes of circumstances—Changes that must be reported by a recipient of medical care services (MCS).

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

- WAC 182-506-0020 Assistance units for medical care services (MCS).

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-051, filed 9/13/12, effective 10/14/12)

WAC 182-508-0005 Eligibility for Washington apple health medical care services eligibility and scope of coverage. (1) ~~((An individual))~~ A person is eligible for state-funded Washington apple health (WAH) medical care services (MCS) ((benefits)) coverage to the extent of available funds if the ~~((individual))~~ person is:

- ~~(a) ((Completes an interview with the agency or its designee;~~
- ~~(b) Is incapacitated as required under WAC 182-508-0010 through 182-508-0120;~~
- ~~(c) Is at least eighteen years old or, if under eighteen, a member of a married couple;~~
- ~~(d) Is in financial need according to MCS' income and resource rules in chapter 182-509 WAC. The agency or the agency's designee determines who is in the individual's assistance unit according to WAC 182-506-0020;~~
- ~~(e) Meets the medical care services citizenship/alien status requirements under WAC 182-503-0532;~~
- ~~(f) Provides a Social Security number as required under WAC 388-476-0005;~~
- ~~(g) Resides in the state of Washington as required under WAC 182-503-0520;~~
- ~~(h) Reports changes of circumstances as required under WAC 182-504-0100; and~~
- ~~(i) Completes a midcertification review and provides proof of any changes as required under WAC 182-504-0040.~~
- ~~(2) An individual is not eligible for MCS benefits if the individual:~~
- ~~(a) Is eligible for temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) benefits.~~
- ~~(b) Refuses or fails to meet a TANF rule without good cause.~~
- ~~(c) Refuses to or fails to cooperate in obtaining federal aid assistance without good cause.~~
- ~~(d) Refuses or fails to participate in drug or alcohol treatment as required in WAC 182-508-0220.~~
- ~~(e) Is eligible for supplemental security income (SSI) benefits.~~
- ~~(f) Is an ineligible spouse of an SSI recipient.~~
- ~~(g) Refuses or fails to follow a Social Security Administration (SSA) program rule or application requirement without good cause and SSA denied or terminated the individual's benefits.~~
- ~~(h) Is fleeing to avoid prosecution of, or to avoid custody or confinement for conviction of, a felony, or an attempt to commit a felony as described in WAC 182-503-0560.~~
- ~~(i) Is eligible for a categorically needy (CN) medicaid program.~~
- ~~(j) Refuses or fails to cooperate with CN medicaid program rules or requirements.~~
- ~~(3) An individual who resides in a public institution and meets all other requirements may be eligible for MCS depending on the type of institution. A "public institution" is an institution that is supported by public funds, and a governmental unit either is responsible for it or exercises administrative control over it.~~
- ~~(a) An individual may be eligible for MCS if the individual is:~~
- ~~(i) A patient in a public medical institution; or~~
- ~~(ii) A patient in a public mental institution and is sixty-five years of age or older.~~
- ~~(b) An individual is not eligible for MCS when the individual is in the custody of or confined in a public institution such as a state penitentiary or county jail, including placement:~~
- ~~(i) In a work release program; or~~

(ii) Outside of the institution including home detention.

(4)) Determined by the department of social and health services to be eligible for benefits under either the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-400-0060 or the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-400-0070; and

(b) Not eligible for another federally funded categorically needy (CN) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0020) or alternative benefits plan (ABP) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0010) WAH program.

(2) If an enrollment cap exists under WAC 182-508-0150, a waiting list of persons may be established.

(3) A person's period of eligibility for MCS is the same as either the person's period of eligibility for the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-449-0150 or the person's incapacity authorization period for the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-447-0110.

(4) The MCS program covers only the medically necessary services defined in WAC 182-501-0060.

(5) The MCS program does not cover medical services received outside the state of Washington unless the medical services are provided in a border city listed in WAC 182-501-0175.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-051, filed 9/13/12, effective 10/14/12)

WAC 182-508-0150 Enrollment cap for medical care services (MCS). (1) Enrollment in medical care services (MCS) coverage is subject to available funds.

(2) The agency may limit enrollment into MCS coverage by implementing an enrollment cap and ~~((waiting))~~ wait list.

(3) If ~~((an individual))~~ a person is denied MCS coverage due to an enrollment cap:

(a) The ((individual)) person is added to the MCS ((waiting)) wait list based on the date the ((individual)) person applied.

(b) Applicants with the oldest application date will be the first to receive an opportunity for enrollment when MCS coverage is available as long as the person remains on the MCS wait list.

(4) ~~((An individual))~~ A person is exempted from the enrollment cap and wait list rules when:

(a) MCS was terminated due to agency error;

(b) The ((individual)) person is in the thirty-day reconsideration period for incapacity reviews under WAC ~~((182-508-0160(4)))~~ 388-447-0110(4); ~~((or))~~

(c) The ((individual)) person is being terminated from a CN medical program and was receiving and eligible for CN coverage prior to the date a wait list was implemented and ~~((the following conditions are met:~~

~~((i) The individual met financial and program eligibility criteria for MCS at the time their CN coverage ended; and~~

~~((ii) The individual met the incapacity criteria for MCS at the time their CN coverage ended.~~

~~((d) The individual applied for medical coverage and an eligibility decision was not completed prior to the enrollment cap effective date.~~

~~((5) If the individual is sent an offer for MCS enrollment, the individual must submit a completed application no later than the last day of the month following the month of enrollment offer. The individual must reapply within this time period and subsequently be determined eligible before MCS coverage can begin. The individual must reapply and requalify even if the individual was previously determined eligible for MCS.~~

~~((6)) at the time their CN coverage ended, the person met eligibility criteria to receive benefits under either the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-400-0060 or the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-400-0070; or~~

~~((d) The person applied for a determination by the department of social and health services (DSHS) to be eligible for benefits under either the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-400-0060 or the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-400-0070, but the determination was not completed prior to the enrollment cap effective date.~~

~~((5) The ((individual)) person is removed from the MCS wait list if the ((individual)) person:~~

(a) Is not a Washington resident;

(b) Is deceased;

(c) Requests removal from the wait list;

~~((d) ((Fails to submit an application after an enrollment offer is sent as described in subsection (5) of this section;~~

~~((e) Reapplies as described in subsection (5) of this section, but does not qualify for MCS; or~~

~~((f)) Is found eligible for categorically or medically needy coverage; or~~

~~((e) Is no longer determined by DSHS to be eligible for benefits under either the aged, blind, or disabled program as described in WAC 388-400-0060 or the housing and essential needs referral program as described in WAC 388-400-0070.~~

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

WAC 182-508-0010 Incapacity requirements for medical care services (MCS).

WAC 182-508-0015 Determining if an individual is incapacitated.

WAC 182-508-0020 Acceptable medical evidence.

WAC 182-508-0030 Required medical evidence.

WAC 182-508-0035 How severity ratings of impairment are assigned.

WAC 182-508-0040 PEP Step I—Review of medical evidence required for eligibility determination.

WAC 182-508-0050 PEP Step II—Determining the severity of mental impairments.

WAC 182-508-0060 PEP Step III—Determining the severity of physical impairments.

- WAC 182-508-0070 PEP Step IV—Determining the severity of multiple impairments.
- WAC 182-508-0080 PEP Step V—Determining level of function of mentally impaired individuals in a work environment.
- WAC 182-508-0090 PEP Step VI—Determining level of function of physically impaired individuals in a work environment.
- WAC 182-508-0100 PEP Step VII—Evaluating a client's capacity to perform relevant past work.
- WAC 182-508-0110 PEP Step VIII—Evaluating a client's capacity to perform other work.
- WAC 182-508-0120 Deciding how long a client is incapacitated.
- WAC 182-508-0130 Medical care services—Limited coverage.
- WAC 182-508-0160 When medical care services benefits end.
- WAC 182-508-0220 How alcohol or drug dependence affects an individual's eligibility for medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-508-0230 Eligibility standards for medical care services (MCS); aged, blind, or disabled (ABD); and Alcohol and Drug Addiction Treatment and Support Act (ADATSA).
- WAC 182-508-0300 What is the purpose of this chapter?
- WAC 182-508-0305 Detoxification—Covered services.
- WAC 182-508-0310 ADATSA—Purpose.
- WAC 182-508-0315 ADATSA—Covered services.
- WAC 182-508-0320 ADATSA—Eligible individuals.
- WAC 182-508-0325 When am I eligible for ADATSA treatment services?
- WAC 182-508-0330 What clinical incapacity must I meet to be eligible for ADATSA treatment services?
- WAC 182-508-0335 Will I still be eligible for ADATSA outpatient services if I abstain from using alcohol or drugs, become employed, or have a relapse?
- WAC 182-508-0340 What is the role of the certified chemical dependency service provider in determining ADATSA eligibility?
- WAC 182-508-0345 What are the responsibilities of the certified chemical dependency service provider in determining eligibility?
- WAC 182-508-0350 What happens after I am found eligible for ADATSA services?
- WAC 182-508-0355 What criteria does the certified chemical dependency service provider use to plan my treatment?
- WAC 182-508-0360 Do I have to contribute to the cost of residential treatment?
- WAC 182-508-0365 What happens when I withdraw or am discharged from treatment?
- WAC 182-508-0370 What are the groups that receive priority for ADATSA services?
- WAC 182-508-0375 ADATSA—Eligibility for state-funded medical care services (MCS).

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

- WAC 182-509-0005 MCS income—Ownership and availability.
- WAC 182-509-0015 MCS income—Excluded income types.
- WAC 182-509-0025 MCS income—Unearned income.
- WAC 182-509-0030 MCS income—Earned income.
- WAC 182-509-0035 MCS income—Educational benefits.
- WAC 182-509-0045 MCS income—Employment and training programs.
- WAC 182-509-0055 MCS income—Needs-based assistance from other agencies or organizations.
- WAC 182-509-0065 MCS income—Gifts—Cash and non-cash.
- WAC 182-509-0080 MCS income—Self-employment income.
- WAC 182-509-0085 MCS income—Self-employment income—Calculation of countable income.
- WAC 182-509-0095 MCS income—Allocating income—General.
- WAC 182-509-0100 MCS income—Allocating income—Definitions.
- WAC 182-509-0110 MCS income—Allocating income to legal dependents.
- WAC 182-509-0135 MCS income—Allocating income of an ineligible spouse to a medical care services (MCS) client.
- WAC 182-509-0155 MCS income—Exemption from sponsor deeming for medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-509-0165 MCS income—Income calculation.
- WAC 182-509-0175 MCS income—Earned income work incentive deduction.

- WAC 182-509-0200 MCS resources—How resources affect eligibility for medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-509-0205 MCS resources—How resources count toward the resource limits for medical care services (MCS).
- WAC 182-509-0210 MCS resources—How vehicles count toward the resource limit for medical care services (MCS).

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

- WAC 182-509-0225 Excluded resources for family medical programs.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-523-0100 (~~Medical extensions—Eligibility~~) **Washington apple health—Medical extension.** ((+)) A family who received temporary assistance for needy families (TANF), or family medical program in any three of the last six months in the state of Washington is eligible for extended medical benefits when they become ineligible for their current medical program because the family receives:

(a) ~~Child or spousal support, which exceeds the payment standard described in WAC 388-478-0065, and they are not eligible for any other categorically needy (CN) medical program; or~~

(b) ~~Increased earned income, resulting in income exceeding the CN income standard described in WAC 388-478-0065.~~

(2) A family is eligible to receive extended medical benefits beginning the month after termination from TANF cash or family medical program for:

(a) ~~Four months for a family described in subsection (1)(a) of this section; or~~

(b) ~~Up to twelve months, in two six-month segments, for a family described in subsection (1)(b) of this section. For the purposes of this chapter, months one through six are the initial six-month extension period. Months seven through twelve are the second six-month extension period.~~

(3) A family member is eligible to receive six months of medical extension benefits as described in subsection (2)(b) of this section unless:

(a) The individual family member:

(i) ~~Moves out of state;~~

(ii) ~~Dies;~~

(iii) ~~Becomes an inmate of a public institution;~~

(iv) ~~Leaves the household; or~~

(v) ~~Does not cooperate, without good cause, with the division of child support or with third-party liability requirements.~~

(b) The family:

(i) ~~Moves out of state;~~

(ii) ~~Loses contact with the department or the department does not know the whereabouts of the family; or~~

(iii) ~~No longer includes a child as defined in WAC 388-404-0005(1).~~

(4) A family member is eligible to receive the second six months of medical extension benefits as described in subsection (2)(b) of this section unless:

(a) ~~The family is no longer eligible for the reasons described in subsection (3)(a) or (b); or~~

(b) ~~The individual family member is the caretaker adult who:~~

(i) ~~Stops working or whose earned income stops;~~

(ii) ~~Does not, without good cause, complete and return the completed medical extension report or otherwise provide the required income and child care information; or~~

(iii) ~~Does not, without good cause, pay the billed premium amount for one month.~~

(5) A family described in subsection (3) will not receive medical extension benefits for any family member who has been found ineligible for TANF/SFA cash because of fraud in any of the six months prior to the medical extension period.

(6) For the purposes of this chapter, only individual family members that are eligible for medicaid are certified to receive medical benefits under this program. (1) A parent or caretaker relative who received coverage under Washington apple health (WAH) for parents and caretaker relatives, (described in WAC 182-505-0240), in any three of the last six months is eligible, along with all dependent children living in the household, for twelve months' extended health care coverage if the person becomes ineligible for his or her current coverage due to increased earnings or hours of employment.

(2) A person remains eligible for WAH medical extension unless:

(a) The person:

(i) Moves out of state;

(ii) Dies;

(iii) Becomes an inmate of a public institution; or

(iv) Leaves the household.

(b) The family:

(i) Moves out of state;

(ii) Loses contact with the agency or its designee or the whereabouts of the family are unknown; or

(iii) No longer includes an eligible dependent child as defined in WAC 182-503-0565(2).

(3) When a person or family is determined ineligible for WAH coverage under subsection (2)(a)(i) through (iii) or (b)(i) or (ii) of this section during the medical extension period, the agency or its designee redetermines eligibility for the remaining household members as described in WAC 182-504-0125 and sends written notice as described in chapter 182-518 WAC before WAH medical extension is terminated.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-523-0130 Medical extension—Redetermination. (1) When the ((department)) agency or its designee determines the family or an individual family member is ineligible during the medical extension period, the ((depart-

ment)) agency or its designee must determine if they are eligible for another medical program.

(2) Children are eligible for twelve month continuous eligibility beginning with the first month of the medical extension period.

(3) When a family reports a reduction of income, the family may be eligible for ~~((a family medical program))~~ the Washington apple health for parents and caretaker relatives program (described in WAC 182-505-0240) instead of medical extension benefits.

(4) When a medical extension period is ending, the family is required to complete a renewal of eligibility as described in WAC 182-504-0035.

(5) Postpartum and family planning extensions are described in WAC ~~((388-462-0015))~~ 182-505-0115.

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

WAC 182-523-0110 Medical extensions—Reporting requirements.

WAC 182-523-0120 Medical extensions—Premiums.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-22-046, filed 11/2/12, effective 12/3/12)

WAC 182-534-0100 EPSDT. (1) Persons who are eligible for medicaid ~~((except those identified in subsection (4) of this section,))~~ are eligible for coverage through the early and periodic screening, diagnosis, and treatment (EPSDT) program up through the day before their twenty-first birthday.

(2) Access and services for EPSDT are governed by federal rules at 42 C.F.R., Part 441, Subpart B which were in effect as of January 1, 1998.

(a) The standard for coverage for EPSDT is that the services, treatment or other measures are:

- (i) Medically necessary;
- (ii) Safe and effective; and
- (iii) Not experimental.

(b) EPSDT services are exempt from specific coverage or service limitations which are imposed on the rest of the CN and MN program. Examples of service limits which do not apply to the EPSDT program are the specific numerical limits in WAC 182-545-200.

(c) Services not otherwise covered under the medicaid program are available to children under EPSDT. The services, treatments and other measures which are available include but are not limited to:

- (i) Nutritional counseling;
- (ii) Chiropractic care;
- (iii) Orthodontics; and
- (iv) Occupational therapy (not otherwise covered under the MN program).

(d) Prior authorization and referral requirements are imposed on medical service providers under EPSDT. Such requirements are designed as tools for determining that a service, treatment or other measure meets the standards in subsection (2)(a) of this section.

(3) Transportation requirements of 42 C.F.R. 441, Subpart B are met through a contract with transportation brokers throughout the state.

~~((4) Persons who are nineteen through twenty years of age who are eligible for any of the following programs that receive medicaid funding under the transitional bridge demonstration waiver allowed under section 1115 (a)(2) of the Social Security Act are not eligible for EPSDT services:~~

- ~~(a) Basic health;~~
- ~~(b) Medical care services; or~~
- ~~(c) Alcohol and Drug Addiction Treatment and Support Act (ADATSA).))~~

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-550-1200 Restrictions on hospital coverage. A hospital covered service provided to a ~~((client))~~ person eligible under a ~~((medical assistance))~~ Washington apple health (WAH) program that is paid by the ~~((department's))~~ agency's fee-for-services payment system must be within the scope of the ~~((client's medical assistance))~~ person's WAH program. Coverage restriction includes, but is not limited to the following:

(1) ~~((Clients))~~ Persons enrolled with the ~~((department's))~~ agency's managed care organization (MCO) plans are subject to the respective plan's policies and procedures for coverage of hospital services;

(2) ~~((Clients))~~ Persons covered by primary care case management are subject to the ~~((clients'))~~ persons' primary care physicians' approval for hospital services;

(3) For emergency care exemptions for ~~((clients))~~ persons described in subsections (1) and (2) of this section, see WAC ~~((388-538-100.))~~ 182-538-100;

(4) ~~((Coverage for psychiatric indigent inpatient (PIH) clients is limited to voluntary inpatient psychiatric hospital services, subject to the conditions and limitations of WAC 388-865-0217 and this chapter.~~

~~(a) Out of state health care is not covered for clients under the PIH program; and~~

~~(b) Bordering city hospitals and critical border hospitals are not considered instate hospitals for PIH program claims.~~

~~(5))~~ Health care services provided by a hospital located out-of-state are:

(a) Not covered for ~~((clients))~~ persons eligible under the medical care services (MCS) program. However, ~~((clients))~~ persons eligible for MCS are covered for that program's scope of care in bordering city and critical border hospitals.

(b) Covered for:

(i) Emergency care for eligible medicaid and ~~((SCHIP clients))~~ CHIP persons without prior authorization, based on the medical necessity and utilization review standards and limits established by the ~~((department))~~ agency.

(ii) Nonemergency out-of-state care for medicaid and ~~((SCHIP clients))~~ CHIP persons when prior authorized by the ~~((department))~~ agency based on the medical necessity and utilization review standards and limits.

(iii) Hospitals in bordering cities and critical border hospitals, based on the same client eligibility criteria and autho-

rization policies as for instate hospitals. See WAC ((388-501-0175)) 182-501-0175 for a list of bordering cities.

(c) Covered for out-of-state voluntary inpatient psychiatric hospital services for eligible medicaid and ((SCHIP)) CHIP clients based on authorization by a ((mental health division (MHD))) division of behavioral health and recovery (DBHR) designee.

((6)) (5) See WAC ((388-550-1100)) 182-550-1100 for hospital services for chemical-using pregnant (CUP) women((-));

((7)) (6) All psychiatric inpatient hospital admissions, length of stay extensions, and transfers must be prior authorized by a ((MHD)) DBHR designee. See WAC ((388-550-2600-)) 182-550-2600;

((8)) (7) For ((clients)) persons eligible for both medicaid and medicaid (dual eligibles), the ((department)) agency pays deductibles and coinsurance, unless the ((client)) person has exhausted his or her medicaid Part A benefits. If medicaid benefits are exhausted, the ((department)) agency pays for hospitalization for such ((clients)) persons subject to ((department)) agency rules. See also chapter ((388-502)) 182-502 WAC((-));

((9)) (8) The ((department)) agency does not pay for covered inpatient hospital services for a ((medical assistance)) WAH client:

(a) Who is discharged from a hospital by a physician because the ((client)) person no longer meets medical necessity for acute inpatient level of care; and

(b) Who chooses to stay in the hospital beyond the period of medical necessity.

((10)) (9) If the hospital's utilization review committee determines the ((client's)) person's stay is beyond the period of medical necessity, as described in subsection ((9)) (8) of this section, the hospital must:

(a) Inform the ((client)) person in a written notice that the ((department)) agency is not responsible for payment (42 C.F.R. 456);

(b) Comply with the requirements in WAC ((388-502-0160)) 182-502-0160 in order to bill the ((client)) person for the service(s); and

(c) Send a copy of the written notice in (a) of this subsection to the ((department)) agency.

((11)) (10) Other coverage restrictions, as determined by the ((department)) agency.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-550-1700 Authorization and utilization review (UR) of inpatient and outpatient hospital services.

(1) This section applies to the ((department's)) agency's authorization and utilization review (UR) of inpatient and outpatient hospital services provided to ((medical assistance)) Washington apple health (WAH) clients receiving services through the fee-for-service program. For clients eligible under other ((medical assistance)) WAH programs, see chapter ((388-538)) 182-538 WAC for managed care organizations, ((chapters 388-800 and 388-810 WAC for the Alcohol and Drug Addiction Treatment and Support Act (ADATSA))) and chapter 388-865 WAC for mental health

treatment programs coordinated through the ((mental health division)) department of social and health services' division of behavioral health and recovery or its designee((-)). See chapter ((388-546)) 182-546 WAC for transportation services.

(2) All hospital services paid for by the ((department)) agency are subject to UR for medical necessity, appropriate level of care, and program compliance.

(3) Authorization for inpatient and outpatient hospital services is valid only if a client is eligible for covered services on the date of service. Authorization does not guarantee payment.

(4) The ((department)) agency will deny, recover, or adjust hospital payments if the ((department)) agency or its designee determines, as a result of UR, that a hospital service does not meet the requirements in federal regulations and WAC.

(5) The ((department)) agency may perform one or more types of UR described in subsection (6) of this section.

(6) The ((department's)) agency's UR:

(a) Is a concurrent, prospective, and/or retrospective (including postpay and prepay) formal evaluation of a client's documented medical care to assure that the services provided are proper and necessary and of good quality. The review considers the appropriateness of the place of care, level of care, and the duration, frequency or quantity of services provided in relation to the conditions(s) being treated; and

(b) Includes one or more of the following:

(i) "Concurrent utilization review"—An evaluation performed by the ((department)) agency or its designee during a client's course of care. A continued stay review performed during the client's hospitalization is a form of concurrent UR;

(ii) "Prospective utilization review"—An evaluation performed by the ((department)) agency or its designee prior to the provision of health care services. Preadmission authorization is a form of prospective UR; and

(iii) "Retrospective utilization review"—An evaluation performed by the ((department)) agency or its designee following the provision of health care services that includes both a post-payment retrospective UR (performed after health care services are provided and paid), and a prepayment retrospective UR (performed after health care services are provided but prior to payment). Retrospective UR is routinely performed as an audit function.

(7) During the UR process, the ((department)) agency or its designee notifies the appropriate oversight entity if either of the following is identified:

(a) A quality of care concern; or

(b) Fraudulent conduct.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-550-2521 Client eligibility requirements for acute PM&R services.

(1) Only a client who is eligible for one of the ((following)) Washington apple health programs may receive acute PM&R services, subject to the restrictions and limitations in this section and WAC ((388-550-2501, 388-550-2511, 388-550-2531, 388-550-2541, 388-550-2551, 388-550-2561, 388-550-3381)) 182-550-

2501, 182-550-2511, 182-550-2531, 182-550-2541, 182-550-2551, 182-550-2561, 182-550-3381, and other rules:

- (a) Categorically needy program (CNP);
- (b) ~~((State))~~ Children's health insurance program ~~((SCHIP))~~ (CHIP);
- (c) ~~((Limited-casualty program--))~~ Medically needy program (LCP-MNP);
- (d) Alien emergency medical (AEM)(CNP);
- (e) Alien emergency medical (AEM)(LCP-MNP);
- (f) ~~((General assistance unemployable (GA-U—No out-of-state care); or~~
- ~~(g) Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Treatment and Support Act (ADATSA))~~ Medical care services.

(2) If a client is enrolled in ~~((a department))~~ an agency managed care organization (MCO) plan at the time of acute care admission, that plan pays for and coordinates acute PM&R services as appropriate.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-550-2650 Base community psychiatric hospitalization payment method for medicaid and ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP clients and nonmedicaid and ~~((non-SCHIP))~~ non-CHIP clients. (1) Effective for dates of admission from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007, and in accordance with legislative directive, the ~~((department))~~ agency implemented two separate base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rates, one for medicaid and ~~((SCHIP))~~ children's health insurance program (CHIP) clients and one for nonmedicaid and ~~((non-SCHIP))~~ non-CHIP clients. Effective for dates of admission on and after July 1, 2007, the base community psychiatric hospitalization payment method for medicaid and ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP clients and nonmedicaid and ~~((non-SCHIP))~~ non-CHIP clients is no longer used. (For the purpose of this section, a "nonmedicaid or ~~((non-SCHIP))~~ non-CHIP client" is defined as a client eligible under the ~~((general assistance unemployable (GA-U) program, the Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Treatment and Support Act (ADATSA), the psychiatric indigent inpatient (PII) program, or other state administered))~~ medical care services (MCS) program, as determined by the ((department)) agency.)

(a) The medicaid base community psychiatric hospital payment rate is a minimum per diem for claims for psychiatric services provided to medicaid and ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP covered patients, paid to hospitals that accept commitments under the Involuntary Treatment Act (ITA).

(b) The nonmedicaid base community psychiatric hospital payment rate is a minimum allowable per diem for claims for psychiatric services provided to indigent patients paid to hospitals that accept commitments under the ITA.

(2) For the purposes of this section, "allowable" means the calculated allowed amount for payment based on the payment method before adjustments, deductions, or add-ons.

(3) To be eligible for payment under the base community psychiatric hospitalization payment method:

(a) A client's inpatient psychiatric voluntary hospitalization must:

(i) Be medically necessary as defined in WAC ~~((388-500-0005))~~ 182-500-0070. In addition, the ~~((department))~~ agency considers medical necessity to be met when:

(A) Ambulatory care resources available in the community do not meet the treatment needs of the client;

(B) Proper treatment of the client's psychiatric condition requires services on an inpatient basis under the direction of a physician;

(C) The inpatient services can be reasonably expected to improve the client's condition or prevent further regression so that the services will no longer be needed; and

(D) The client, at the time of admission, is diagnosed as having an emotional/behavioral disturbance as a result of a mental disorder as defined in the current published Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association. The ~~((department))~~ agency does not consider detoxification to be psychiatric in nature.

(ii) Be approved by the professional in charge of the hospital or hospital unit.

(iii) Be authorized by the appropriate ~~((mental health division (MHD)))~~ division of behavioral health and recovery (DBHR) designee prior to admission for covered diagnoses.

(iv) Meet the criteria in WAC ~~((388-550-2600))~~ 182-550-2600.

(b) A client's inpatient psychiatric involuntary hospitalization must:

(i) Be in accordance with the admission criteria in chapters 71.05 and 71.34 RCW.

(ii) Be certified by a ~~((MHD))~~ DBHR designee.

(iii) Be approved by the professional in charge of the hospital or hospital unit.

(iv) Be prior authorized by the regional support network (RSN) or its designee.

(v) Meet the criteria in WAC ~~((388-550-2600))~~ 182-550-2600.

(4) The provider requesting payment must complete the appropriate sections of the Involuntary Treatment Act patient claim information (form DSHS 13-628) in triplicate and route both the form and each claim form submitted for payment, to the county involuntary treatment office.

(5) Payment for all claims is based on covered days within a client's approved length of stay (LOS), subject to client eligibility and ~~((department-covered))~~ agency-covered services.

(6) The medicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate applies only to a medicaid or ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP client admitted to a nonstate-owned free-standing psychiatric hospital located in Washington state.

(7) The nonmedicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate applies only to a nonmedicaid or ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP client admitted to a hospital:

(a) Designated by the ~~((department))~~ agency as an ITA-certified hospital; or

(b) That has ~~((a department-certified))~~ an agency-certified ITA bed that was used to provide ITA services at the time of the nonmedicaid or ~~((non-SCHIP))~~ non-CHIP admission.

(8) For inpatient hospital psychiatric services provided to eligible clients for dates of admission on and after July 1, 2005, through June 30, 2007, the ~~((department))~~ agency pays:

(a) A hospital's department of health (DOH)-certified distinct psychiatric unit as follows:

(i) For medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using the ((~~department-specific~~) agency-specific) nondiagnosis related group (DRG) payment method.

(ii) For nonmedicaid and ((~~non-SCHIP~~) non-CHIP) clients, the allowable for inpatient hospital psychiatric services is the greater of:

(A) The state-administered program DRG allowable (including the high cost outlier allowable, if applicable), or the ((~~department-specified~~) agency-specified) non-DRG payment method if no relative weight exists for the DRG in the ((~~department's~~) agency's) payment system; or

(B) The nonmedicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate multiplied by the covered days.

(b) A hospital without a DOH-certified distinct psychiatric unit as follows:

(i) For medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using:

(A) The DRG payment method; or

(B) The ((~~department-specified~~) agency-specified) non-DRG payment method if no relative weight exists for the DRG in the ((~~department's~~) agency's) payment system.

(ii) For nonmedicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, the allowable for inpatient hospital psychiatric services is the greater of:

(A) The state-administered program DRG allowable (including the high cost outlier allowable, if applicable), or the ((~~department-specified~~) agency-specified) non-DRG payment method if no relative weight exists for the DRG in the ((~~department's~~) agency's) payment system; or

(B) The nonmedicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate multiplied by the covered days.

(c) A nonstate-owned free-standing psychiatric hospital as follows:

(i) For medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using as the allowable, the greater of:

(A) The ratio of costs-to-charges (RCC) allowable; or

(B) The medicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate multiplied by covered days.

(ii) For nonmedicaid and ((~~non-SCHIP~~) non-CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid the same as for medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, except the base community inpatient psychiatric hospital payment rate is the nonmedicaid rate, and the RCC allowable is the state-administered program RCC allowable.

(d) A hospital, or a distinct psychiatric unit of a hospital, that is participating in the certified public expenditure (CPE) payment program, as follows:

(i) For medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using the methods identified in WAC ((~~388-550-4650~~) 182-550-4650).

(ii) For nonmedicaid and ((~~non-SCHIP~~) non-CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using the methods identified in WAC ((~~388-550-4650~~) 182-550-4650) in conjunction with the nonmedicaid base community psychiatric hospitalization payment rate multiplied by covered days.

(e) A hospital, or a distinct psychiatric unit of a hospital, that is participating in the critical access hospital (CAH) program, as follows:

(i) For medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using the ((~~department-specified~~) agency-specified) non-DRG payment method.

(ii) For nonmedicaid ((~~and non-SCHIP~~) and non-CHIP) clients, inpatient hospital psychiatric services are paid using the ((~~department-specified~~) agency-specified) non-DRG payment method.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-550-6700 Hospital services provided out-of-state. (1) The ((~~department~~) agency) pays:

(a) For dates of admission before August 1, 2007, for only emergency care for an eligible medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) client who goes to another state, except specified border cities, specifically for the purpose of obtaining medical care that is available in the state of Washington. See WAC ((~~388-501-0175~~) 182-501-0175) for a list of border cities.

(b) For dates of admission on and after August 1, 2007, for both emergency and nonemergency out-of-state hospital services, including those provided in bordering city hospitals and critical border hospitals, for eligible medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients based on the medical necessity and utilization review standards and limits established by the ((~~department~~) agency).

(i) Prior authorization by the ((~~department~~) agency) is required for the nonemergency out-of-state hospital medical care provided to medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients.

(ii) Bordering city hospitals are considered the same:

(A) As in-state hospitals for coverage of hospital services; and

(B) As out-of-state hospitals for payment methodology. ((~~Department~~) Agency) designated critical border hospitals are paid as in-state hospitals. See WAC ((~~388-550-3900 and 388-550-4000~~) 182-550-3900 and 182-550-4000).

(c) For out-of-state voluntary psychiatric inpatient hospital services for eligible medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) clients based on authorization by a ((~~mental health~~) division of behavioral health) designee.

(d) Based on the ((~~department's~~) agency's) limitations on hospital coverage under WAC ((~~388-550-1100 and 388-550-1200~~) 182-550-1100 and 182-550-1200) and other applicable rules.

(2) The ((~~department~~) agency) authorizes and pays for comparable hospital services for a medicaid and ((~~SCHIP~~) CHIP) client who is temporarily outside the state to the same extent that such services are furnished to an eligible medicaid client in the state, subject to the exceptions and limitations in this section. See WAC ((~~388-550-3900 and 388-550-4000~~) 182-550-3900 and 182-550-4000).

(3) The ((~~department~~) agency) limits out-of-state hospital coverage for ((~~clients~~) persons) eligible under state-administered programs as follows:

(a) For a ((~~client eligible under the psychiatric indigent inpatient (PII) program or~~) person) who receives services under the Involuntary Treatment Act (ITA), the ((~~depart-~~

ment)) agency does not pay for hospital services provided in any hospital outside the state of Washington (including bordering city and critical border hospitals).

(b) For a ~~((client))~~ person eligible under ~~((a department's))~~ an agency's general assistance program, the ~~((department))~~ agency pays only for hospital services covered under the ~~((client's))~~ person's medical care services' program scope of care that are provided in a bordering city hospital or a critical border hospital. The ~~((department))~~ agency does not pay for hospital services provided to ~~((clients))~~ persons eligible under a general assistance program in other hospitals located outside the state of Washington. The ~~((department))~~ agency or its designee may require prior authorization for hospital services provided in a bordering city hospital or a critical border hospital. See WAC ~~((388-550-1200))~~ 182-550-1200.

(4) The ~~((department))~~ agency covers hospital care provided to medicaid or ~~((SCHIP))~~ CHIP clients in areas of Canada as described in WAC ~~((388-501-0180))~~ 182-501-0180, and based on the limitations described in the state plan.

(5) The ~~((department))~~ agency may review all cases involving out-of-state hospital services, including those provided in bordering city hospitals and critical border hospitals, to determine whether the services are within the scope of the ~~((client's medical assistance))~~ person's WAH program.

(6) If the ~~((client))~~ person can claim deductible or coin-surance portions of medicare, the provider must submit the claim to the intermediary or carrier in the provider's own state on the appropriate medicare billing form. If the state of Washington is checked on the form as the party responsible for medical bills, the intermediary or carrier may bill on behalf of the provider or may return the claim to the provider for submission to the state of Washington.

(7) For payment for out-of-state inpatient hospital services, see WAC ~~((388-550-3900 and 388-550-4000))~~ 182-550-3900 and 182-550-4000.

(8) Out-of-state providers, including bordering city hospitals and critical border hospitals, must present final charges to the ~~((department))~~ agency within three hundred sixty-five days of the "statement covers period from date" shown on the claim. The state of Washington is not liable for payment of charges received beyond three hundred sixty-five days from the "statement covers period from date" shown on the claim.

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

WAC 182-550-5125 Payment method—Psychiatric indigent inpatient disproportionate share hospital (PIIDSH).

WSR 14-16-023 PERMANENT RULES PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR STANDARDS BOARD

[Filed July 25, 2014, 10:34 a.m., effective August 25, 2014]

Purpose: Amends WAC 181-78A-125 to clarify board intent for assuring objective evaluation of candidates earning teacher certification in a field placement with a school district.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 181-78A-125.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 28A.410.210.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-11-064 on May 19, 2014.

A final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting David Brenna, 600 Washington Street South, Room 400, Olympia, WA 98504-7236, phone (360) 725-6238, fax (360) 586-4548, e-mail david.brenna@k12.wa.us.

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Date Adopted: July 22, 2014.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-073, filed 11/15/11, effective 12/16/11)

WAC 181-78A-125 Field placement agreements. Beginning September 1, 2010, all educator preparation programs approved or authorized by the professional educator standards board or programs approved in other states operating field experiences in Washington state shall establish and maintain field placement agreements with all Washington school districts in which candidates are placed for field experiences leading to certification or endorsement.

Each field placement agreement shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) Assurances that:

(a) Fingerprint and character clearance under RCW 28A.410.010 must be current at all times during the field experience for candidates who do not hold a valid Washington certificate; and

(b) ~~((Candidates will not be placed in settings in which personal relationships or previous experiences could interfere with objective evaluation of candidates))~~ Programs shall

ensure candidates are placed in settings where they can be objectively evaluated.

(2) Qualifications of the proposed site supervisor for each site and qualifications of each school's cooperating educator/administrator;

(3) Clear description by institution of duties and responsibilities of site supervisor and cooperating educator/administrator;

(4) Anticipated length and nature of field experience;

(5) Signatures from district representative.

WSR 14-16-027
PERMANENT RULES
DEPARTMENT OF
FISH AND WILDLIFE

[Order 14-185—Filed July 25, 2014, 1:49 p.m., effective August 25, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: Amend statewide rules for recreational salmon fishing based on 2014 North of Falcon recommendations. Rules for recreational salmon fishing change year to year to reflect resource availability and achieve conservation goals.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 220-55-220, 220-56-105, 220-56-180, 220-56-195, 232-28-620, 232-28-621, 220-310-180, 220-310-185, 220-310-190, 220-310-195, and 220-310-200.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.020, 77.04.055, 77.12.045, and 77.12.047.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-12-089 on June 3, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: WAC 220-310-180 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Coast:

Change: Willapa Bay freshwater systems (Bear River, Fork Creek, Naselle River, Middle Nemah River, North Nemah River, South Nemah River, Niawiakum River, North River, Palix River, Smith Creek, Willapa River, and South Fork Willapa River) during the salmon seasons was [were] changed to allow anglers to harvest chum as part of daily salmon limit.

Reasoning: In a separate rule-making process, Washington department of fish and wildlife (WDFW) allowed commercial fishers to retain chum caught incidentally to directed fisheries on coho and hatchery chinook. Therefore chum retention was allowed for the recreational sector as well. The overall mortality rate of the recreational fishery on chum salmon is extremely low at less than one percent.

Change: Naselle River coho limit was reduced to no more than two wild coho beginning November 1.

Reasoning: Commenters requested that the agency reduce the wild coho daily limit to one. Based on the comments, the department will take a more precautionary approach and lower the daily limit of wild coho to two per day.

WAC 220-310-185, Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Eastside:

Change: Wind River (Skamania County) from one hundred feet above Shipherd Falls to eight hundred yards down-

stream from Carson National Fish Hatchery was changed to require barbless hooks, night closure, and anti-snagging rule to be in effect from May 1 through June 30.

Reasoning: On the Columbia River, the general rule is whenever salmon/steelhead fisheries are open then barbless hooks are required. To maintain an orderly fishery, night closures and anti-snagging rules are also in effect on this portion of the Wind River. These regulations were reinstated for the upper Wind [River] spring chinook/hatchery steelhead season via emergency rules during 2014.

WAC 220-28-620 [232-28-620] Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits:

Change: Willapa Bay (Catch Record Card Area 2-1) closure from August 1 through September 30 from Toke Point channel marker 3 easterly through Willapa Harbor channel marker 13 (green) to range marker "B," then due north to landfall was adjusted to reduce overlap and constriction of the main channel by changing the area to extend from Willapa Harbor channel marker 13 (green) northeasterly to the power transmission pole located at 46°43.19'N, 123°50.83'W.

Reasoning: Recreational and commercial fishers alike commented that sufficient protection of North River origin chinook was offered by a line projected upriver along the Willapa River channel that did not encroach upon the channel itself and made landfall at a more prominent headland versus the navigation range maker [marker] in the channel.

WAC 220-28-620 [232-28-620] Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits:

Change: Willapa Bay (Catch Record Card Area 2-1) August 1 through January 31 was changed to allow anglers to retain chum as part of the daily salmon limit.

Reasoning: In a separate rule-making process, WDFW allowed commercial fishers to retain chum caught incidentally to directed fisheries on coho and hatchery chinook. Therefore chum retention was allowed for the recreational sector as well. The overall mortality rate of the recreational fishery on chum salmon is extremely low at less than one percent.

Technical Changes: Technical and organizational edits were made to improve accuracy, clarification, and functionality of the rule. Errors were corrected to reflect the actual intent of the rules for: WAC 220-28-620 [232-28-620] Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits, 220-310-180 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Coast, 220-310-185 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Southwest, 220-310-190 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Puget Sound, 220-310-195 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Eastside, and 220-310-200 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Columbia.

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Date Adopted: July 24, 2014.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-20-021, filed 9/23/13, effective 10/24/13)

WAC 220-55-220 Two-pole endorsement. Anglers who possess a valid two-pole endorsement may fish with two lines in all lakes and ponds open to fishing, with the following exceptions:

Water Body	County	
Para-juvenile Lake	Adams	
Headgate Pond	Asotin	
Columbia Park Pond	Benton	
Blackbird Island Pond	Chelan	
Lake Wenatchee	Chelan	
Aldwell Lake	Clallam	
Beaver Lake	Clallam	
Carrie Blake Pond	Clallam	
Dickey Lake	Clallam	
Lake Pleasant	Clallam	
Lincoln Pond	Clallam	
Sutherland Lake	Clallam	
Vancouver Lake	Clark	Includes all other waters west of Burlington-Northern Railroad from Columbia River drawbridge near Vancouver downstream to Lewis River.
Big Four Lake	Columbia	
Dayton Pond	Columbia	
Blue Lake	Cowlitz	
Castle Lake	Cowlitz	
Coldwater Lake	Cowlitz	
Lewis River Power Canal	Cowlitz	Includes old Lewis River streambed between Swift No. 1 powerhouse and Swift No. 2 powerhouse.
Merrill Lake	Cowlitz	
Silver Lake	Cowlitz	
Pit Lake	Douglas	
Ping Pond	Grant	
Mill Creek Pond	Grays Harbor	
Quigg Lake	Grays Harbor	Located at Friends Landing near Montesano.
Vance Creek Pond #1	Grays Harbor	
Gibbs Lake	Jefferson	
Horseshoe Lake	Jefferson	
Teal Lake	Jefferson	
Lake Sammamish	King	
Lake Union	King	
Lake Washington	King	Including that portion of Sammamish River from 68th Ave. NE bridge downstream.
Lake Washington Ship Canal	King	(Including Lake Union, Portage Bay, and Salmon Bay) Waters east of a north-south line 400' west of the Chittenden Locks to the Montlake Bridge.
Mill Pond	King	Auburn.
Old Fishing Hole Pond	King	Kent.
Portage Bay	King	
Salmon Bay	King	
Swans Mill Pond	King	
Koeneman Lake	Kitsap	Formerly Fern Lake.
Kachess Lake	Kittitas	
Keechelus Lake	Kittitas	
Kiwanis Pond	Kittitas	
Naneum Pond	Kittitas	
Cowlitz Falls Reservoir	Lewis	
Mayfield Lake	Lewis	Mayfield Dam to Mossyrock Dam.
Packwood Lake	Lewis	
Scanewa Lake	Lewis	Cowlitz Falls Reservoir.
Walupt Lake	Lewis	
Willame Lake	Lewis	
Cady Lake	Mason	
Cushman Reservoir	Mason	
Prices Lake	Mason	
Stump Lake	Mason	
Silvernail Lake	Okanogan	
Cases Pond	Pacific	
South Bend Mill Pond	Pacific	
Bradley Lake	Pierce	
De Coursey Pond	Pierce	
Ohop Lake	Pierce	
Tanwax Lake	Pierce	
Wapato Lake	Pierce	
Granite Lakes	Skagit	Near Marblemount.
Northern State Hospital Pond	Skagit	
Pass Lake	Skagit	
Vogler Lake	Skagit	
Drano Lake	Skamania	January 1 through ((May-11)) <u>April 30</u> and July 1 through September 14.
Swift Reservoir	Skamania	From dam to Eagle Cliff Bridge.
Ebey Lake	Snohomish	Little Lake.

Water Body	County	River	County	Section
Fortson Mill Pond #2	Snohomish			From Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster to Chief Joseph Dam: July 1 through August 31.
Jennings Park Pond	Snohomish			
Monte Cristo Lake	Snohomish			
North Gissburg Pond	Snohomish	Cowlitz River	Lewis	Lexington Bridge Drive in Kelso upstream to the Highway 505 Bridge in Toledo.
Spada Lake	Snohomish			
Bear Lake	Spokane			
North Silver Lake	Spokane			
Lucky Duck Pond	Stevens	Lewis	Clark((Skamania))	From ((mouth)) <u>railroad bridge near Kuhnis Road</u> to mouth of East Fork Lewis.
Long's Pond	Thurston			
Munn Lake	Thurston			
Jefferson Park Pond	Walla Walla	North Fork Lewis	Clark/Cowlitz	Mouth to Johnson Creek.
Lions Park Pond	Walla Walla	College Place.		
Diablo Lake	Whatcom	<u>Wind River</u>	<u>Skamania</u>	<u>Salmon and steelhead: Mouth (boundary line/ markers) to Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge: May 1 through June 30.</u>
Gorge Lake	Whatcom			
Lake Whatcom	Whatcom			
Ross Lake	Whatcom			
Squalicum Lake	Whatcom	Naselle	Pacific/Wahkiakum	From Highway 101 Bridge to Highway 401: August 1 through January 31.
Garfield Juvenile Pond	Whitman			
Bumping Lake	Yakima	Okanogan	Okanogan	July 1 through October 15.
Clear Lake	Yakima			
Leech Lake	Yakima	White Pass area.		
Mud Lake	Yakima			
Myron Lake	Yakima			
Rimrock Lake	Yakima			
Sarge Hubbard Park Pond	Yakima			
Yakima Sportsmen's Park Ponds	Yakima			

Note: The two-pole endorsement is not valid in the Columbia and Snake rivers except as noted in Lake Roosevelt and Rufus Woods Lake.

Anglers who possess a valid two-pole endorsement may fish with two lines in the following river sections:

River	County	Section
Spokane	Spokane and Stevens	Lower Spokane River from mouth (SR 25 bridge) to 400' below Little Falls Dam.
Pend Oreille	Pend Oreille	
Columbia		Camas Slough: August 1 through December 31. From Highway 395 to Priest Rapids Dam: June 16 through July 31. From Priest Rapids Dam to Wanapum Dam: July 1 through August 31. From Wanapum Dam to Wells Dam: July 1 through August 31. From Wells Dam to Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster: July 16 through August 31.

Anglers who possess a valid two-pole endorsement may fish for salmon with two lines in the following marine areas:

Description	Marine Area
Willapa	2-1. East of a line from Cape Shoalwater to ((Leadbetter-[Leadbetter])) <u>Leadbetter</u> Point.
Port Susan and Port Gardner	Tulalip Terminal Area: May ((3+)) <u>29</u> through September ((22)) <u>21</u> .
Seattle/Bremerton Area	Sinclair Inlet: July 1 through September 30.
<u>South Puget Sound</u>	<u>13</u> .

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-17-008, filed 8/7/13, effective 9/7/13)

WAC 220-56-105 River mouth definitions. When pertaining to angling, unless otherwise defined, any reference to the mouths of rivers or streams includes those waters of any river or stream, including sloughs and tributaries, upstream and inside of a line projected between the outermost uplands at the mouth. The term "outermost upland" means those lands not covered by water during an ordinary high tide. The following river mouths are hereby otherwise defined:

- Abernathy Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.
- Bear River - Highway 101 Bridge.
- Bone River - Highway 101 Bridge.
- California Creek - Drayton Harbor Road Bridge.
- Chambers Creek - Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge.
- Chehalis River - Highway 101 Bridge in Aberdeen.
- Chelan River - Railroad Bridge.

Cispus River - Posted markers at the Lewis County P.U.D. kayak launch, approximately 1.5 miles upstream from the confluence of the Cowlitz and Cispus rivers.

Cowlitz River - A line projected across the river between two fishing boundary markers set on each bank of the river approximately one-half mile downstream from the lowermost railroad bridge crossing the Cowlitz River.

Dakota Creek - A line from the outermost headland of the south bank to a house at 1285 Runge Avenue, Blaine, Washington, approximately one-quarter mile downstream from the Blaine Road Bridge.

Deschutes River - A line projected across the river 400 feet below the lower Tumwater Falls fish ladder.

Drano Lake - Highway 14 Bridge.

Duwamish River - First Avenue South Bridge.

Elk River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Entiat River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Hawk Creek (Lincoln County) - Falls at the Hawk Creek campground.

Hoquiam River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Humptulips River - Mouth of Jessie Slough.

Johns River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Kalama River - Boundary markers at mouth.

Kennedy Creek - An arc 500 yards east of the midpoint of the northbound Highway 101 Bridge.

Kettle River - Barstow Bridge.

Lake Washington Ship Canal - A line 400 feet west of the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks.

Lewis River - A straight line running from a fishing boundary marker or from the outermost upland at the north shore of the Lewis River mouth, southerly across the Lewis River to a fishing boundary marker near the south shore.

McLane Creek - A line 100 feet upstream of and parallel to the southernmost Highway 101 Bridge.

Methow River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Naselle River - Highway 101 Bridge.

North Nemah River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Niawiakum River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Nisqually River - At the upstream end of Alder Lake, the mouth of the Nisqually River is the Highway 7 Bridge at Elbe.

North River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Palix River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Puyallup River - 11th Street Bridge.

Samish River - The Samish Island Bridge (Bayview-Edison Road).

Sammamish River - 68th Avenue NE Bridge.

Skagit River - A line projected from the terminus of the jetty with McGlenn Island to the white monument on the easterly end of Ika Island, then to a white monument on the westerly end of Craft Island, then to a white monument near the corner of the levee on the westerly side of Dry Slough, and then to a white monument on the easterly side of Tom Moore Slough.

Skamokawa Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.

Skookum Creek - A line 400 yards below the old railroad bridge.

Snohomish River - Burlington Northern Railway Bridges crossing main river and sloughs.

South Nemah River - Lynn Point 117 degrees true to the opposite shore.

Spokane River - State Route 25 Bridge.

Tahuya River - North Shore Rd. Bridge.

Wallace River - The furthest downstream railroad bridge.

Washougal River - A straight line from the Crown Zellerbach pumphouse southeasterly across the Washougal River to the east end of the Highway 14 Bridge near the upper end of Lady Island.

Whatcom Creek - A line projected approximately 14 degrees true from the flashing light at the southwestern end of the Port of Bellingham North Terminal to the southernmost point of the dike surrounding the Georgia Pacific treatment pond.

Little White Salmon River - At boundary markers on river bank downstream from the Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery.

White Salmon River - Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge.

Willapa River - City of South Bend boat launch.

Wind River - Boundary line markers at mouth.

Yakima River - Highway 240 Bridge.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 05-17-007, filed 8/3/05, effective 9/3/05)

WAC 220-56-180 Salmon statewide rules. (1) In fresh water and in Marine Areas 2-1 (~~beginning August 16~~) and 2-2 east of the Buoy 13 line beginning (~~September 1~~) August 16, adult salmon are:

Chinook over 24 inches in length,

Coho over 20 inches in length,

Pink, chum or sockeye over 12 inches in length, and

Atlantic salmon of any size. In these waters the minimum size for salmon is 12 inches, except no minimum size for Atlantic salmon.

(2) In Marine Areas 1 through 4, in Area 2-1 from the opening date of adjacent ocean waters through August 15, and in Area 2-2 west of the Buoy 13 line, chinook salmon must be not less than 24 inches in length, coho salmon must

be not less than 16 inches, but there is no minimum size on other salmon.

(3) In Marine Areas 5 through 13, chinook salmon must be not less than 22 inches in length, but there is no minimum size for other salmon.

(4) The salmon possession limit shall not exceed the equivalent of two daily limits in fresh form. An additional 40 pounds of salmon may be possessed in frozen or processed form.

(5) In all areas where the daily limit allows adult salmon to be taken, it is unlawful to continue to fish for salmon after the adult portion of the daily limit has been retained.

(6) Where landlocked salmon rules apply, no sport catch record card is required for salmon, the season, daily limit, and size and gear restriction rules for salmon are the same as trout rules. The angler's combined catch of landlocked salmon and trout applies toward the trout limit.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-20-021, filed 9/23/13, effective 10/24/13)

WAC 220-56-195 Closed areas—Saltwater salmon angling. The following areas are closed to salmon angling during the times indicated:

(1) Bellingham Bay: Those waters of Bellingham, Samish, and Padilla Bays southerly of a line projected from the most westerly point of Gooseberry Point to Sandy Point, easterly of a line from Sandy Point to Point Migley, thence along the eastern shoreline of Lummi Island to Carter Point, thence to the most northerly tip of Vendovi Island, thence to Clark Point on Guemes Island, thence following the shoreline to Yellow Bluff on the southwest corner of Guemes Island, thence to Yellow Bluff Reef range marker, thence to the ferry terminal dock east of Shannon Point and north of the Burlington Railroad Bridges at the north end of Swinomish Slough: Closed to salmon angling April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through August 15.

(2) Carr Inlet: Those waters of Carr Inlet within 1,000 feet of the outer oyster stakes at the mouth of Minter Creek: Closed to salmon angling April 16 through September 30.

(3) Dungeness Bay: Those waters westerly of a line from Dungeness Spit Light to the number 2 red Buoy, and then to the Port Williams boat ramp: Closed to salmon angling May 1 through September 30 and November 1 through April 30.

(4) Samish Bay: Those waters southerly of a line projected true east from Fish Point: Closed to salmon angling April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through October 15.

(5) Columbia River Mouth Control Zone 1: Washington waters within Control Zone 1, which Control Zone is described as an area at the Columbia River mouth bounded on the west by a line running northeast/southwest between the red lighted Buoy #4 (46°13'35" N/124°06'50" W) and the green lighted Buoy #7 (46°15'09" N/124°06'16" W); on the east by the Buoy #10 line, which bears north/south at 357° true from the south jetty at 46°14'00" N/124°03'07" W to its intersection with the north jetty; on the north by a line running northeast/southwest between the green lighted Buoy #7 to the tip of the north jetty (46°14'48" N/124°05'20" W), and then along the north jetty to the point of intersection with the Buoy #10 line; and on the south by a line running northeast/

southwest between the red lighted Buoy #4 and the tip of the south jetty (46°14'03" N/124°04'05" W), and then along the south jetty to the point of intersection with the Buoy #10 line: Closed to salmon angling at all times, except open to fishing from the north jetty when adjacent waters north of the Control Zone are open to salmon angling, or when the Buoy 10 fishery is open.

(6) Commencement Bay: Those waters east of a line projected from the Sperry Ocean Dock to landfall below the Cliff House Restaurant on the north shore of Commencement Bay: Closed to fishing for salmon April 1 through April 30 and June 1 through July 31.

(7) Southern Rosario Strait and the eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca: Waters of Area 7 in Rosario Strait and the eastern portion of the Strait of Juan de Fuca southerly of a line running true south from the westernmost point on Fidalgo Head to Burrows Island, then westerly and southerly along the shore of Burrows Island to the Burrows Island Lighthouse, then to Bird Rocks, then westerly from Bird Rocks to the southernmost point on Decatur Island, then across Lopez Pass to Lopez Island and following the shore of Lopez Island southerly and westerly to Iceberg Point, then from Iceberg Point to Cattle Point, then south-southwest to the Salmon Bank Buoy, and then true south from the Salmon Bank Buoy to the Area 7 boundary: Closed to fishing for salmon July 1 through September 30.

(8) Kydaka Point - Waters south of a line from Kydaka Point to Shipwreck Point - Closed to fishing for salmon (~~July~~ May 31) through October 31.

(9) Port Angeles Harbor - Waters westerly of a line from the tip of Ediz Hook to the I.T.T. Rayonier Dock: Closed to fishing for salmon from July 1 through October 31.

(10) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-04-120, filed 2/4/14, effective 3/7/14)

WAC 220-310-180 Freshwater exceptions to state-wide rules—Coast. (1) **Aberdeen Lake (Grays Harbor County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: No more than 2 trout over 15 inches in length may be retained.

(2) **Alder Creek (Pacific County) (Naselle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(3) **Aldwell Lake (Clallam County):** Closed.

(4) **Anderson Lake (Jefferson County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31; fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

- (b) Open September 1 through October 31:
- (i) Selective gear rules apply.
- (ii) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (5) **Bear Creek (Clallam County) (Bogachiel River tributary):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (6) **Bear Creek (Clallam County) (Sol Duc River tributary):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (7) **Bear River (Pacific County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.
- (b) August 16 through November 30: Night closure in effect.
- (i) From the mouth (Highway 101 Bridge) to Lime Quarry Road (approximately two river miles):
- (A) August 16 through November 30:
- (I) Barbless hooks required.
- (II) Anti-snagging rule applies.
- (B) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (C) Salmon:
- (I) Open September 1 through November 30.
- (II) Limit 6 fish(~~(-of which)~~); no more than 2 may be adults, and no more than one wild adult coho may be retained.
- (III) Release chum and wild Chinook.
- (ii) From the Lime Quarry Road upstream to the Longview Fiber Bridge:
- (A) Selective gear rules apply.
- (B) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (8) **Beaver Creek (Clallam County) (Sol Duc River tributary):**
- (a) From the mouth upstream to Beaver Falls:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (b) From Beaver Falls upstream to Beaver Lake: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (9) **Beaver Lake (Clallam County):**
- (a) Selective gear rules apply.
- (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (c) Trout: Maximum length 12 inches.
- (10) **Big Creek (Grays Harbor County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in October.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (11) **Big Quilcene River (Jefferson County):**
- (a) From the mouth to Rodgers Street:

- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (iv) Catch and release only.
- (b) From Rodgers Street to the Highway 101 Bridge:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (ii) Catch and release only.
- (ii) From the first Saturday in June through August 15:
- (A) Selective gear rules apply.
- (B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (iv) August 16 through October 31:
- (A) Night closure in effect.
- (B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.
- (v) Salmon:
- (A) Open August 16 through October 31.
- (B) Limit 4 coho only; only coho hooked inside the mouth may be retained.
- (c) From the electric weir at Quilcene National Fish Hatchery to the upper boundary of Falls View campground:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Catch and release only.
- (d) From the upper boundary of Falls View campground upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (12) **Big River (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15, and January 1 through the last day of February.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout:
- (i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (ii) Release kokanee.
- (13) **Black Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (14) **Black Lake (Pacific County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (15) **Black River (Grays Harbor/Thurston counties):**
- (a) From the mouth to State Highway 12:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (b) From Highway 12 to bridge on 128th Ave. S.W.:
- (i) Anti-snagging rule applies.
- (ii) Night closure in effect.
- (iii) Barbless hooks are required.
- (iv) Open for game fish the first Saturday in June through October 31; trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

- (v) Salmon open October 1 through January 31:
 - (A) From October 1 through November 30:
 - (I) Limit 6; only 2 adults may be retained.
 - (II) Release Chinook and chum.
 - (B) From December 1 through January 31:
 - (I) Limit 6; only 2 adults may be retained and only one adult may be wild coho.
 - (II) Release Chinook and chum.
- (c) From bridge on 128th Avenue S.W. (west of Litterock) to Black Lake:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (16) Bogachiel River (Clallam County):**
 - (a) From the mouth to Highway 101 Bridge:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.
 - (ii) Trout:
 - (A) From the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 - (B) From April 1 through April 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (C) November 1 through last day in February: The limit may include one additional hatchery steelhead.
 - (D) February 16 through April 30: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.
 - (iii) Salmon open July 1 through November 30:
 - (A) From July 1 through August 31:
 - (I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.
 - (II) Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho.
 - (B) From September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; two salmon may be adults, plus 2 additional adult hatchery coho may be retained.
 - (b) From Highway 101 Bridge to Olympic National Park boundary:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.
 - (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (iii) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.
 - (b) From Highway 101 Bridge to Olympic National Park boundary:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.
 - (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (iii) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.
- (17) Bone River (Pacific County):**
 - (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (18) Bunker Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**
 - (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (19) Butte Creek (Pacific County) (Smith River tributary):**
 - (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (20) Calawah River (Clallam County):**
 - (a) From the mouth to the Highway 101 Bridge:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.
 - (ii) Trout:
 - (A) From the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to

retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) From April 1 through April 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(C) From November 1 through the last day in February: The limit may include one additional hatchery steelhead.

(D) From February 16 through April 30: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open July 1 through November 30:

(A) From July 1 through August 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(II) Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho.

(B) From September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; up to two salmon may be adults, plus up to 2 additional adult hatchery coho may be retained.

(b) From the Highway 101 Bridge to the forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.

(21) Calawah River, North Fork (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(22) Calawah River, South Fork (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February from the mouth to the Olympic National Park boundary.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(23) Cases Pond (Pacific County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through November 30 to juvenile anglers only.

(b) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(24) Cedar Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(25) Cedar Creek (Grays Harbor/Thurston counties) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(26) Cedar Creek (Jefferson County), outside Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(27) Cedar River (Pacific County):

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Catch and release only.

(28) Chehalis River (Grays Harbor County), including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways:

(a) From the mouth (Highway 101 Bridge in Aberdeen) to the high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line (approximately 400 yards downstream from Roger Creek, south of Pe Ell):

(i) Open August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) May 1 through June 30:

(I) Open from the mouth ~~((to the confluence with the Skookumchuck River))~~ Highway 6 Bridge in the town of Adna only.

(II) Limit one salmon.

(B) ~~((September 1 through September 30))~~ August 16 through November 30:

(I) Open from the mouth to ~~((Porter Bridge))~~ the confluence with the Black River only.

(II) Limit 6; no more than 3 ~~((may be))~~ adults ~~((and only 2 adults may be wild coho))~~ may be retained.

(III) Release adult Chinook.

(C) September ~~((+))~~ 16 through November 30:

(I) Open from ~~((Porter Bridge to))~~ the confluence with the ~~((Skookumchuck River))~~ Black River to the Highway 6 Bridge in the town of Adna.

(II) Limit 6; no more than 3 ~~((may be))~~ adults ~~((and only 2 adults may be wild coho))~~ may be retained.

(III) Release chum and adult Chinook.

(D) October 1 through November 30:

(I) Open from the ~~((mouth to Porter Bridge))~~ Highway 6 Bridge in the town of Adna to the high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line approximately 400 yards downstream of Roger Creek (south of Pe Ell) only(=).

(II) Limit 6; no more than 3 ~~((may be))~~ adults ~~((salmon, only one adult may be a Chinook, and only 2 adults may be wild coho))~~ may be retained.

(III) Release Chinook and chum.

(E) ~~((September 16 through November 30))~~ December 1 through January 31:

(I) Open from the ~~((confluence with Skookumchuck River to the high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line approximately 400 yards downstream of Roger Creek (south of Pe Ell))~~ mouth to the confluence with the Black River.

(II) Limit 6; no more than ~~((3))~~ 2 may be adults, and only ~~((2 adults may be))~~ one adult wild coho may be retained.

(III) Release ~~((chum and adult))~~ Chinook.

(F) December 1 through January 31:

(I) Open from the ~~((mouth))~~ confluence with the Black River to the high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line approximately 400 yards downstream of Roger Creek (south of Pe Ell).

(II) Limit 6; no more than 2 ~~((may be))~~ adult salmon, and only one adult ~~((may be a))~~ wild coho may be retained.

(III) Release chum and Chinook.

~~((G))~~ (iv) Sturgeon: It is ((unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only); no night closure is in effect)) permissible to fish for sturgeon 24 hours per day; catch and release only.

(b) From high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line (approximately 400 yards downstream from Roger Creek, south of Pe Ell, including all forks) upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(29) Chehalis River, South Fork (Lewis County):

(a) From the mouth to County Highway Bridge near Boistfort School:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(b) From the County Highway Bridge near Boistfort School, upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(30) Chehalis River Potholes (adjacent to the Chehalis River south of Highway 12 in Grays Harbor County, not including sloughs or beaver ponds): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(31) Chenois Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(32) Chester Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(33) Chimacum Creek (Jefferson County):

(a) From the mouth to Ness's Corner Road:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(b) From Ness's Corner Road to headwaters:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(34) Clallam River (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(c) From the first Saturday in June through October 31: Catch and release only.

(d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(35) Clearwater River (Jefferson County):

(a) From the mouth to Snahapish River:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15:

(A) From February 16 through April 15: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

(B) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Salmon:

(A) Open September 1 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 may be adults.

(b) From Snahapish River upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.

(36) Cloquallum Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to the outlet at Stump Lake:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.

(b) From the outlet at Stump Lake upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(37) Coal Creek (Clallam County) tributary to Ozette River, outside the Olympic National Park boundary:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(38) Connor Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(39) Cook Creek (Grays Harbor County), from the Quinault Indian Reservation boundary upstream:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(40) Copalis River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) General river rules:

(i) From the first Saturday in June through last day in February: Open for game fish.

(ii) It is permissible to retain hatchery steelhead with a dorsal fin height of less than 2 1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip.

(b) Rules by river section:

(i) From the mouth to Carlisle Bridge:

(A) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) Salmon:

(I) Open September 1 through January 31.

(II) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(III) Release adult Chinook and chum.

(ii) From Carlisle Bridge upstream: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery

(adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(41) Crim Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(42) Crocker Lake (Jefferson County): Closed.

(43) Crooked Creek (Clallam County) and tributaries that are outside of Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(44) Damon Lake (Grays Harbor County): Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(45) Deep Creek (Clallam County) (Humptulips River tributary):

(a) Open December 1 through January 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to two hatchery steelhead.

(46) Deep Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through last day in October.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(47) Delezene Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through last day in October.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(48) Dickey River (Clallam County):

(a) From Olympic National Park boundary upstream to the confluence of the East and West forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) February 16 through April 30: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

(iv) Salmon open July 1 through November 30:

(A) From July 1 through August 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(II) Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho.

(B) From September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; two salmon may be adults, plus 2 additional adult hatchery coho may be retained.

(b) From the confluence of the East and West forks upstream (for both forks):

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(49) Donkey Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through last day in October.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(50) **Duck Lake (Grays Harbor County):** Crappie limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

(51) **Dungeness River (Clallam County):**

(a) From the mouth to the forks at Dungeness Campground:

(i) Open October 8 through January 31.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open only from the mouth to the hatchery intake pipe at river mile 11.3 from October 8 through December 31.

(B) Limit 4 coho only.

(b) From Gold Creek upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(52) **East Twin River (Clallam County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(53) **Eight Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to Elk Creek, which is a Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(54) **Elk Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(55) **Elk Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(56) **Elk Lake (Clallam County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release all kokanee.

(57) **Elk River (Grays Harbor County):**

(a) From the mouth (Highway 105 Bridge) to the confluence of east and middle branches:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) From August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iv) Salmon open October 1 through November 30:

(A) Limit ~~((2; only one wild coho))~~ 6; no more than one adult may be retained.

(B) Release ~~((chum and))~~ Chinook.

(b) From confluence of east and middle branches upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(58) **Elkhorn Creek (Pacific County) (Smith ~~((River))~~ Creek tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(59) **Ellis Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(60) **Ellsworth Creek (Pacific County) (Naselle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through September 30.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(61) **Elwha River (Clallam County):** Closed.

(62) **Failor Lake (Grays Harbor County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through the last day in October.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over 15 inches in length per day.

(63) **Fairchild Creek (Pacific County) (Wilson Creek tributary, which is a Willapa River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(64) **Fall River and all forks (Pacific County) (North River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(65) **Falls Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(66) **Fern Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(67) **Finn Creek (Pacific County) (North Nemah River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(68) **Fork Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**

(a) From Forks Creek Hatchery rack upstream 500 feet at fishing boundary sign:

(i) Open only for anglers with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and possess a designated harvester companion card.

(ii) Night closure ~~((in effect October 1 through November 30)).~~

(iii) October 1 through November 30:

(A) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

~~((iv))~~ (B) Stationary gear restriction applies.

~~((v))~~ (iv) Open the first Saturday in June through July 15 and October 1 through March 31: Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((vi))~~ (v) Salmon: Open October 1 through January 31.

(A) From October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be adults, and only 2 adult ~~((s may be))~~ wild coho may be retained.

- (II) Release wild Chinook and chum.
 (B) From December 1 through January 31:
 (I) Limit 6; no more than 2 may be adults, and only one adult ~~((may be a))~~ wild coho may be retained.
 (II) Release wild Chinook and chum.
 (b) From the fishing boundary sign 500 feet above Forks Creek Hatchery rack upstream to the source:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (69) **Garrard Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (70) **Gibbs Lake (Jefferson County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (71) **Goodman Creek (Jefferson County), outside Olympic National Park:**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (72) **Grass Creek (Grays Harbor County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (73) **Gray Wolf River (Clallam County):** From the bridge at river mile 1.0, upstream:
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
- (74) **Halfmoon Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (75) **Halfway Creek (Lewis County) (tributary of Stillman Creek, which is a Chehalis River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the mouth to the second bridge crossing on Pe Ell McDonald Road.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (76) **Hanaford Creek (Lewis County) (Skookumchuck River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (77) **Harris Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Trout: Selective gear rules apply.
- (78) **Hoh River (Jefferson County):**
 (a) From the Olympic National Park boundary upstream to the DNR Oxbow Campground Boat Launch:
 (i) Open ~~((May 16))~~ the first Saturday in June through April 15.
 (ii) From February 16 through April 15: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

- (ii) ~~((From May 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June:~~
~~(A) Open Wednesdays through Sundays only.~~
~~(B) Release game fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.~~
~~(iv))~~ From the first Saturday in June through April 15:
 (A) The first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (B) April 1 through April 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 (C) From November 1 through February 15: The trout limit may include one additional hatchery steelhead.
~~((+))~~ (iv) Salmon open ~~((May 16))~~ September 1 through November 30:
~~((A) From May 16 through August 31:~~
~~(I) Open Wednesday through Sunday only.~~
~~(II) Limit 6; no more than one adult may be retained.~~
~~(III) Release wild Chinook.~~
~~(B) From September 1 through November 30:))~~ Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.
 (b) From the DNR Oxbow Campground Boat Launch to ~~((Willoughby Creek))~~ Mortans Crossing Boat Launch site:
 (i) Open ~~((May 16))~~ the first Saturday in June through April 15.
 (A) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (B) Selective gear rules apply ~~((May 16))~~ the first Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through April 15.
 (ii) ~~((From May 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June:~~
~~(A) Open Wednesdays through Sundays only.~~
~~(B) Release game fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.~~
~~(iii))~~ From the first Saturday in June through April 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
~~((iv))~~ (iii) Salmon(~~:~~
~~(A) Open May 16 through August 31:~~
~~(I) Open Wednesdays through Sundays only.~~
~~(II) Limit 6; no more than one adult may be retained.~~
~~(III) Release wild Chinook.~~
~~(B) Open October 16 through November 30))~~ open October 16 through November 30: Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.
 (c) ~~((From Willoughby Creek to Morgan's Crossing Boat Launch site:~~
 (i) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply from the first Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through April 15.
 (iii) ~~Open the first Saturday in June through April 15:~~ Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (iv) ~~Salmon:~~
 (A) ~~Open October 16 through November 30.~~

~~(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.~~

~~(H))~~ From Morgan's Crossing Boat Launch upstream to the Olympic National Park boundary below mouth of South Fork Hoh River:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(79) Hoh River, South Fork (Jefferson County), outside the Olympic National Park boundary:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(80) Hoko River (Clallam County):

(a) From the mouth to the upper Hoko Bridge:

(i) It is permissible to fish up to the hatchery ladder, except closed to fishing from shore on the hatchery side of the river from the ladder downstream 100 feet.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15. Open to fly fishing only September 1 through October 31.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

(b) From the upper Hoko Bridge to Ellis Creek Bridge (river mile 18.5):

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31 to fly fishing only.

(ii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to two hatchery steelhead.

(81) Hoquiam River, including West Fork (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth (Highway 101 Bridge on Simpson) to Dekay Road Bridge (West Fork):

(i) August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day of February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open October 1 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained(~~(, and only one may be an adult wild coho)~~).

(C) Release Chinook (~~(and chum)~~).

(b) From Dekay Road Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day of February.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(82) Hoquiam River, East Fork (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to the confluence of Berryman Creek:

(i) August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day of February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open October 1 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained(~~(, and only one may be an adult wild coho)~~).

(C) Release Chinook (~~(and chum)~~).

(b) From the confluence of Berryman Creek upstream to Youman's Road Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day of February.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(83) Hoquiam River, Middle Fork (Grays Harbor County): From the mouth upstream:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through last day of October.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(84) Horseshoe Lake (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one.

(85) Howe Creek (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(86) Humptulips River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth (Jessie Slough) to (~~(Ocean Beach Road near Copalis Crossing))~~ the Highway 101 Bridge, including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways:

(i) From August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon open September 1 through January 31:

(A) From September 1 through (~~(November 30))~~ October 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained(~~(, and only one adult Chinook ((and one adult wild coho))~~) may be retained.

(II) Release wild coho.

(B) From (~~(December 1 through January 31))~~ November 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; (~~(anglers may retain))~~ no more than (~~(2))~~ 3 adults may be retained.

(II) (~~(Only one adult Chinook may be retained.~~

~~(H))~~) Release ((chum)) Chinook and wild coho.

(C) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6: No more than 2 adults may be retained.

(II) Release Chinook and wild coho.

~~(b) ((From Ocean Beach Road near Copalis Crossing to the Highway 101 Bridge:~~

~~(i) August 16 through November 30:~~

~~(A) Night closure in effect.~~

~~(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.~~

~~(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.~~

~~(iii) Salmon open September 1 through January 31:~~

~~(A) From September 1 through November 30:~~

~~(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.~~

~~(II) Only one adult Chinook and only one adult wild coho may be retained.~~

~~(B) From December 1 through January 31:~~

~~(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.~~

~~(II) Only one adult may be Chinook.~~

~~(III) Release chum and wild coho.~~

~~(e)) From the Highway 101 Bridge to the confluence of the East and West forks:~~

~~(i) From ((September)) December 1 through March 31: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.~~

~~(ii) From August 16 through November 30:~~

~~(A) Night closure in effect.~~

~~(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.~~

~~(iii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31:~~

~~(A) From the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.~~

~~(B) From March 1 through March 31:~~

~~(I) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.~~

~~(II) Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(iv) Salmon open September 1 through January 31:~~

~~(A) From September 1 through ((November 30)) October 31:~~

~~(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained((~~

~~(H))), and only one adult Chinook ((and only one adult wild coho)) may be retained.~~

~~((HH)) (II) Release ((chum)) wild coho.~~

~~(B) From November 1 through November 30:~~

~~(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.~~

~~(II) Release Chinook and wild coho.~~

~~(C) From December 1 through January 31:~~

~~(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained((~~and only one may be an adult Chinook~~)).~~

~~(II) Release ((chum)) Chinook and wild coho.~~

(87) Humptulips River, East Fork (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to the concrete bridge on Forest Service Road 220:

(i) August 16 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(b) From the concrete bridge on Forest Service Road 220 upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(88) Humptulips River, West Fork (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to Donkey Creek:

(i) August 16 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31:

(A) From the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) From March 1 through March 31:

(I) Selective gear rules apply.

(II) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(III) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) From Donkey Creek upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(89) Independence Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(90) Jimmy-Come-Lately Creek (Clallam County):

(a) From the mouth to confluence with East Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(b) From confluence with East Fork upstream, including East Fork: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(91) Joe Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to Ocean Beach Road Bridge:

(i) August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon open September 1 through November 30:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) Release adult Chinook and chum.

(b) From Ocean Beach Road Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(92) Johns River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth (Highway 105 Bridge) to Ballon Creek:

(i) August 16 through November 30: ~~((It is unlawful to use anything other than))~~ Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is

permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon open October 1 through November 30:

(A) Limit (~~(2; only one wild coho)~~) 6; no more than one adult may be retained.

(B) Release (~~(chum and)~~) Chinook.

(b) From Ballon Creek upstream, including North and South Forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through September 30 and December 1 through the last day in February.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(93) Jones Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(94) Kalaloch Creek (Jefferson County), outside Olympic National Park:

(a) Closed within the section posted as the Olympic National Park water supply.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(95) Leland Creek (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(96) Leland Lake (Jefferson County): No more than two trout over 14 inches in length may be retained.

(97) Lena Lake, Lower (Jefferson County): The inlet stream is closed from the mouth upstream to the footbridge (about 100 feet).

(98) Lincoln Creek, including South Fork (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(99) Lincoln Pond (Clallam County): Open to juvenile anglers only.

(100) Little Hoko River (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(101) Little Hoquiam River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(102) Little North River and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(103) Little Quilcene River (Jefferson County):

(a) From the mouth to the Little Quilcene River Bridge on Penny Creek Road:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) From the mouth to Highway 101 Bridge: Closed September 1 through October 31.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(v) Catch and release only.

(b) From Little Quilcene River Bridge on Penny Creek Road upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(104) Long Beach Peninsula waterways and lakes (Pacific County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(105) Loomis Lake (Pacific County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(106) Loomis Pond (Grays Harbor County): Closed.

(107) Lower Salmon Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor/Pacific counties) (North River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(108) Lucas Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to the Newaukum River North Fork):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

(109) Ludlow Creek (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(110) Ludlow Lake (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over 14 inches in length.

(111) Lyre River (Clallam County):

(a) From the mouth to falls near river mile 3:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the falls to the Olympic National Park boundary:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(112) Matheny Creek (Jefferson County) (Queets River tributary), outside Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(113) McDonald Creek (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(114) Middle Nemah River (Pacific County):

(a) From the mouth upstream to the department of natural resources bridge on the Middle Nemah A-Line Road:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(iii) Salmon:

- (A) Open September 1 through January 31.
 (B) Limit 6; anglers may not retain more than 2 adults.
 (C) Release wild Chinook, wild coho, and chum.
- (b) From the department of natural resources bridge on the Middle Nemah A-Line Road upstream:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31:
 (A) Selective gear rules apply.
 (B) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 (ii) August 16 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.
- (115) **Mill Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (116) **Mill Creek Pond (Grays Harbor County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.
- (117) **Mitchell Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to the Newaukum River North Fork):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (118) **Moclips River (Grays Harbor County):**
 (a) Open from the mouth to the Quinault Indian Reservation boundary from the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.
 (b) Trout:
 (i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (ii) It is permissible to retain steelhead with a dorsal fin height of less than 2 1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip.
(c) Salmon is open September 1 through January 31:
 (i) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.
 (ii) Release chum and adult Chinook.
- (119) **Morse Creek (Clallam County):**
 (a) From the mouth to Port Angeles Dam:
 (i) Open from December 1 through January 31.
 (ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 (b) From Port Angeles Dam upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (120) **Mosquito Creek (Jefferson County):**
 (a) Open outside Olympic National Park upstream to the Goodman 3000 Mainline Bridge from the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length, as part of the limit.
- (121) **Mox Chehalis Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Selective gear rules apply.
- (122) **Naselle River (Pacific/Wahkiakum counties):**
 (a) From the Highway 101 Bridge to the Highway 4 Bridge:
 (i) August 1 through November 15:
 (A) Night closure in effect.
 (B) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 (C) Barbless hooks are required.

- (D) From the South Fork upstream to the Highway 4 Bridge: Stationary gear restriction applies.
~~((E) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor in the lower Naselle River from the Highway 4 Bridge to Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge.))~~
 (ii) From Highway 101 Bridge upstream to Highway 401: Anglers may fish with a two-pole endorsement August 1 through January 31.
 (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 (iv) Salmon open August 1 through January 31:
 (A) ~~((From August 1 through November 15: (H) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained(, and no more than 2 adults may be wild coho).))~~
~~((H)) (B) Release wild Chinook and chum.~~
~~((B) From November 16 through January 31: (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and no more than one adult may be a wild coho. (H) Release Chinook and chum.~~
 (v) Sturgeon: ~~It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only.))~~
 (b) From the Highway 4 Bridge to the ~~((Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge))~~ upstream entrance of the Naselle Hatchery Attraction Channel:
 (i) ~~((The following areas are closed: (A) From the falls in Sec. 6, T10N, R8W (Wahkiakum County) downstream 400 feet. (B)) Closed waters from the upstream entrance of the hatchery attraction channel downstream 400 feet.~~
 (ii) ~~((From Highway 4 upstream to the full spanning concrete diversion structure at the Naselle Hatchery: Closed August 1 through October 15.))~~ It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (iii) From ~~((August 1))~~ October 16 through November 15:
 (A) Night closure in effect.
 (B) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 (C) Barbless hooks are required.
 (D) Stationary gear rules in effect.
~~((E) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.))~~
 (iv) Open the first Saturday in June through July 31 and October 6 through April 15: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 (v) Salmon open ~~((August 1))~~ October 16 through January 31:
 (A) ~~((From August 1 through November 15: (H) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained(, and no more than 2 adults may be wild coho).))~~
~~((H)) (B) Release wild Chinook and chum((- (B) From November 16 through January 31: (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and no more than one adult may be a wild coho. (H) Release Chinook and chum).))~~
 (c) From the upstream entrance of the Naselle Hatchery Attraction Channel to the Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge:
 (i) The following areas are closed:

(A) From the falls in Sec. 6, T10N, R8W (Wahkiakum Co.) downstream 400 feet.

(B) Downstream of the full spanning concrete diversion structure at the Naselle Hatchery: Closed August 1 through October 15.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) From August 1 through November 15:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(C) Barbless hooks are required.

(D) Stationary gear rules in effect.

(iv) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15: Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Salmon open October 16 through January 31:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.

(B) Release Chinook and chum.

(d) From the Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge to the mouth of the North Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(ii) August 16 through November 30: Night closure and anti-snagging rule in effect.

~~((+))~~ (e) Upstream from the mouth of the North Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(123) North Naselle River (Pacific County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(124) South Naselle River (Pacific County):

(a) From the mouth to Bean Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(b) From the first Saturday in June through August 15: Selective gear rules apply.

(c) August 16 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(d) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((e) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only).))~~

(125) Neil Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary):

(a) Open from the mouth to USFS 22 Road from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(126) Newaukum River, including South Fork (Lewis County):

(a) From the mouth to Leonard Road near Onalaska:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(iii) Salmon open October 1 through the last day in February:

(A) From October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained (~~((and only 2 adults may be wild coho))~~).

(II) Release Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through the last day in February:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release Chinook and chum.

~~((iii) August 16 through November 30:~~

~~(A) Night closure in effect.~~

~~(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.))~~

(b) From Leonard Road near Onalaska to Highway 508 Bridge near Kearny Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(c) From Highway 508 Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(iv) August 16 through October 31: ~~((A))~~ Night closure in effect.

~~((B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.))~~

(127) Newaukum River, Middle Fork (Lewis County), from the mouth to Tauscher Road Bridge:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June to March 31.

(b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length.

(128) Newaukum River, North Fork (Lewis County), from the mouth to 400 feet below the Chehalis city water intake:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.

(b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length.

(129) Newman Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(130) Newkah Creek (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(131) Niawiakum River (Pacific County): From Highway 101 Bridge to the South Bend/Palix Road Bridge:

(a) August 16 through November 30:

(i) Night closure in effect.

(ii) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(c) Salmon:

(i) Open September 1 through November 30.

(ii) Limit 6; of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon.

(iii) Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

(132) North Nemah River (Pacific County):

(a) From Highway 101 Bridge upstream to the bridge on Nemah Valley Road:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.

(ii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Stationary gear restriction applies.

(C) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through November 30.

(I) Limit 6; ~~((of which only 3 may be adult salmon and of the three adults;))~~ no more than 3 adults may be retained and only ~~((two))~~ 2 adults may be wild coho.

(II) Release chum and wild Chinook.

(B) Open December 1 through January 31.

(I) Limit 6; ~~((of which only two may be adult salmon and of the two adults;))~~ no more than 2 adults may be retained and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release chum and wild Chinook.

(b) From the bridge on Nemah Valley Road upstream to Cruiser Creek:

(i) The bridge on Nemah Valley Road upstream to Nemah Hatchery: Closed August 1 through November 15.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.

(iii) Release all game fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iv) August 16 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(v) December 1 through March 31: Selective gear rules apply.

(133) North River (Grays Harbor/Pacific counties):

(a) From the Highway 105 Bridge to Salmon Creek (located approximately 2 miles upstream from Highway 101):

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open ~~((September))~~ October 1 through December 31:

(A) From ~~((September))~~ October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and only 2 adults may be wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

~~((iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only;))~~

(b) From Salmon Creek (located approximately 2 miles upstream from Highway 101) to Fall River:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(C) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open October 1 through December 31:

(A) From October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and only 2 adults may be wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(c) From Fall River to Raimie Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(134) Owens Pond (Pacific County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

(135) Palix River, including all forks (Pacific County):

(a) From the Highway 101 Bridge to the mouth of the Middle Fork:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open September 1 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults ~~((of which))~~ may be retained and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(C) Release chum and wild Chinook.

~~((iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only;))~~

(b) From the confluence with the Middle Fork upstream and all forks, including South Fork Palix and Canon rivers:

(i) August 16 through October 15:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through August 15, and from December 16 through March 31: Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15, and from December 16 through March 31.

(iv) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(136) Palmquist Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(137) **Peabody Creek (Clallam County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 to juvenile anglers only.

(138) **Penny Creek (Jefferson County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(139) **Petroleum Creek (Clallam County):** From the Olympic National Park boundary upstream:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(140) **Pheasant Lake (Jefferson County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(141) **Pilchuck Creek (Clallam County) (Sooes River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(142) **Pioneer Creek (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(143) **Pleasant Lake (Clallam County):** Trout: Kokanee minimum length 6 inches, maximum length 18 inches.

(144) **Porter Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(145) **Promised Land Pond (Grays Harbor County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(146) **Pysht River (Clallam County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) From the first Saturday in June through October 31: Catch and release only.

(d) From November 1 through January 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(147) **Rock Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(148) **Stearns Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(149) **Stillman ((River)) Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the mouth to water supply pipeline at Mill Creek.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(150) **Stowe Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(151) **Quigg Lake (Grays Harbor County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15.

(b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) Salmon:

(i) Open October 1 through January 31.

(ii) Limit 6 hatchery coho salmon, of which no more than 4 may be adult hatchery coho.

(152) **Quillayute River (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:**

(a) Open May 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30:

(i) The first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) April 1 through April 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(iii) November 1 through the last day in February: Anglers may retain one additional hatchery steelhead as part of the limit.

(iv) February 16 through April 30: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

(c) Salmon:

(i) Open February 1 through August 31:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho.

(ii) Open September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; two may be adults, plus anglers may retain 2 additional adult hatchery coho.

(153) **Quinault River (Grays Harbor County):** From the mouth at the upper end of Quinault Lake upstream to the Olympic National Park boundary:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through April 15:

(i) February 16 through April 15: It is permissible to retain one wild steelhead per day.

(ii) Trout: minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(b) Salmon open July 1 through November 30:

(i) From July 1 through September 30:

(A) Limit 6 jack salmon only.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) From October 1 through November 30:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) Release sockeye and chum.

(154) **Quinn Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(155) **Radar Ponds (Pacific County):** Salmon: Land-locked salmon rules apply.

(156) **Raimie Creek and all forks (Pacific County) (North River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(157) Ripley Creek (Jefferson County):

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Catch and release only.

(158) Rock Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

(159) Rocky Brook (Jefferson County) (Dosewallips River tributary): From the falls 1000 feet upstream of the mouth: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.**(160) Rue Creek, including West Fork (Pacific County) (South Fork Willapa tributary):**

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

(161) Salmon Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary):

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

(162) Salmon Creek (Pacific County) (tributary of Naselle River):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(163) Salmon River (Jefferson County), outside Olympic National Park and the Quinault Indian Reservation:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February:

(i) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) It is permissible to retain steelhead with a dorsal fin height of less than 2 1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip.

(b) Salmon open September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and no more than 2 adults may be Chinook.

(164) Salt Creek (Clallam County): From the mouth to the bridge on Highway 112:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) First Saturday in June through October 31: Catch and release only.

(d) November 1 through January 31: Anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(165) Sand Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(166) Sandysore Lake (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: No more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained.

(167) Satsop Lakes (Grays Harbor County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(168) Satsop River and East Fork (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to the bridge at Schafer State Park:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon open September 16 through (~~November 30, and December 1 through~~) January 31:

(A) From September 16 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained(~~(, and only 2 may be adult wild coho)~~).

(II) Release wild adult Chinook.

(B) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one may be an adult wild coho.

(II) Release Chinook (~~(and chum)~~).

(b) From the bridge at Schafer State Park upstream to 400 feet below Bingham Creek Hatchery barrier dam:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Open August 16 through October 31:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(c) From 400 feet downstream of the Bingham Creek Hatchery barrier dam upstream to the dam:

(i) Closed, except open within posted markers to anglers with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and possess a designated harvester companion card.

(ii) Night closure in effect.

(iii) From August 16 through October 31: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(iv) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(v) Salmon open September 16 through January 31:

(A) From September 16 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained(~~(, and only 2 may be adult wild coho)~~).

(II) Release wild adult Chinook.

(B) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one may be an adult wild coho.

(II) Release Chinook (~~(and chum)~~).

(d) From the Bingham Creek Hatchery dam upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) August 16 through October 31: (~~(A))~~) Night closure in effect.

(~~(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.~~)

(169) Satsop River, Middle Fork (Turnow Branch):

(a) From the mouth to Cougar Smith Road:

(i) From August 16 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(b) From Cougar Smith Road upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) August 16 through October 31:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(170) Satsop River, West Fork:

(a) From the mouth to Cougar Smith Road:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(b) From Cougar Smith Road to USFS 2260 Road Bridge at Spoon Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) August 16 through October 31: Night closure in effect.

(c) From USFS 2260 Road Bridge at Spoon Creek upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Eastern brook trout: Limit 5; no minimum size.

(171) Schafer Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary):

(a) From the mouth to USFS 22 Road:

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(c) Selective gear rules apply.

(172) Sekiu River (Clallam County):

(a) From the mouth to the forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through October 31: Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) November 1 through January 31: Catch and release only.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the forks upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(173) Shine Creek (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(174) Shye Lake (Grays Harbor County): Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(175) Siebert Creek (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(176) Silent Lake (Jefferson County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two over 14 inches in length.

(177) Sitkum River (Clallam County) (Calawah River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(178) Siwash Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release all kokanee.

(179) Skookumchuck River (Thurston County):

(a) From the mouth to 100 feet below the outlet of the PP&L/WDFW steelhead rearing pond located at the base of the Skookumchuck Dam:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30:

(A) From the first Saturday in June through March 31, trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) From April 1 through April 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(ii) Salmon open October 1 through the last day in February:

(A) From October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained (~~and only 2 may be wild adult coho~~).

(II) Release Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through the last day in February:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained and only one may be a wild adult coho.

(II) Release Chinook and chum.

(b) From Skookumchuck Reservoir upstream, selective gear rules apply.

(180) Smith Creek (near North River) (Pacific County):

(a) From the mouth to the Highway 101 Bridge:

(i) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open (~~September~~) October 1 through December 31:

(A) From ~~((September))~~ October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and only 2 adults may be wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

~~((iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only).))~~

(b) From the Highway 101 Bridge upstream:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(181) Smith Creek (Pacific County) (Chehalis River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(182) Snahapish River (Jefferson County) (Clearwater River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(183) Sol Duc River (Clallam County):

(a) Open year-round from the mouth to the concrete pump station at the Sol Duc Hatchery:

(i) May 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through April 30:

(A) The first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) April 1 through April 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(C) November 1 through the last day in February: Anglers may retain one additional hatchery steelhead as part of the trout limit.

(D) February 16 through April 30: It is permissible to retain wild steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open February 1 through November 30:

(A) From February 1 through August 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(II) Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho.

(III) May 1 through August 31: Closed from the Sol Duc Hatchery outlet creek upstream to the old trestle pilings.

(B) From September 1 through November 30: Limit 6; two adult salmon, plus 2 additional adult hatchery coho may be retained as part of the limit.

(b) From the concrete pump station at Sol Duc Hatchery to the Highway 101 Bridge upstream of Klahowya Campground:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(c) From the Highway 101 Bridge upstream of Klahowya Campground to the Olympic National Park boundary:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(184) Solberg Creek (Clallam County) (Big River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release kokanee.

(185) Solleks River (Jefferson County) (Clearwater River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(186) Sooes River (Tsoo-Yess River) (Clallam County), outside of Makah Indian Reservation:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(b) From the first Saturday in June through October 31:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(c) Open November 1 through the last day in February: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(187) South Bend Mill Pond (Pacific County): Open to juvenile anglers only.

(188) South Creek (Clallam County), outside of Olympic National Park:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(ii) Release all kokanee.

(189) South Nemah River (Pacific County):

(a) From the mouth (Lynn Point, 117 degrees true to opposite shore) to the confluence with Middle Nemah River:

(i) September 1 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

- (iii) Salmon:
 (A) Open September 1 through January 31.
 (B) Limit 6; only 2 adults may be retained.
 (C) Release wild Chinook, wild coho, and chum.
 (b) From the confluence with the Middle Nemah River upstream to the second Highway 101 Bridge crossing:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
 (iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (190) **Stevens Creek (Grays Harbor County):**
 (a) From the mouth to the Highway 101 Bridge:
 (i) Closed from the WDFW hatchery outlet downstream 400 feet.
 (ii) Open the first Saturday in June through September 30 and December 1 through the last day in February.
 (iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (b) From the Highway 101 Bridge upstream to the Newbury Creek Road Bridge:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (191) **Sutherland Lake (Clallam County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Trout: Minimum length 6 inches and maximum length 18 inches.
- (192) **Sylvia Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (193) **Sylvia Lake (Grays Harbor County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 15 inches in length.
- (194) **Tarboo Creek (Jefferson County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
- (195) **Tarboo Lake (Jefferson County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two over 14 inches in length.
- (196) **Teal Lake (Jefferson County):**
 (a) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Limit one.
- (197) **Thorndyke Creek (Jefferson County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
- (198) **Thunder Creek (Clallam County) (Tributary to East Fork Dickey River):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through April 30.
 (b) From D2400 Road upstream: Closed from November 1 through April 30.
 (c) Selective gear rules apply.
- (d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- (199) **Trap Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (200) **Trout Creek (Clallam County) (Big River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout:
 (i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (ii) Release all kokanee.
- (201) **Twin Lake (Jefferson County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (202) **Umbrella Creek (Clallam County), outside Olympic National Park, including tributaries:**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout:
 (i) Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (ii) Release all kokanee.
- (203) **Valley Creek (Clallam County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 to juvenile anglers only.
- (204) **Vance Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (205) **Vance Creek/Elma Ponds (Grays Harbor County), Pond One (Bowers Lake) and Pond Two (Lake Ines):**
 (a) Pond One/Bowers Lake is open only to juvenile anglers, seniors, and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card.
 (b) Open the fourth Saturday in April through November 30:
 (i) Anglers may not retain more than 2 trout over 15 inches in length.
 (ii) Landlocked salmon rules apply.
- (206) **Van Winkle Creek (Grays Harbor County):**
 (a) August 16 through November 30:
 (i) Night closure in effect.
 (ii) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 (b) From the mouth to 400 feet below the outlet of Lake Aberdeen Hatchery:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
 (ii) Salmon open September 1 through January 31:
 (A) Limit 6; no more than ((2)) 3 adults may be retained ((and only one adult may be a wild coho)).
 (B) Release ((chum and)) Chinook.
 (c) From Lake Aberdeen upstream:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(207) Vesta Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(208) Ward Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(209) Wentworth Lake (Clallam County): It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(210) West Twin River (Clallam County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(211) Wildcat Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Cloquallum Creek tributary):

(a) Open from the mouth to the confluence of the Middle and East Forks from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(212) Wildcat Creek, East Fork (Grays Harbor County) (Cloquallum Creek tributary):

(a) Open from the mouth to the Highway 108 Bridge (Simpson Avenue, in the town of McCleary) from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(213) Willapa River (Pacific County):

(a) From the mouth (city of South Bend boat launch) to the Highway 6 Bridge approximately 2 miles below the mouth of Trap Creek:

(i) From August 1 through November 30:

(A) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device from the second bridge on Camp One Road upstream to the mouth of Mill Creek (approximately 0.5 miles).

(B) Night closure in effect.

(C) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(D) Stationary gear restriction applies, except from the mouth of the Willapa River to the WDFW access site at the mouth of Ward/Wilson creeks.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31; release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open August 1 through January 31:

(A) From August 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained and only 2 adults may be wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

~~((iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only).)~~

(b) From Highway 6 Bridge to Fork Creek:

(i) From October 1 through November 30:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(C) Stationary gear restriction applies.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through July 15 and from October 1 through March 31: Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon open October 1 through January 31:

(A) From October 1 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained and only 2 adults may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(B) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained, and only one adult may be a wild coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook and chum.

(c) From Fork Creek upstream:

(i) From August 16 through October 31:

(A) Night closure in effect.

(B) Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(214) Willapa River, South Fork (Pacific County): From the mouth to the bridge on Pehl Road:

(a) From the falls/fish ladder downstream 400 feet in Section 6, Township 13 North, and Range 8 West: Closed.

(b) Selective gear rules apply from the first Saturday in June through July 31.

(c) August 1 through November 30:

(i) Night closure in effect.

(ii) Anti-snagging rule.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required.

(d) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(e) Salmon:

(i) Open August 1 through January 31.

(ii) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.

(iii) Release wild Chinook, wild coho, and chum.

(f) From Pehl Road upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(215) Williams Creek (Pacific County) (North Nemah River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(b) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to two hatchery steelhead.

(216) Wilson Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(217) Wilson Creek, North Fork (Pacific County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(218) Wishkah River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(b) From the mouth to West Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon open (~~((October 1))~~ September 16 through January 31:

(A) From (~~((October 1))~~ September 16 through November 30:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained (~~((and only one adult may be a wild coho))~~).

(II) Release Chinook (~~((and chum))~~).

(B) From December 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(II) Release Chinook(~~(:))~~ and wild coho(~~(, and chum))~~).

(c) From the mouth of West Fork to 200 feet below the weir at the Wishkah Rearing Ponds:

(i) From 150 feet upstream to 150 feet downstream of the Wishkah adult attraction channel/outfall structure (within the posted fishing boundary): Open only to anglers with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and have a designated harvester companion card.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iv) Salmon open (~~((October 1 through December))~~ September 16 through January 31:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) From September 16 through November 30: Release Chinook.

(C) From December 1 through January 31: Release (~~((chum,))~~) Chinook(~~(:))~~ and wild coho.

(d) From the weir upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(219) Wishkah River, East and West forks (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in October.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(220) Wynoochee River (Grays Harbor County):

(a) From the mouth to the WDFW White Bridge Access Site:

(i) From August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open September 16 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained (~~((and only one adult may be a wild coho))~~).

(C) Release Chinook.

(b) From the WDFW White Bridge Access Site to the 7400 line bridge:

(i) From August 16 through November 30: Single-point barbless hooks are required.

(ii) From September 16 through November 30: It is unlawful to use bait.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(c) From the 7400 line bridge to 400 feet below Wynoochee Dam, including the confluence of the reservoir upstream to Wynoochee Falls:

(i) Closed from 400 feet downstream of Wynoochee Dam and from the barrier dam near Grisdale.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 and from December 1 through March 31:

(A) From the first Saturday in June through October 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(B) From December 1 through March 31:

(I) Selective gear rules apply.

(II) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(d) From Wynoochee Falls upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Eastern brook trout limit 5. Eastern brook trout do not count toward the trout limit. However, once the limit of trout other than eastern brook trout is reached, the limit for all species of trout is reached and the angler must cease fishing.

(221) Wynoochee Reservoir (Grays Harbor County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in October.

(b) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

(c) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-04-120, filed 2/4/14, effective 3/7/14)

WAC 220-310-185 Freshwater exceptions to state-wide rules—Southwest. (1) Abernathy Creek (Cowlitz County):

(a) From the mouth to a point 500 feet downstream from the salmon hatchery:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15.

(iii) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) From Abernathy Falls to posted markers 500 feet downstream from salmon hatchery: Closed.

(2) Alder Creek (Cowlitz County): Closed.

(3) Battle Ground Lake (Clark County):

(a) Closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 fish twenty inches or greater in length.

(4) Beaver Creek (tributary to Elochoman River) (Wahkiakum County): Closed.

(5) Blue Creek (Lewis County), from the mouth to Spencer Road:

(a) Closed from posted sign above rearing pond outlet to Spencer Road.

(b) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(c) Night closure in effect.

(d) Open June 1 through April 14 for trout only:

(i) Limit 5; minimum length 12 inches; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 20 inches.

(ii) Release wild cutthroat.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(6) Blue Lake (Cowlitz County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Catch and release only.

(7) Butter Creek (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.

(8) Canyon Creek (Clark County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Trout: Limit 5.

(9) Carlisle Lake (Lewis County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through last day in February.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(10) Castle Lake (Cowlitz County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one; minimum length 16 inches.

(11) Cedar Creek (tributary of N.F. Lewis) (Clark County):

(a) From the mouth to Grist Mill Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(iii) Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) From the Grist Mill Bridge to 100 feet upstream of the falls: Closed.

(c) From 100 feet upstream of the falls upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(iii) Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(12) Cispus River (Lewis County):

(a) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(b) From the mouth to the North Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31; release cutthroat.

(ii) Open from November 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June. Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open year-round.

(B) Limit 6; minimum size 8 inches.

(C) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(D) From January 1 through July 31, anglers may retain up to 2 adults as part of the limit.

(E) From August 1 through December 31, up to 2 of the limit may be adult Chinook.

(13) Cispus River, North Fork (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout:

(i) It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over twelve inches in length.

(ii) Release cutthroat.

(14) Coal Creek (Cowlitz County):

(a) From the mouth to 400 feet below the falls:

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through last day in February.

(c) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(d) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(15) Coldwater Lake (Cowlitz County):

(a) The Coldwater Lake inlet and outlet streams are closed.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one; minimum length 16 inches.

(16) Connelly Creek and tributaries (Lewis County): Closed from 400 feet below the city of Morton Dam to the source.

(17) Cougar Creek (tributary to Yale Reservoir) (Cowlitz County): Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(18) Coweeman River (Cowlitz County):

(a) From the mouth to Baird Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15.

(ii) Release all trout, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) From Baird Creek upstream to the source:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Release all trout, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(19) Cowlitz Falls Reservoir (Lake Scanewa) (Lewis County):

(a) The upstream boundary of the reservoir in the Cowlitz arm is at the posted Lewis County PUD sign on Peters Road.

(b) The upstream boundary of the reservoir in the Cispus arm is at the posted markers at the Lewis County PUD kayak launch, approximately 1.5 miles upstream from the confluence of the Cowlitz and Cispus arms.

(c) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(d) Open June 1 through the last day in February.

(e) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 8 inches.

(ii) Release cutthroat.

(iii) Release rainbow trout, except those with a clipped adipose fin with a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin.

(iv) From September 1 through the last day in February: Limit 10.

(f) Salmon open year-round:

(i) Limit 6; minimum length 8 inches.

(ii) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) From January 1 through July 31: No more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(iv) From August 1 through December 31: No more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(20) Cowlitz River (Lewis County):

(a) From the boundary markers at the mouth to Mayfield Dam:

(i) The following areas are closed:

(A) From 400 feet or posted markers below Cowlitz Salmon Hatchery barrier dam to boundary markers near the Cowlitz Salmon Hatchery water intake approximately 1,700 feet upstream of the Cowlitz Salmon Hatchery barrier dam.

(B) From 400 feet below the Mayfield powerhouse upstream to Mayfield Dam.

(C) Within a 100 foot radius of the new Cowlitz Trout Hatchery outfall structure, except open to anglers with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and possess a designated harvester companion card within posted markers when adjacent waters are open.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon, steelhead, and cutthroat trout.

(iii) From Lexington Bridge Drive in Kelso upstream to the Highway 505 Bridge in Toledo, fishing 2 poles is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(iv) From the mouth of Mill Creek to the Cowlitz Salmon Hatchery barrier dam:

(A) April 1 through November 30:

(I) Anti-snagging rule applies. Anglers may only retain fish hooked in the mouth when the anti-snagging rule applies.

(II) Night closure in effect.

(B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device.

(C) May 1 through June 15: It is unlawful to fish from the south side of the river.

(v) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31:

(A) Trout:

(I) Limit 5; minimum length 12 inches.

(II) Up to two trout over 20 inches may be retained.

(B) Release wild cutthroat.

(vi) Open April 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June: Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(vii) Salmon:

(A) Open January 1 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; up to 2 hatchery adults may be retained.

(II) Only hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho may be retained.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; up to 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(II) Only hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho may be retained.

(viii) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.

(b) From the posted PUD sign on Peters Road to the mouth of Ohanapecosh River and the mouth of Muddy Fork:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) September 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(iii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Release cutthroat.

(iv) Open November 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June: Release trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open January 1 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; up to 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(II) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; up to 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(II) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(21) Cowlitz River, Clear and Muddy Forks (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Release cutthroat.

(22) Davis Lake (Lewis County): Open the fourth Saturday in April to last day in February.

(23) Deep River (Wahkiakum County):

(a) Game fish: Open year-round.

(b) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.

(d) Salmon:

(i) From the mouth to town bridge: Open year-round.

(ii) January 1 through July 31:

(A) Limit 6, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon.

(B) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) August 1 through December 31:

(A) Limit 6, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(B) Release chum and wild coho.

(24) Delemeter Creek (Cowlitz County): Closed from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek.

(25) Drano Lake: In the waters downstream of markers on point of land downstream and across from Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery and upstream of the Highway 14 Bridge:

(a) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(b) Closed on Wednesdays beginning the second Wednesday in April through June 30.

(c) Closed from 6 p.m. Tuesdays through 6 p.m. Wednesdays during the month of October.

(d) March 16 through June 30: Night closure in effect.

(e) August 1 through December 31: Anti-snagging rule applies.

~~(f) ((Two pole fishing is permissible from May 12 through June 30 and from September 15 through December 31, so long as the angler possesses a two pole endorsement.))~~
May 1 through June 30 and September 15 through December 31:

(i) Each angler aboard a vessel may deploy salmon/steelhead angling gear until the daily salmon/steelhead limit for all anglers aboard has been achieved.

(ii) Two-pole fishing for salmon/steelhead is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(g) The area west of a line projected from the eastern-most pillar of the Highway 14 Bridge to a posted marker on the north shore is open only to bank fishing from April 16 through June 30.

(h) Game fish other than trout: Open May 1 through March 31.

(i) Trout: Open ~~((August))~~ January 1 through March 15; release trout, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(j) Salmon and steelhead: Open March 16 through December 31:

~~(i) ((Open))~~ From March 16 through July 31~~((- (ii)))~~; Limit 2 hatchery steelhead or 2 hatchery Chinook, or one of each.

~~((iii) Salmon: (A) Open))~~ (ii) From August 1 through December 31~~((- (B)))~~; Limit 6; no more than ~~((2))~~ 3 adult salmon ~~((may be retained))~~, and only 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

(26) Elochoman River (Wahkiakum County):

(a) The following areas are closed:

(i) The waters from 100 feet above the upper hatchery rack downstream to the Elochoman Hatchery Bridge located 400 feet below the upper hatchery rack.

(ii) The waters from a point 50 feet above to 100 feet below the outlet pipes from the most downstream Elochoman Hatchery rearing pond and extending 30 feet out from the south bank of the river.

(iii) From 200 feet above the department of fish and wildlife temporary weir downstream to Foster (Risk) Road Bridge while the weir is installed in the river.

(iv) The mainstem waters from the confluence of the West Fork to the source.

(b) From the mouth to West Fork:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.

(ii) August 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule, night closure, and stationary gear restriction apply.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(iv) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open the first Saturday in June through December 31.

(B) From the first Saturday in June through July 31: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults.

(C) From August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(II) Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

(27) Fort Borst Park Pond (Lewis County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through the last day in February, except closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(28) Franz Lake (Skamania County): Closed.

(29) Germany Creek (Cowlitz County): From the mouth to the end of Germany Creek Road (approximately five miles):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15.

(b) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(c) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(30) Gobar Creek (tributary to Kalama River) (Cowlitz County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Catch and release only.

(31) Grays River (Wahkiakum County): From the mouth to South Fork:

(a) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15, except closed from Highway 4 Bridge to mouth of South Fork from October 16 through November 30.

(c) Closed from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the river.

(d) Anti-snagging rule, night closure and stationary gear restriction apply:

(i) From the mouth to the Highway 4 Bridge August 1 through November 15.

(ii) From the Highway 4 Bridge to the mouth of South Fork August 1 through October 15.

(e) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(f) Salmon:

(i) From the mouth to the Highway 4 Bridge:

(A) Open the first Saturday in June through December 31.

(B) From the first Saturday in June through July 31: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults.

(C) From August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(II) Release chum, wild coho, and unmarked Chinook.

(ii) From the Highway 4 Bridge to the South Fork:

(A) Open the first Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through December 31.

(B) From the first Saturday in June through July 31: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults.

(C) From August 1 through October 15 and December 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(II) Release chum, wild coho, and unmarked Chinook.

(32) **Grays River, East Fork (Wahkiakum County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(33) **Grays River, West Fork (Wahkiakum County):** Downstream from the hatchery intake/footbridge:

(a) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15, except closed October 16 through November 30 from the posted markers approximately 300 yards below the hatchery road bridge downstream to the mouth.

(c) August 1 through November 15: Anti-snagging rule, night closure and stationary gear restriction apply.

(d) October 16 through March 15: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(e) Salmon: Open from first Saturday in June through December 31.

(i) From the first Saturday in June through July 31: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults.

(ii) From August 1 through December 31:

(A) Limit 6, of which not more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(B) Release chum, wild coho, and unmarked Chinook.

(34) **Green River (Cowlitz County):**

(a) From the mouth to Miner's Creek:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) The following areas are closed:

(A) All tributaries.

(B) From 400 feet above and 400 feet below the salmon hatchery rack (or from the posted signs above and below the salmon hatchery rack) when the rack is installed in the river.

(C) From 400 feet below to 400 feet above the water intake at the upper end of the hatchery grounds from September 1 through November 30.

(D) From the 2800 Bridge to Miner's Creek.

(iii) September 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect from the mouth to 400 feet below the salmon hatchery rack. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(iv) Open the last Saturday in May through November 30:

(A) From the last Saturday in May through the Friday before the first Saturday in June in the waters from the mouth to 400 feet below the Toutle Hatchery water intake:

(I) Selective gear rules apply.

(II) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(B) From the first Saturday in June through November 30: Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through November 30.

(B) Limit 6, no more than 2 adult Chinook may be retained.

(C) Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

(b) From Miner's Creek upstream to the source:

(i) Open from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(35) **Grizzly Lake (Skamania County):** Closed.

(36) **Hamilton Creek (Skamania County):**

(a) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) All tributaries downstream from the Highway 14 Bridge: Closed.

(37) **Hemlock Lake (Trout Creek Reservoir) (Skamania County):** Closed.

(38) **Horseshoe Lake (Clark/Cowlitz counties):**

(a) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or more in length.

(b) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(39) **Icehouse Lake (Skamania County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or greater in length.

(40) **Indian Heaven Wilderness Lakes (Skamania County):** Trout limit 3.

(41) **Johnson Creek (Lewis County) (Cowlitz River tributary):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.

(42) **Kalama River (Cowlitz County):**

(a) From boundary markers at the mouth upstream to 1,000 feet above the fishway at the upper salmon hatchery:

(i) Open year-round, except the following areas are closed:

(A) From 1,000 feet below to 1,000 feet above the fishway at upper salmon hatchery.

(B) From Modrow Bridge downstream to the markers 1,500 feet below the temporary rack when the rack is installed below Modrow Bridge.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(iii) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iv) April 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect from the railroad bridge below I-5 to the intake at the lower salmon hatchery. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(v) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor upstream of Modrow Bridge.

(vi) Open September 1 through October 31 for fly fishing only from the natural gas pipeline crossing to the posted deadline at the intake to the lower salmon hatchery.

(vii) Salmon:

(A) Open January 1 through April 30:

(I) Limit 6 hatchery Chinook.

(II) No more than one adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon other than hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho.

(b) From 1,000 feet above the fishway at the upper salmon hatchery, upstream to Summers Creek:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) From Summers Creek upstream to Kalama Falls:

(i) Closed from the 6420 Road (approximately one mile above the gate at the end of the county road) to Kalama Falls.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31 for fly fishing only.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(iv) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(43) **Kidney Lake (Skamania County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through last day in February.

(44) **Klineline Ponds (Clark County):**

(a) Closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(b) It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or more in length.

(45) **Kress Lake (Cowlitz County):**

(a) Closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or more in length.

(d) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(46) **Lacamas Creek (Clark County):**

(a) From the mouth to the footbridge at the lower falls: Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(b) From the footbridge at the lower falls upstream to the source: It is permissible to fish up to the base of Lacamas Lake Dam.

(47) **Lacamas Creek, tributary of Cowlitz River (Lewis County):**

(a) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(48) **Lewis River (Clark County):**

(a) Open year-round from the mouth to the mouth of East Fork.

(b) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(c) Fishing 2 poles is permissible from Railroad Bridge near Kuhns Road upstream to mouth of East Fork Lewis, so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(d) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(e) Salmon:

(i) Open January 1 through April 30: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook; no more than one may be an adult.

(ii) Open August 1 through September 30:

(A) Limit 6 hatchery salmon; no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook.

(B) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho.

(iii) Open October 1 through December 31:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

(B) Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

(f) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.

(49) **Lewis River, East Fork (Clark/Skamania counties):**

(a) The following areas are closed:

(i) From the posted markers at the lower end of Big Eddy to 100 feet above Lucia Falls.

(ii) From 400 feet below to 400 feet above Molton Falls.

(iii) From 400 feet below Horseshoe Falls upstream, including all tributaries above Horseshoe Falls.

(b) From the mouth to 400 feet below Horseshoe Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(iii) Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) From the mouth to the top boat ramp at Lewisville Park:

(i) Additional opening from April 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(50) **Lewis River, North Fork (Clark/Skamania counties):**

(a) From the mouth to Colvin Creek:

(i) Open year-round except the following areas are closed:

(A) From Johnson Creek upstream May 1 through May 31.

(B) Those waters shoreward of the cable buoy and cork-line at the mouth of the Lewis River Salmon Hatchery fish ladder.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(iii) Fishing 2 poles is permissible from the mouth to Johnson Creek, so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(iv) Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect June 1 through November 30 and April 1 through April 30 from Johnson Creek to Colvin Creek. When the anti-snag-

ging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(v) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(vi) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through April 30.

(B) From August 1 through September 30: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook or hatchery coho, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook.

(C) From October 1 through December 31: Limit 6 Chinook or hatchery coho, of which no more than 2 adult Chinook may be retained.

(D) From January 1 through April 30: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook of which only 1 may be an adult salmon. Release all other salmon.

(vii) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.

(b) From the mouth of Colvin Creek to the overhead powerlines at Merwin Dam:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) Open June 1 through October (~~(+5)~~) 31 and December 16 through April 30.

(iii) Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect April 1 through April 30 and June 1 through October (~~(+5)~~) 31. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(iv) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through October (~~(+5)~~) 31 and December 16 through April 30.

(B) From January 1 through April 30: Limit 6 hatchery Chinook of which only one may be an adult salmon.

(C) From August 1 through September 30: Limit 6 hatchery salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho.

(D) From October 1 through October (~~(+5)~~) 31 and December 16 through December 31: Limit 6 salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

(vi) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.

(c) From the overhead powerlines below Merwin Dam to Merwin Dam: Closed.

(d) From the cable crossing 1,300 feet below Yale Dam to Yale Dam: Closed.

(e) From the old Lewis River streambed between Swift No. 1 Powerhouse and Swift No. 2 Powerhouse and Lewis River Power Canal upstream to fishing pier: Closed.

(f) Within Lewis River Power Canal from the fishing pier to the access road at Swift Dam:

(i) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device.

(iii) Trout: Limit 5; no minimum size.

(g) From Eagle Cliff Bridge to the lower falls, including all tributaries:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(51) **Little Ash Lake (Skamania County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or more in length.

(52) **Little Washougal River (Clark County):** Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(53) **Little White Salmon River (Skamania County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31, except closed from the orange fishing boundary markers at Drano Lake upstream to the intake near the north boundary of the Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery.

(b) Trout: Limit 5.

(54) **Love Lake (Clark County):** Closed.

(55) **Mayfield Lake (Reservoir) (Lewis County):**

(a) Open from the Mayfield Dam to Mossyrock Dam.

(b) From the Tacoma Power safety signs at Onion Rock Bridge to Mossyrock Dam: Closed.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length 8 inches.

(ii) Release cutthroat and rainbow trout, except it is permissible to retain rainbow trout with a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin.

(d) Salmon open September 1 through December 31:

(i) Minimum length 8 inches.

(ii) Limit 6, no more than 2 may be adult salmon.

(iii) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(56) **Merrill Lake (Cowlitz County):**

(a) Open for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

(57) **Merwin Lake (Reservoir) (Clark/Cowlitz counties):**

(a) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(b) Kokanee: Limit 10; kokanee do not count as part of the trout limit.

(58) **Mill Creek (Cowlitz County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15.

(b) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(c) Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(59) **Mill Creek (Lewis County):**

(a) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(c) Open December 1 through December 31 from the mouth to hatchery road crossing culvert:

(i) Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(ii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(60) **Mineral Lake (Lewis County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(61) **Ohanapcosh Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis/Pierce counties):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

(62) **Olequa Creek (Lewis/Cowlitz counties):**

(a) Closed from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek.

(b) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(63) Packwood Lake (Lewis County):

(a) Closed: All inlet streams and the outlet from the log boom to the dam.

(b) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(c) Selective gear rules apply.

(d) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(e) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.

(64) Panther Creek (tributary to Wind River) (Skamania County): Closed.

(65) Plummer Lake (Lewis County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through the last day in February.

(66) Rainey Creek (Lewis County):

(a) Open from the mouth to Highway 12.

(b) Trout limit 5; release cutthroat and rainbow trout, except it is permissible to retain rainbow trout that have a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the location of the clipped fin.

(67) Riffe Lake (Reservoir) (Lewis County):

(a) Open from Mossyrock Dam to Cowlitz Falls Dam, except closed from Cowlitz Falls Dam downstream to the Lewis County PUD safety signs located approximately 800 feet below the dam.

(b) It is permissible to fish up to the base of Swofford Pond Dam.

(c) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(68) Rock Creek (Skamania County):

(a) Open from the mouth to the falls at approximately river mile one.

(i) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) From the falls upstream to source/headwaters:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.

(ii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(69) Salmon Creek (Clark County):

(a) From the mouth to 72nd Avenue N.E. Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.

(ii) Trout: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(b) From 72nd Avenue N.E. Bridge upstream: Closed.

(70) Salmon Creek (Lewis County): Closed from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek.

(71) Silver Lake (Cowlitz County): Crappie limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

(72) Silver Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County):

(a) Open from the mouth to USFS Road 4778.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(73) Skamokawa Creek (Wahkiakum County):

(a) Open June 1 through October 31 from the mouth to the forks just below Oatfield and Middle Valley Road.

(b) Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(74) Skate Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County): Release all cutthroat.

(75) South Lewis County Park Pond (Lewis County): Closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(76) Spirit Lake (Skamania County): Closed.

(77) Swift Reservoir (Skamania County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(b) From the posted markers approximately 3/8 mile below Eagle Cliff Bridge to the bridge: Selective gear rules apply.

(c) From the dam to the markers approximately 3/8 mile below Eagle Cliff Bridge: Trout limit 10 from September 1 through November 30.

(d) Salmon:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(ii) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(iii) Maximum length 15 inches.

(78) Swofford Pond (Lewis County): It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(79) Tilton River (Lewis County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through March 31 from the mouth to the West Fork.

(b) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.

(c) September 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(d) Release all cutthroat.

(e) Salmon open August 1 through December 31:

(i) Minimum length 8 inches.

(ii) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult Chinook may be retained.

(iii) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(80) Tilton River, East, North, South and West Forks (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

(81) Toutle River (Cowlitz County):

(a) From the mouth to the forks, and the North Fork from the mouth to the posted deadline below the fish collection facility:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(ii) September 1 through October 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect on the North Fork from the confluence with the South Fork to the mouth of Green River.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(iv) Gamefish: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

- (v) Salmon open August 1 through November 30:
- (A) Limit 6, no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.
- (B) Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.
- (b) From the posted deadline below the fish collection facility upstream to the headwaters, including all tributaries except Castle and Coldwater lakes: Closed.
- (82) **Toutle River, South Fork (Cowlitz County):**
- (a) All tributaries are closed.
- (b) During all open times, release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead. Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.
- (c) From the mouth to 4700 Road Bridge:
- (i) Open the last Saturday in May to the Friday before the first Saturday in June.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (d) From the mouth to the 4100 Road Bridge:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.
- (ii) December 1 through March 15:
- (A) Selective gear rules apply.
- (B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (e) From 4100 Road Bridge upstream to source: Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.
- (83) **Trout Creek (tributary to Wind River) (Skamania County):** Closed.
- (84) **Tunnel Lake (Skamania County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout 20 inches or more in length.
- (85) **Vancouver Lake and all other waters west of Burlington Northern Railroad from the Columbia River drawbridge near Vancouver downstream to Lewis River (Clark County):**
- (a) Vancouver Lake flushing channel and the lake shoreline 400 feet east and west of the channel exit: Closed April 1 through May 31.
- (b) Chumming is permissible.
- (c) Trout: Limit 2; minimum length 12 inches.
- (d) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.
- (86) **Walupt Lake (Lewis County):**
- (a) All inlet streams are closed.
- (b) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (c) Selective gear rules apply.
- (d) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.
- (87) **Washougal River (Clark County):**
- (a) From the mouth to the bridge at Salmon Falls:
- (i) Closed from 200 feet (or posted markers) below to 200 feet above the temporary weir when the weir is installed in the river.
- (ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.
- (iii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.
- (iv) Night closure in effect:
- (A) Year-round from the mouth to Mount Norway Bridge.
- (B) September 1 through October 31 from Mount Norway Bridge upstream.
- (v) Anti-snagging rule applies:
- (A) July 1 through October 31 from the mouth to Mount Norway Bridge; and

- (B) September 1 through October 31 from Mount Norway Bridge upstream.
- (C) When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.
- (vi) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (vii) Open from the mouth to Mount Norway Bridge April 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June:
- (A) Selective gear rules apply.
- (B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (C) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (viii) Salmon:
- (A) Open August 1 through December 31.
- (B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be hatchery Chinook.
- (C) Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.
- (b) From the bridge at Salmon Falls to the source, including tributaries: Closed.
- (88) **Washougal River, West (North) Fork (Clark/Skamania counties):**
- (a) From the mouth to the water intake at the department hatchery: Closed.
- (b) From the intake at the department hatchery to the source:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.
- (ii) Trout: Release all trout except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (iii) Barbless hooks are required for steelhead.
- (89) **Willame Lake (Lewis County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout: Limit 2; minimum length 15 inches.
- (90) **Wind River (Skamania County):**
- (a) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.
- (b) From the mouth to 100 feet above Shipherd Falls:
- (i) Closed from 400 feet below to 100 feet above Shipherd Falls fish ladder, including all tributaries.
- (ii) March 16 through June 30: Night closure in effect.
- (iii) August 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule applies. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.
- (iv) May 1 through June 30:
- (A) Anti-snagging rule applies from Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge upstream. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.
- ((+)) (B) Each angler aboard a vessel may deploy salmon/steelhead angling gear until the daily salmon/steelhead limit for all anglers aboard has been achieved.
- (C) Two-pole fishing for salmon/steelhead is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.
- (v) Open for game fish, except trout: July 1 through March 15.
- (vi) Trout:
- (A) Open August 1 through March 15.

(B) Minimum length 14 inches.

(vii) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open March 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit ~~((one)) 2; no more than 2~~ salmon, or ~~((one)) 2~~ hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(B) Open August 1 through October 31 ~~((for salmon only))~~:

(I) From the mouth to the Highway 14 Bridge, ~~((when the adjacent))~~ the daily catch limit and retention regulations for hatchery and wild fish follows the most liberal regulations of the mainstem Columbia and ((the)) Wind rivers when both areas are open concurrently for salmon((, the limit follows the most permissive regulations)).

(II) Limit 6; up to 2 adults may be retained.

(III) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(c) From 100 feet above Shipherd Falls to ~~((Moore Bridge))~~ the river source:

(i) The following areas are closed: ~~((A))~~ All tributaries; from 400 feet below to 100 feet above Coffey Dam; from Moore Bridge upstream to the river source, including all tributaries.

~~((B))~~ (ii) From ((400)) 100 feet ((below to 100 feet above the Coffey Dam;

~~((C))~~ above Shipherd Falls to 800 yards downstream from Carson National Fish Hatchery:

~~((A))~~ Open September 16 through November 30:

~~((A))~~ (I) Catch and release only((-);

~~((B))~~ (II) Selective gear rules apply((-); and

~~((C))~~ (III) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

~~((d) From Moore Bridge upstream to the river source, including all tributaries: Closed.)~~ (B) Salmon and steelhead open May 1 through June 30:

(I) Limit 2; no more than 2 salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained;

(II) Anti-snagging rule applies;

(III) Only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained;

(IV) Barbless hooks are required; and

(V) Night closure in effect.

(iii) From 800 yards downstream from Carson National Fish Hatchery to Moore Bridge open September 16 through November 30:

(A) Catch and release only and selective gear rules apply;

(B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(91) Winston Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.

(92) Yale Reservoir (Cowlitz County):

(a) Kokanee: Limit 16; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.

(b) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(93) Yellowjacket Creek (tributary to Cispus River) (Lewis County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-04-120, filed 2/4/14, effective 3/7/14)

WAC 220-310-190 Freshwater exceptions to state-wide rules—Puget Sound. (1) Beaver ponds located within or adjacent to streams that drain into Puget Sound listed as open to trout and other game fish follow the same rules as the adjacent stream.

(2) **County-wide freshwater exceptions to statewide rules:**

(a) Beaver ponds in Kitsap County and Mason County on Tahuya Peninsula west of Belfair-Bremerton Highway (S.R. 3):

(i) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(ii) Trout: No minimum length.

(b) Beaver ponds in Kitsap County and Mason County east of Belfair-Bremerton Highway (S.R. 3):

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Trout: No minimum length.

(3) **Alder Lake (Thurston County):** Kokanee limit 10; kokanee do not count toward the trout daily limit. See also Nisqually River.

(4) **Aldrich Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31:

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(5) **Alexander Lake (Kitsap County):** Closed.

(6) **All Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(7) **Alma Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to two hatchery steelhead.

(8) **American Lake (Pierce County):**

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

(9) **Anderson Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(10) **Anderson Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(11) **Armstrong Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(12) **Bacon Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(13) Bacus Creek (Skagit County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(14) Bainbridge Island - All streams (Kitsap County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(15) Baker Lake (Whatcom County):

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Closed waters within a two hundred foot radius around the pump discharge at the south end of the lake.

(c) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31:

(d) Trout: Minimum length 6 inches and maximum length 18 inches.

(e) Salmon: Open July 10 through September ((2)) 7.

(i) Sockeye: Limit ((2)) 3; minimum length 18 inches.

(ii) Each angler aboard a vessel may deploy salmon angling gear until the limit for all licensed and juvenile anglers aboard is reached.

(16) Baker River (Skagit County):

(a) From the mouth to Highway 20 Bridge:

(i) Open September 1 through October 31.

(ii) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(b) From the Highway 20 Bridge to the Baker River fish barrier dam: Closed.

(c) From the Baker River fish barrier dam to the headwaters to Shannon and Baker lakes, including tributaries and their tributaries, except Channel Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(17) **Barnaby Slough (Skagit County):** Closed.

(18) **Bay Lake (Pierce County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(19) **Beaver Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(20) **Beaver Creek (Thurston County) from the mouth to I-5:**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Night closure in effect.

(d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(21) **Beaver Lake (King County):** Trout: No more than 2 over 15 inches in length.

(22) Benson Lake (Mason County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length.

(23) **Bertrand Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(24) **Big Bear Creek (tributary of Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 to juvenile anglers only.

(25) **Big Beaver Creek (Whatcom County), from 1/4 mile upstream of the closed water markers on Ross Lake upstream, including tributary streams and beaver ponds:**

(a) Open July 1 through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(26) Big Beef Creek (Kitsap County):

(a) From Seabeck Highway Bridge to Lake Symington:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(v) August 1 through August 31: Closed within 100 feet of the Seabeck Highway N.W. Bridge.

(b) From Lake Symington upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(27) **Big Creek (Skagit County) (Suitttle River tributary):**

(a) From TeePee Falls to the source: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(28) Big Lake (Skagit County):

(a) Crappie: Limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

(b) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(29) Big Mission Creek (Mason County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(30) Big Scandia Creek (Kitsap County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(31) **Big Soos Creek (King County):** From the mouth to the hatchery rack:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(32) **Bingham Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(33) **Black Creek (Snohomish County) (South Fork Stillaguamish River tributary):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from the Bear Creek confluence upstream.

(34) Black Lake (Thurston County):

(a) Crappie: Limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(35) Black Lake Ditch (Thurston County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the confluence with Percival Creek upstream to Black Lake.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(36) Blackjack Creek (Kitsap County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(37) Blackman's Lake (Snohomish County): Trout limit 3.

(38) Blooms Ditch (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From the mouth to I-5:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Night closure in effect.

(d) Trout minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.

(39) Boise Creek (King County) (White River tributary): Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 upstream of the Highway 410 crossing.

(40) Bosworth Lake (Snohomish County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(41) Boulder Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

(42) Boulder River (Snohomish County) (N.F. Stillaguamish River tributary):

(a) From the mouth to Boulder Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) From Boulder Falls upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(43) Boxley Creek (North Bend, King County) (Tributary to the South Fork Snoqualmie River): Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from the falls located approximately at river mile 0.9.

(44) Boyle Lake (King County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) The inlet and outlet streams to Boyle Lake are closed.

(45) Bradley Lake (Pierce County):

(a) Open May 15 through the last day of free fishing weekend, as defined in WAC 220-55-160, to juvenile anglers only.

(b) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(46) Bridges Lake (King County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) The inlet and outlet streams to Bridges Lake are closed.

(47) Buck Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the upstream boundary of Buck Creek campground.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(48) Buck Lake (Kitsap County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(49) Burley Creek (Kitsap County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(50) Cadet Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(51) Cady Lake (Mason County):

(a) Open to fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

(52) Cain Lake (Whatcom County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(53) California Creek (Whatcom County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(54) Calligan Lake (King County):

(a) Open June 1 through October 31.

(b) All tributary streams and the upper third of the outlet are closed.

(c) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

(55) Camp Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(56) Campbell Creek (Mason County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

(57) Campbell Lake (Skagit County): Crappie limit ten; minimum length 9 inches.

(58) Canyon Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(59) Canyon Creek (Snohomish County) (S.F. Stillaguamish River):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31 from the mouth to the forks.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(60) Canyon Creek (Whatcom County) (North Fork Nooksack River):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from Canyon Creek Road Bridge upstream, including tributaries.

- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (61) **Capitol Lake (Thurston County):** Closed.
- (62) **Carbon River (Pierce County):**
- (a) From the mouth to Voight Creek:
- (i) Open September 1 through January 15.
- (ii) From September 1 through November 30: Night closure in effect and anti-snagging rule applies.
- (iii) Trout:
- (A) September 1 through November 30: Minimum length 14 inches.
- (B) From December 1 through January 15:
- (I) Selective gear rules apply.
- (II) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (iv) Salmon:
- (A) Open September 1 through November 30.
- (B) Limit 6 fish of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon and, of the 4 adults, no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook.
- (C) Release chum and wild adult Chinook salmon.
- (b) From Voight Creek to the Highway 162 Bridge:
- (i) Open from November 1 through January 15.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (63) **Carney Lake (Pierce County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through June 30 and September 1 through November 30.
- (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.
- (d) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.
- (64) **Carson Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (65) **Cascade Creek (San Juan County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the mouth to Cascade Lake.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 10 eastern brook trout.
- (66) **Cascade Lake (San Juan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (67) **Cascade River (Skagit County):**
- (a) From the mouth to the Rockport-Cascade Road Bridge:
- (i) Open June 1 through July 15 and September 16 through February 15:
- (A) Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect June 1 through July 15 and September 16 through November 30.
- (B) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.
- (ii) Salmon:
- (A) Open June 1 through July 15:
- (I) Up to 4 hatchery Chinook may be retained; only 2 hatchery Chinook may be adults.
- (II) Release all other salmon.
- (B) Open September 16 through November 30:
- (I) Up to 4 coho may be retained.
- (II) Release all other salmon.
- (b) From the Rockport-Cascade Road Bridge upstream:
- (i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
- (68) **Cassidy Lake (Snohomish County):** Crappie limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.
- (69) **Cavanaugh Creek (Whatcom County) and all tributaries:** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from where Cavanaugh Creek first flows into Whatcom County, 0.4 lineal miles from its confluence with the South Fork Nooksack River.
- (70) **Cavanaugh Lake (Skagit County):** Chumming is permissible.
- (71) **Cayada Creek (Pierce County) (Carbon River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (72) **Cedar Creek (Mason County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (73) **Cedar River (King County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 from the mouth to Landsburg Road.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply and night closure.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (74) **Chambers Creek (Pierce County):**
- (a) From the mouth (Burlington Northern Bridge) to the markers 400 feet below the Boise-Cascade Dam (Pierce County):
- (i) Open July 1 through November 15 for game fish and salmon.
- (ii) Night closure in effect and anti-snagging rule applies.
- (iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
- (iv) Salmon:
- (A) Limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon.
- (B) Release wild coho.
- (b) From Boise-Cascade Dam to Steilacoom Lake:
- (i) Open July 1 through October 31.
- (ii) Night closure in effect and selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.
- (75) **Chambers Lake (within Ft. Lewis Military Reservation) (Pierce County):**
- (a) Selective gear rules apply.
- (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (76) **Channel Creek (Skagit County) (Baker River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.
- (77) **Chaplain Creek (Snohomish County) (Sultan River tributary):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 above the falls near the mouth to the dam at Chapman Lake, including tributaries and beaver ponds.
- (78) **Chaplain Lake (Snohomish County):** Closed.

(79) **Cherry Creek (King/Snohomish County) (tributary to the Snoqualmie River):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 above Cherry Creek Falls (located at river mile 9.3, approximately 1 mile upstream of Stossel/Kelly Rd), including all tributaries and beaver ponds.

(80) **Chilliwack River (Whatcom County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31, including all tributaries and their tributaries.

(81) **Church Creek (Mason County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 upstream of the bridge on U.S. Forest Service Road #2361.

(82) **Clara Lake (also known as "Don Lake") (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length.

(83) **Clarks Creek (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15 from the mouth to 12th Avenue S.W.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Limit 2; minimum length 14 inches.

(84) **Clear Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from Asbestos Creek Falls.

(85) **Clear Lake (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Chumming is permissible.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

(d) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(86) **Clear Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

(87) **Clearwater River (Pierce County):**

(a) Open July 1 through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(88) **Clover Creek (Pierce County):**

(a) Open July 1 through October 31 upstream of Steila-coom Lake, including all tributaries.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(89) **Coal Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 to juvenile anglers only.

(90) **Coal Creek (near Snoqualmie) (King County):**

(a) From the mouth to Highway I-90:

(i) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 to juvenile anglers only.

(ii) Trout: No minimum length.

(b) From Highway I-90 upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(91) **Collins Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(92) **Copper Creek (Snohomish County) (Clear Creek tributary, a tributary of Sauk River):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(93) **Cottage Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(94) **Coulter Creek (Kitsap/Mason counties):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

(95) **County Line Ponds (Skagit County):** Closed.

(96) **Crabapple Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(97) **Cranberry Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

(98) **Crescent Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(99) **Crescent Lake (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(100) **Cumberland Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from the USFS 17 Road Bridge located 0.7 lineal miles from its confluence with the Skagit River, including all tributaries.

(101) **Dakota Creek (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through December 31 from the mouth to Giles Road Bridge.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Salmon:

(i) Open October 1 through December 31.

(ii) Limit 2 salmon.

(iii) Release wild Chinook.

(102) **Dan's Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(103) **De Coursey Pond (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through November 30 to juvenile anglers only.

(b) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(104) **Decker Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(105) **Deep Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(106) **Deer Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

(107) **Deer Lake (Island County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(108) **Deer Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(109) **Dempsey Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(110) **Deschutes River (Thurston County):**

(a) From Old Highway 99 Bridge near Tumwater to Henderson Boulevard Bridge near Pioneer Park:

(i) Selective gear rules apply, except bait is allowed September 1 through October 15.

(ii) Trout: Open year-round; catch and release only.

(iii) All other game fish: Open the first Saturday in June through October 15.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through October 15.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(C) Release coho.

(b) From Henderson Boulevard Bridge upstream:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through October 15.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(C) Release coho.

(111) **Devereaux Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

(112) **Dewatto River (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) October 1 through October 31: Night closure in effect.

(v) Game fish: Catch and release only.

(vi) Salmon:

(A) Open October 1 through October 31.

(B) Limit 2 coho.

(b) From Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(113) **Diobsud Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(114) **Dogfish Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(115) **Dosewallips River (Jefferson County):**

(a) From the mouth to Highway 101 Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Release all gamefish.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open November 1 through December 15.

(B) Limit 2 chum only.

(b) From Highway 101 Bridge to Olympic National Park boundary about three-quarters of a mile downstream of the falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Release all gamefish.

(116) Downey Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((116))~~ **(117) Duckabush River (Jefferson County):**
(a) From the mouth to Mason County PUD #1 overhead distribution line:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Release all game fish.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open November 1 through December 15.

(B) Limit 2 chum only.

(b) From Mason County PUD #1 overhead distribution line to the Olympic National Park boundary:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

~~((117))~~ **(118) Dyes Inlet (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 for all streams.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((118))~~ **(119) Eaton Creek (Thurston County) (Lake St. Clair tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((119))~~ **(120) Echo Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((120))~~ **(121) Eglon Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

((121)) (122) Elliot Creek (Snohomish County)
(Sauk River tributary):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((122)) (123) Erie Lake (Skagit County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((123)) (124) Evans Creek (Pierce County) (Carbon River tributary): Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from Carbon River Fairfax Road upstream.
 ((124)) (125) Falls Creek (Snohomish County)
(Sauk River tributary):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((125)) (126) Fazon Lake (Whatcom County):
 (a) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device from the first Friday in October through January 27.
 (b) Channel catfish: Limit 2.
 ((126)) (127) Finch Creek (Mason County): Anglers with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and possess a designated harvester companion card may fish from the ADA accessible site at the Hoodspout Salmon Hatchery, so long as those anglers follow all applicable rules of the adjoining waters of Marine Area 12.
 ((127)) (128) Fisher Slough (Snohomish County):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the mouth to the I-5 Bridge.
 (b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 ((128)) (129) Fishtrap Creek (Whatcom County): Open from Kok Road to Bender Road from the first Saturday in June through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.
 ((129)) (130) Fiske Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary): Open upstream from Fiske Road from the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 ((130)) (131) Fortson Mill Pond #2 (Snohomish County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.
 ((131)) (132) Found Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
 ((132)) (133) Fox Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary): Open upstream from Fiske Road from the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 ((133)) (134) Friday Creek (Whatcom County)
(Samish River tributary):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((134)) (135) Fulton Creek (Mason County):
 (a) From the mouth to falls at river mile 0.8:
 (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
 (iii) Catch and release only.
 (b) From the falls at river mile 0.8 upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 ((135)) (136) Gale Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary): Open upstream of the confluence with Wilkeson Creek from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

((136)) (137) Gamble Creek (Kitsap County):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
 ((137)) (138) Geneva Lake (King County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((138)) (139) Gissberg Pond, North (Snohomish County): Open for juvenile anglers only.
 ((139)) (140) Gissberg Ponds (Snohomish County): Channel catfish limit 2; no minimum size.
 ((140)) (141) Goldsborough Creek (Mason County):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
 ((141)) (142) Goodell Creek (Skagit County):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 ((142)) (143) Goodwin Lake (Snohomish County): Chumming is permissible.
 ((143)) (144) Goss Lake (Island County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((144)) (145) Grade Creek (Snohomish County)
(Suiattle River tributary):
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((145)) (146) Granite Lakes (near Marblemount) (Skagit County): Grayling: Catch and release only.
 ((146)) (147) Grass Lake (Mason County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((147)) (148) Green (Duwamish) River (King County):
 (a) From the First Avenue South Bridge to Tukwila International Boulevard/Old Highway 99:
 (i) September 1 through November 30:
 (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 (B) Night closure in effect.
 (ii) November 1 through January 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through July 31 and September 1 through January 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, open for game fish and salmon August 23 through August 31:
 (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 (B) Night closure in effect.
 (C) It is unlawful to use bait.
 (D) It is unlawful to use anything other than one single-point hook measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.
 (E) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 (v) Salmon:
 (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 (I) Open August 23 through December 31.
 (II) Limit 6 salmon of which no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 (III) Release Chinook.
 (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 (I) Open September 1 through December 31.
 (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.

- (III) Release Chinook.
- (b) From Tukwila International Boulevard/Old Highway 99 to the Interstate 405 Bridge:
 - (i) September 1 through November 30:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (ii) November 1 through January 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through July 31 and September 1 through January 15; trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iv) Salmon open September 1 through December 31:
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6 salmon; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6 salmon; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (c) From the Interstate 405 Bridge to South 277th Street Bridge in Auburn:
 - (i) October 1 through November 30:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (ii) November 1 through January 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through July 31 and October 1 through January 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, open for game fish and salmon September 1 through September 30:
 - (A) Night closure in effect.
 - (B) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (C) It is unlawful to use bait.
 - (D) It is unlawful to use anything other than one single-point hook measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.
 - (E) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 - (v) Salmon:
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Open September 1 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Open October 1 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (III) Release Chinook.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Open October 1 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (III) Release Chinook.
 - (d) From the 277th Street Bridge to Auburn-Black Diamond Road Bridge:
 - (i) October 16 through November 30:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (ii) November 1 through January 31: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15 and October 16 through January 31; trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, open for game fish and salmon September 16 through October 15:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (C) It is unlawful to use bait.
 - (D) It is unlawful to use anything other than one single-point hook measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.
 - (E) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 - (v) Salmon:
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Open September 16 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Open October 16 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (III) Release Chinook.

- (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
- (B) Night closure in effect.
- (C) It is unlawful to use bait.
- (D) It is unlawful to use anything other than one single-point hook measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.
- (E) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
- (v) Salmon:
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Open September 16 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (III) Release Chinook.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Open October 16 through December 31.
 - (II) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (III) Release Chinook.
- (e) From the Auburn-Black Diamond Road Bridge to the mouth of Cristy Creek at Flaming Geyser State Park:
 - (i) Closed waters within 150 feet of the mouth of Keta (Crisp) Creek.
 - (ii) August 1 through September 15 and November 1 through November 30:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through September 15 and November 1 through January 31; trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iv) Salmon open November 1 through December 31.
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (f) From the mouth of Cristy Creek at Flaming Geyser State Park to the water pipeline walk bridge (1/2 mile downstream of Tacoma Headworks Dam):
 - (i) Closed waters within 150 feet of the Palmer Pond outlet rack.
 - (ii) August 1 through November 30:
 - (A) Anti-snagging rule applies.
 - (B) Night closure in effect.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iv) Salmon open November 1 through December 31:
 - (A) In years ending in odd numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (B) In years ending in even numbers:
 - (I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained.
 - (II) Release Chinook.
 - (g) From Friday Creek upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 - ~~((148))~~ (149) **Greenwater River (King County):**
 - (a) From the mouth to Greenwater Lakes:
 - (i) Open November 1 through January 31.
 - (ii) Release all fish except whitefish.

(iii) Whitefish gear rules apply.

(b) From Greenwater Lakes upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((149))~~ **(150) Grovers Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((150))~~ **(151) Hamma Hamma River (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to 400 feet below the falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(b) From the falls upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((151))~~ **(152) Hancock Lake (King County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) All tributary streams and the upper third of the outlet are closed.

(c) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

~~((152))~~ **(153) Hansen Creek (Skagit County):** Including all tributaries and their tributaries:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((153))~~ **(154) Harrison Slough (Skagit County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((154))~~ **(155) Hatchery Lake (Mason County):** (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((155))~~ **(156) Haven Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length.

~~((156))~~ **(157) Heart Lake (near Anacortes) (Skagit County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((157))~~ **(158) Heins Lake (Kitsap County):** Closed.

~~((158))~~ **(159) Hicks Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

~~((159))~~ **(160) Hilt Creek (Skagit County) (Sauk River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((160))~~ **(161) Horseshoe Lake (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

(c) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

~~((161))~~ **(162) Howard Creek (Whatcom County):**

Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from where Howard Creek flows into Section 13 of Township 36N, Range 6E, 0.3 lineal miles upstream from the South Fork Nooksack River, including all tributaries.

~~((162))~~ **(163) Howard Lake (Snohomish County):**

Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((163))~~ **(164) Howell Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((164))~~ **(165) Hozomeen Lake (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open July 1 through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

~~((165))~~ **(166) Hylebos Creek (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((166))~~ **(167) Illabot Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((167))~~ **(168) Illahee Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((168))~~ **(169) Isabella Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((169))~~ **(170) Island Lake (Kitsap County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((170))~~ **(171) Island Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((171))~~ **(172) Issaquah Creek (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((172))~~ **(173) Jackman Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((173))~~ **(174) Jackson Lake (Pierce County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((174))~~ **(175) Jefferson Creek (Mason County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((175))~~ **(176) Jennings Park Pond (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((176))~~ **(177) Johns Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((177))~~ **(178) Johnson Creek (Thurston County) (Skookumchuck River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((178))~~ **(179) Johnson Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the

Northern Pacific Railroad tracks to the Lawson Street foot-bridge in Sumas for juvenile anglers only.

~~((179))~~ **(180) Jones Creek (Skagit County):**

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((180))~~ **(181) Jordan Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary):**

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((181))~~ **(182) Jorsted Creek (Mason County):**

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Catch and release only.

~~((182))~~ **(183) Kapowsin Lake (Pierce County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((183))~~ **(184) Kelsey Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((184))~~ **(185) Kendall Creek (Whatcom County) (N.F. Nooksack tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 above the hatchery grounds.

- (b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((185))~~ **(186) Kennedy Creek (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to 400 feet below the falls:
(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) From Highway 101 Bridge to 400 feet below the falls: Selective gear rules apply January 1 through September 30.

(iii) October 1 through December 31:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open October 1 through November 30 from the mouth to the northbound Highway 101 Bridge.

(B) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(C) Release wild coho.

(b) From the falls upstream, including all tributaries:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply within the mainstem of Kennedy Creek.

~~((186))~~ **(187) Kennedy Creek Pond (Thurston County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((187))~~ **(188) Ki Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((188))~~ **(189) Kimball Creek (near Snoqualmie) (King County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.

(b) Trout: No minimum length.

~~((189))~~ **(190) Kindy Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((190))~~ **(191) King's Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((191))~~ **(192) Kings Lake Bog (King County):** Closed.

~~((192))~~ **(193) Kitsap Lake (Kitsap County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((193))~~ **(194) Klaus Lake (King County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) The inlet and outlet to first Weyerhaeuser spur are closed.

~~((194))~~ **(195) Koeneman Lake (Fern Lake) (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Catch and release only.

~~((195))~~ **(196) Kokanee Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

~~((196))~~ **(197) Ladder Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((197))~~ **(198) Langlois Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((198))~~ **(199) Lawrence Lake (Thurston County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((199))~~ **(200) LeBar Creek (Mason County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the falls at river mile one upstream.

~~((200))~~ **(201) Lena Creek (Mason County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((201))~~ **(202) Lilliwaup River (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to 200 feet below the falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(b) From the falls upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((202))~~ **(203) Lime Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((203))~~ **(204) Limerick Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((204))~~ **(205) Little Bear Creek (tributary of Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((205))~~ **(206) Little Mission Creek (Mason County) from falls upstream:**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

- (c) Catch and release only.
 ((206)) **(207) Little Nisqually River (Lewis County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 ((207)) **(208) Little Scandia Creek (Kitsap County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.
 ((208)) **(209) Lone Lake (Island County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (c) Trout: Limit 1; minimum length 18 inches.
 ((209)) **(210) Long Lake (Thurston County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.
 ((210)) **(211) Long's Pond (Thurston County):** Open for juvenile anglers only.
 ((211)) **(212) Lost Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.
 ((212)) **(213) Lyle Creek (King County) (White River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 ((213)) **(214) Maggie Lake (Mason County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through November 30.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.
 ((214)) **(215) Malaney Creek (Mason County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
 ((215)) **(216) Maple Creek (Whatcom County) (N.F. Nooksack tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((216)) **(217) Marble Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Catch and release only.
 ((217)) **(218) Margaret Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((218)) **(219) Marsh Creek (Snohomish County) (Sultan River tributary):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 above the falls, including tributaries and beaver ponds.
 ((219)) **(220) Martha Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((220)) **(221) May Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.
 ((221)) **(222) McAllister Creek (Thurston County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to use anything other than barbless hooks.
 (c) Selective gear rules apply.
 (d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 (e) Salmon:
 (i) Open July 1 through November 30.
 (ii) Limit 6; of which no more than 2 may be adults.
 ((222)) **(223) McIntosh Lake (Thurston County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length.
 ((223)) **(224) McLane Creek (Thurston County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) August 1 through October 31: Night closure in effect.
 (d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 ((224)) **(225) McLane Creek Ponds (Thurston County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((225)) **(226) McMurray Lake (Skagit County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Landlocked salmon rules apply.
 ((226)) **(227) Melbourne Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 ((227)) **(228) Mercer Slough (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.
 ((228)) **(229) Milk Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((229)) **(230) Mill Creek (Mason County):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 ((230)) **(231) Mill Pond (Auburn) (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only, except open for all anglers during free fishing weekend, as defined by department rule.
 ((231)) **(232) Mima Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary):**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 ((232)) **(233) Mineral Creek (tributary to Nisqually River), and Mineral Creek, North Fork (Lewis County):** Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 ((233)) **(234) Minter Creek (Pierce/Kitsap counties):** From the mouth to the hatchery rack:
 (a) Open for trout only the first Saturday in June through October 31:
 (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 (ii) Minimum length 14 inches.
 (b) Open for salmon November 1 through December 31 from the mouth to the fishing boundary markers approximately 50 feet downstream of the hatchery rack:
 (i) Night closure in effect.
 (ii) Limit 4 chum; release all other salmon.
 ((234)) **(235) Mission Lake (Kitsap County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((235))~~ (236) **Monte Cristo Lake (Snohomish County):**

- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((236))~~ (237) **Mountain Lake (San Juan County):** It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over 18 inches in length.

~~((237))~~ (238) **Mud Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((238))~~ (239) **Munn Lake (Thurston County):**

- (a) Selective gear rules apply.
- (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (c) Catch and release only.

~~((239))~~ (240) **Nahwatzel Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((240))~~ (241) **New Pond Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((241))~~ (242) **Newhalem Ponds (Whatcom County):** Closed.

~~((242))~~ (243) **Nisqually River (Pierce County):**

- (a) From the mouth to Military Tank Crossing Bridge:
 - (i) ~~((August 1 through November 30: (A) Anti-snagging rule applies. (B) Night closure in effect. (C) It is unlawful to use anything other than barbless hooks.~~

~~(ii) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device from July 28 through July 30, August 4 through August 6, August 11 through August 13, August 18 through August 20, and August 25 through August 27.)~~ Closed August 11 through August 13, August 18 through August 20, August 25 through August 27, September 3 through September 5, September 8 through September 10, September 15 through September 16, September 22 through September 23, and September 29 through September 30.

(ii) July 1 through January 31:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Open July 1 through January 31:

(A) From July 1 through November 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(B) From December 1 through January 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iv) Salmon open July 1 through January 31.

(A) In years ending in even numbers, from July 1 through October 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 3 adults may be retained, and only 2 adults may be any combination of chum and coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(B) In years ending in odd numbers, from July 1 through October 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 4 adults may be retained of which only 2 adults may be any combination of Chinook, chum, and coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(C) From November 1 through January 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(b) From Military Tank Crossing Bridge to 400 feet below La Grande Powerhouse:

(i) Open July 1 through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iv) From Alder Reservoir upstream including all tributaries:

(A) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(B) Selective gear rules apply.

(C) Trout minimum length 14 inches.

~~((243))~~ (244) **Nookachamps Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31, including all tributaries and their tributaries.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((244))~~ (245) **Nooksack River (Whatcom County):**

(a) From the Lummi Indian Reservation boundary to the yellow marker at the FFA High School barn at Deming:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open September 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 2, plus 2 additional coho.

(II) Release wild Chinook September 1 through September 30.

(B) Open July 16 through August 31 from Lummi Indian Reservation boundary to Highway 544 Bridge at Everson during odd-numbered years:

(I) Limit 4 pink salmon.

(II) It is unlawful to use bait.

(III) It is unlawful to use anything other than single-point hooks measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.

(b) From the yellow marker at the FFA High School barn in Deming to the confluence of the forks:

(i) Open from October 1 through January 31.

(ii) October 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Salmon open October 1 through December 31: Limit 2, plus anglers may retain 2 additional coho.

~~((245))~~ (246) **Nooksack River, North Fork (Whatcom County):**

(a) From the mouth to Maple Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through February 15.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) November 1 through February 15: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(iv) Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(v) Salmon open October 1 through November 30: Limit 2 salmon, plus anglers may retain 2 additional coho.

(b) From Maple Creek to Nooksack Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) November 1 through January 31: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) The waters above Nooksack Falls, including all tributaries and their tributaries are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((246))~~ (247) **Nooksack River, Middle Fork (Whatcom County):**

(a) From the mouth to the city of Bellingham diversion dam:

(i) November 1 through January 31: It is unlawful to use motors.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

(b) The waters above the diversion dam, including all tributaries and their tributaries are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((247))~~ (248) **Nooksack River, South Fork (Skagit/Whatcom counties):**

(a) From the mouth to Skookum Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) From the first Saturday in June through November 30: Night closure in effect.

(iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(v) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(vi) Salmon open October 1 through December 31:

(A) Limit 2; plus anglers may retain 2 additional coho.

(B) Release chum.

(C) In years ending in odd numbers, release pink salmon.

(b) Upstream from and including Wanlick Creek, including all tributaries:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 for fly fishing only.

(ii) Catch and release only.

~~((248))~~ (249) **North Creek (Snohomish/King counties) (tributary of Sammamish River):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((249))~~ (250) **North Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((250))~~ (251) **Northern State Hospital Pond (Skagit County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((251))~~ (252) **Ohop Creek (Pierce County):**

(a) Open July 1 through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((252))~~ (253) **Ohop Lake (Pierce County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

~~((253))~~ (254) **Olalla Creek (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((254))~~ (255) **Old Fishing Hole Pond (Kent, King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((255))~~ (256) **Olney Creek (Snohomish County) (Wallace River tributary):** The waters upstream of Olney Falls, including tributaries and beaver ponds are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((256))~~ (257) **Olson Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((257))~~ (258) **Osborne Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((258))~~ (259) **O'Toole (Marietta) Creek (Whatcom County):** The waters upstream from Marietta Falls, located 0.3 lineal miles from the Skagit River, are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((259))~~ (260) **Outlet Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((260))~~ (261) **Owl Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((261))~~ (262) **Padden Lake (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

~~((262))~~ (263) **Panhandle Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((263))~~ (264) **Panther Lake (Kitsap/Mason counties):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((264))~~ (265) **Pass Lake (Skagit County):**

(a) Open to fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((265))~~ (266) **Pattison Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((266))~~ (267) **Percival Creek (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((267))~~ (268) **Perry Creek (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 from the mouth to the falls.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((268))~~ (269) **Phillips Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((269))~~ (270) **Pilchuck Creek (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the mouth to the Highway 9 Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through November

30: Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the Highway 9 Bridge to Pilchuck Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) From Pilchuck Falls upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries, and all tributaries to Lake Cavanaugh: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((270))~~ (271) **Pilchuck River (Snohomish County):**

(a) Open from December 1 through January 31 from the mouth to 500 feet downstream from the Snohomish City diversion dam.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((271))~~ (272) **Pine Creek (Mason County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((272))~~ (273) **Pine Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((273))~~ (274) **Pine Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((274))~~ (275) **Pioneer Ponds (tributary to Stillaguamish River) (Snohomish County):** Closed.

~~((275))~~ (276) **Plumbago Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from the Sierra Pacific 140 road bridge located 0.5 lineal miles upstream from the South Fork Nooksack River, including all tributaries.

~~((276))~~ (277) **Pratt River (tributary to Middle Fork Snoqualmie River) (King County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((277))~~ (278) **Pressentin Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from the waterfall located 0.3 miles from the Skagit River, including all tributaries.

~~((278))~~ (279) **Prices Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((279))~~ (280) **Pugh Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((280))~~ (281) **Puyallup River (Pierce County):**

(a) From the mouth to ~~(the mouth of the White River):~~ Closed.

~~(b))~~ Freeman Road:

(i) Open for game fish and salmon August 16 through December 31.

(ii) Closed August 31 through September 1, September 7 through September 9, September 14 through September 16, September 21 through September 24, September 28 through October 1, October 5 through October 8, and October 12 through October 15.

(iii) August 16 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(C) Barbless hooks are required.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) Release wild adult Chinook.

(b) From Freeman Road to the mouth of White River:

(i) Open for game fish and salmon August 11 through December 31.

(ii) Closed August 31 through September 1, September 7 through September 9, September 14 through September 16, September 21 through September 24, and September 28 through September 30.

(iii) August 11 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(C) Barbless hooks are required.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Limit 6; no more than 2 adults may be retained.

(B) Release wild adult Chinook.

(c) From the mouth of White River to Carbon River:

(i) Open for game fish and salmon August 1 through December 31.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure is in effect.

(C) Barbless hooks are required.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) In years ending in even numbers:

(I) Limit 6; of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon.

(II) Release wild adult Chinook.

(B) In years ending in odd numbers:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 4 adult salmon may be retained with a limit of two adult salmon (Chinook, coho, or chum), plus two pink.

(II) Release wild adult Chinook.

~~((e))~~ (d) From Carbon River upstream:

(i) Open September 1 through January 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((281))~~ (282) **Pyramid Creek (King County) upstream of Forest Service Road 7000:** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

- ((282)) **(283) Racehorse Creek (Whatcom County) (N.F. Nooksack tributary):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- ((283)) **(284) Raging River (King County):**
- (a) From the mouth to the Highway 18 Bridge:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.
 - (ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.
 - (b) From Highway 18 Bridge upstream: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- ((284)) **(285) Rapjohn Lake (Pierce County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.
- ((285)) **(286) Rattlesnake Lake (King County):**
- (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (c) Catch and release only.
- ((286)) **(287) Ravensdale Lake (King County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (d) Trout: Limit 2; minimum length 12 inches.
- ((287)) **(288) Red Creek (King County) (White River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- ((288)) **(289) Rendsland Creek (Mason County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) Catch and release only.
- ((289)) **(290) Riley Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- ((290)) **(291) Roaring Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream from the confluence with Deer Creek, including all tributaries.
- ((291)) **(292) Robbins Lake (Mason County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length.
- ((292)) **(293) Rocky Creek (Mason County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
- ((293)) **(294) Rocky Creek (Skagit County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- ((294)) **(295) Roesiger Lake (Snohomish County):** Crappie limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.
- ((295)) **(296) Rose Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- ((296)) **(297) Ross Lake (Reservoir) (Whatcom County):**
- (a) Open July 1 through October 31:
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.

- (c) Trout: Limit 3; minimum length 13 inches.
- ((297)) **(298) Ross Lake tributary streams, and their tributaries, except Big Beaver Creek and Ruby Creek (Whatcom County):**
- (a) From one mile above the mouths to the headwaters: Open July 1 through October 31.
 - (b) Tributaries to Ruby Creek: Open July 1 through October 31.
- ((298)) **(299) Saint Clair Lake (Thurston County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.
- ((299)) **(300) Salmon Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) Night closure in effect.
 - (d) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except it is permissible to retain hatchery (adipose clipped) trout less than 14 inches in length as part of the limit.
- ((300)) **(301) Salmonberry Creek (Kitsap County):**
- (a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.
- ((301)) **(302) Samish Lake (Whatcom County):** Cut-throat trout limit 2; minimum length 14 inches.
- ((302)) **(303) Samish River (Skagit County):**
- (a) From the mouth to the I-5 Bridge:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through ~~(September 8 and December 1 through December 31)~~ November 30.
 - (ii) From the first Saturday in June through ~~(September 8 and December 1 through December 31)~~ November 30: Trout minimum length 14 inches.
 - (iii) From August 1 through ~~(September 8)~~ November 30:
 - (A) Night closure in effect.
 - (B) It is unlawful to use anything other than one single-point hook.
 - (iv) From December 1 through December 31:
 - (A) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (B) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 - (v) Salmon:
 - (A) Open August 1 through ~~(September 8)~~ November 30.
 - (B) Limit 2; anglers may only retain fish hooked inside the mouth.
- (C) Release wild coho.
- (b) From the I-5 Bridge to the Hickson Bridge:
 - (i) Closed from the Old Highway 99 Bridge to the WDFW salmon rack.
 - (ii) Closed from the I-5 Bridge to the Old Highway 99 Bridge September 1 through November 30.
 - (iii) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30:
 - (A) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (B) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.
 - (c) From the Hickson Bridge upstream:
 - (i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.
 - (ii) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((303))~~ (304) **Sammamish Lake (King County):**

(a) Closed to fishing within 100 yards of the mouth of Issaquah Creek August 16 through November 30.

(b) January 1 through April 30: It is unlawful to use anything other than single-point barbless hooks.

(c) Kokanee: Catch and release only.

(d) December 1 through June 30: Release all steelhead and rainbow trout over 20 inches in length.

(e) Salmon:

(i) Open August 16 through November 30.

(ii) Limit 4; anglers may only retain 2 Chinook.

(iii) Release all sockeye.

~~((304))~~ (305) **Sammamish River (Slough) (King County):** From the 68th Avenue N.E. Bridge to Lake Sammamish:

(a) Open from January 1 through August 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((305))~~ (306) **Sauk River (Skagit/Snohomish counties):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(c) From the mouth to the mouth of the White Chuck River:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) From the mouth to Darrington Bridge: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) From the mouth of the White Chuck River to the headwaters, including the North Fork and the South Fork upstream to Elliot Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(e) In the South Fork upstream from Elliot Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

~~((306))~~ (307) **Sawyer, Lake (King County):**

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Crappie: Limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

~~((307))~~ (308) **Scatter Creek (King County) (White River tributary):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((308))~~ (309) **Scatter Creek (Thurston County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((309))~~ (310) **Schneider Creek (Thurston County):** From the mouth to the falls:

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

~~((310))~~ (311) **Serene Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((311))~~ (312) **Shady Lake (King County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((312))~~ (313) **Shannon, Lake (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Chumming is permissible.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 6 inches and maximum length 18 inches.

~~((313))~~ (314) **Shelton Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((314))~~ (315) **Sherman Creek (Thurston County) (Chehalis River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((315))~~ (316) **Sherwood Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((316))~~ (317) **Sherwood Creek Mill Pond (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Trout: Limit 2; minimum length 14 inches.

~~((317))~~ (318) **Shoe Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((318))~~ (319) **Silesia Creek (Chiliwack River tributary) (Whatcom County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((319))~~ (320) **Silver Creek (Skagit County) (Samish River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((320))~~ (321) **Silver Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((321))~~ (322) **Silver Lake (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((322))~~ (323) **Silver Lake (Whatcom County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((323))~~ (324) **Sixteen Lake (Skagit County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((324))~~ (325) **Skagit River (Skagit/Whatcom counties):**

(a) From the mouth to Cascade River Road: Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(b) From the mouth to the Memorial Highway Bridge (Highway 536 at Mt. Vernon):

(i) Open March 1 through ~~((May 31 for trout only; release all other fish.))~~ January 31: Release game fish, excluding trout, March 1 through May 31.

(ii) March 1 through August 31:

(A) Selective gear rules apply.

(B) ~~((From March 1 through May 31.))~~ It is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.

~~((ii)) Open June 1 through January 31. From July 1 through July 31, it is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.))~~

~~(iii) Salmon:~~

~~(A) Open September 1 through December 31 in years ending in even numbers.~~

~~(B) Open August 1 through December 31 in years ending in odd numbers.~~

~~(C) Limit 4; anglers may retain up to 2 wild coho as part of the limit.~~

~~(D) Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(c) From Memorial Highway Bridge (Highway 536 at Mt. Vernon) upstream to Gilligan Creek:~~

~~(i) Open June 1 through January 31.~~

~~(ii) ~~((July))~~ June 1 through November 30:~~

~~(A) September 1 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies.~~

~~(B) Night closure in effect.~~

~~~~((iii))~~ ~~(July)~~ (C) June 1 through June 13 and June 30 through August 31: Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(D) June 1 through ~~((July 31))~~ June 13 and June 30 through August 31: It is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.~~

~~~~((iv))~~ (iii) Salmon:~~

~~(A) Open June 14 through June 29; Limit 2 sockeye only.~~

~~(B) Open September 1 through December 31 in years ending in even numbers.~~

~~~~((B))~~ (C) Open August 1 through December 31 in years ending in odd numbers.~~

~~~~((C))~~ (D) Limit 4 salmon; anglers may retain up to 2 wild coho as part of the limit.~~

~~~~((D))~~ (E) Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(d) From Gilligan Creek to The Dalles Bridge at Concrete:~~

~~(i) Open June 1 through January 31.~~

~~(ii) ~~((July))~~ June 1 through November 30:~~

~~(A) September 1 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies.~~

~~(B) Night closure in effect.~~

~~~~((iii))~~ (C) From June 1 through August 31: Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(D) From June 1 through August ~~((15))~~ 31: It is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.~~

~~~~((iv))~~ (iii) Salmon:~~

~~(A) Open September ~~((16))~~ 1 through December 31 ~~((# years ending in even numbers.~~~~

~~~~(B) Open August 16 through December 31 in years ending in odd numbers)).~~~~

~~~~((C))~~ (B) Limit 4 salmon; anglers may retain up to 2 wild coho as part of the limit.~~

~~~~((D))~~ (C) Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(e) From The Dalles Bridge at Concrete to the Highway 530 Bridge at Rockport:~~

~~(i) Open June 1 through January 31.~~

~~(ii) June 1 through August 31: Closed between a line projected across the thread of the river 200 feet above the east bank of the Baker River to a line projected across the thread of the river 200 feet below the west bank of the Baker River.~~

~~(ii) ~~((July))~~ June 1 through November 30:~~

~~(A) September 1 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies.~~

~~(B) Night closure in effect.~~

~~~~((iv))~~ (C) June 1 through August 31: Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(D) June 1 through August 31: It is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.~~

~~~~((v))~~ (iv) Salmon:~~

~~(A) Open September ~~((16))~~ 1 through December 31 ~~((# years ending in even numbers.~~~~

~~~~(B) Open September 1 through December 31 in years ending in odd numbers)).~~~~

~~~~((C))~~ (B) Limit 4 salmon; anglers may retain up to 2 wild coho as part of the limit.~~

~~~~((D))~~ (C) Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(f) From the Highway 530 Bridge at Rockport to the Cascade River Road:~~

~~(i) Open June 1 through February 15.~~

~~(ii) June 1 through November 30:~~

~~(A) September 1 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies.~~

~~(B) Night closure in effect.~~

~~~~((iii))~~ (C) July 16 through August 31: Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(D) July 16 through August 31: It is unlawful to use hooks other than those measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank.~~

~~~~((iv))~~ (iii) Salmon:~~

~~(A) Open June 1 through July 15:~~

~~(I) Limit 4 hatchery Chinook only.~~

~~(II) Only 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained as part of the limit.~~

~~(B) Open September ~~((16))~~ 1 through December 31 ~~((# years ending in even numbers and September 1 through December 31 in years ending in odd numbers)).~~~~

~~(I) Limit 4 salmon; anglers may retain up to 2 wild coho as part of the limit.~~

~~(II) Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(g) From Cascade River Road to the Gorge Powerhouse:~~

~~(i) Open June 1 through January 31.~~

~~(ii) Selective gear rules apply.~~

~~(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.~~

~~(iv) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.~~

~~(h) Gorge and Diablo lakes' tributary streams and their tributaries, except Stetattle Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.~~

~~~~((325))~~ (326) Skokomish River (Mason County):~~

~~(a) ~~((From the mouth to the Bonneville power lines (upstream of Highway 101, approximately 47°18.188'N, 123°11.26'W): Closed.~~~~

~~(b) ~~((From the Bonneville power lines (upstream of Highway 101, approximately 47°18.188'N, 123°11.26'W)))~~ From the mouth to the Highway 106 Bridge:~~

~~(i) Open the first Saturday in June through July 13 and October 1 through December 15 for game fish: Catch and release only.~~

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(C) It is unlawful to use anything other than single point, barbless hooks.

(iii) September 15 through December 15: Terminal gear (hooks, weights, lures, or baits) may not be within 25 feet of tribal gillnets.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through September 1:

(I) Limit 2; anglers must keep the first two fish caught if legal to do so.

(II) Release chum and wild Chinook.

(B) Open September 15 through December 15:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 4 adults may be retained.

(II) Release Chinook; release chum through October 15.

(b) From the Highway 106 Bridge to the Highway 101 Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through July 13 and October 1 through December 15 for game fish: Catch and release only.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(C) It is unlawful to use anything other than single point, barbless hooks.

(iii) September 15 through December 15: Terminal gear (hooks, weights, lures, or baits) may not be within 25 feet of tribal gillnets.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open August 1 through August 21 on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays only:

(I) Limit 2; anglers must keep the first two fish caught if legal to do so.

(II) Release chum and wild Chinook.

(B) Open August 22 through September 1:

(I) Limit 2; anglers must keep the first two fish caught if legal to do so.

(II) Release chum and wild Chinook.

(C) Open September 15 through December 15:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 4 adults may be retained.

(II) Release Chinook; release chum through October 15.

(c) From the Highway 101 Bridge upstream to the forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

~~((326))~~ (327) Skokomish River, North Fork (Mason County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

(d) From the mouth to the lower dam: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(e) Above Lake Cushman, from the mouth to Olympic National Park boundary: Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

~~((327))~~ (328) Skokomish River, South Fork (Mason County):

(a) From the mouth to the mouth of LeBar Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(b) From the mouth of Rule Creek to the headwaters:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

~~((328))~~ (329) Skookum Creek (Mason County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((329))~~ (330) Skookum Creek (Whatcom County):

From the mouth of Arlecho Creek upstream, including Arlecho Creek and all other tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((330))~~ (331) Skookumchuck Reservoir (Thurston County):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Trout: Daily limit 2; minimum length 12 inches.

~~((331))~~ (332) Skykomish River (Snohomish County):

(a) From the mouth to the mouth of Wallace River:

(i) Open June 1 through January 31.

(ii) Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect:

(A) August 1 through November 30 from the mouth to Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe; and

(B) June 1 through November 30 from Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe to Wallace River.

(iii) November 1 through January 31: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device from the boat ramp below Lewis Street Bridge at Monroe downstream 2,500 feet.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of twenty inches as part of the trout limit.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open June 1 through July 31: Limit 4 hatchery Chinook; no more than 2 of which may be adults.

(B) For years ending in even numbers:

(I) Open September 1 through December 31.

~~(II) ((Limit three; release Chinook and pink salmon:))~~ Limit 3 coho only.

(C) For years ending in odd numbers:

(I) Open August 16 through December 31 from the mouth to Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe.

(II) Open September 1 through December 31 from the Lewis Street Bridge to Wallace River.

(III) Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

(b) From the mouth of the Wallace River to the forks:

(i) Open June 1 through January 31.

(ii) From the Highway 2 Bridge at the Gold Bar/Big Eddy Access to the confluence of the North and South Forks: Also open February 1 through February 15.

(iii) August 1 through November 30: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(iv) June 1 through February 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device in the area 1,500 feet upstream and 1,000 feet downstream of the outlet at Reiter Ponds.

(v) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(vi) Salmon:

(A) Open September 1 through December 31.

(B) For years ending in even numbers: Limit ~~((three; release Chinook and pink))~~ 3 coho only.

(C) For years ending in odd numbers: Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

~~((332))~~ (333) Skykomish River, North Fork (Snohomish County):

(a) From the mouth to 1,000 feet downstream of Bear Creek Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(b) From Deer Falls (about 1/4 mile upstream of Goblin Creek) upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((333))~~ (334) Skykomish River, South Fork (King/Snohomish counties):

(a) From the mouth to 600 feet downstream from the Sunset Falls fishway:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From Sunset Falls to the source, including all tributaries and their tributaries:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) December 1 through the last day in February:

(A) All tributaries of this river section are closed.

(B) Open for whitefish only; release all other fish.

~~((334))~~ (335) Sloan Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((335))~~ (336) Smith Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((336))~~ (337) Snohomish River (Snohomish County):

(a) From the Burlington-Northern Railroad bridges to Highway 9 Bridge, including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways, but excluding all tributaries:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) For years ending in even numbers:

(I) Open September 1 through December 31.

(II) Limit 3 ~~((salmon; release Chinook and pink))~~ coho only.

(B) For years ending in odd numbers:

(I) Open August 1 through December 31.

(II) Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

(b) From the Highway 9 Bridge to the confluence of the Skykomish and Snoqualmie rivers (all channels):

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) For years ending in even numbers:

(I) Open September 1 through December 31.

(II) Limit 3 ~~((; release Chinook and pink))~~ coho only.

(B) For years ending in odd numbers:

(I) Open August 16 through December 31.

(II) Limit 3 plus 1 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

~~((337))~~ (338) Snoqualmie River (King County):

(a) From the mouth to Snoqualmie Falls:

(i) Closed within the Puget Power tunnel at the falls and within 50 feet of any point on Puget Power's lower Plant #2 building (north bank).

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through November 30: Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) September 1 through November 30: Night closure in effect.

(iv) From the mouth to the boat ramp at the Plum access: Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(v) From the boat ramp at the Plum access to the falls: Open the first Saturday in June through February 15.

(vi) From November 1 through February 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device in the waters from the boat ramp at the Plum access to the mouth of Tokul Creek (about 1/4 mile).

(vii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(viii) Salmon open September 1 through December 31.

(A) For years ending in even numbers: Limit 3 ~~((salmon; release all Chinook and pink))~~ coho only.

(B) For years ending in odd numbers: Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

(b) From Snoqualmie Falls upstream, including the North and South Forks:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31: Trout minimum length 10 inches.

(iv) Open November 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June: Catch and release only.

(c) Snoqualmie River tributaries upstream of the falls, and the tributaries of the North and South Forks (except Tate, Sunday and Phillapa creeks): Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(d) In the Snoqualmie River Middle Fork from the mouth to the source, including all tributaries except Pratt and Taylor rivers:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

~~((338))~~ **(339) South Prairie Creek (Pierce County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from the city of Buckley diversion dam upstream.

~~((339))~~ **(340) Spada Lake (Reservoir) (Snohomish County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Maximum length 12 inches.

~~((340))~~ **(341) Spada Lake (Reservoir) tributaries (Snohomish County):** Closed.

~~((341))~~ **(342) Spanaway Lake and Spanaway Lake outlet downstream to the dam (approximately 800 feet) (Pierce County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((342))~~ **(343) Spencer Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((343))~~ **(344) Squalicum Creek (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((344))~~ **(345) Squalicum Lake (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Trout: Limit 2.

~~((345))~~ **(346) Squire Creek (Snohomish County) (N.F. Stillaguamish River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((346))~~ **(347) Steel Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((347))~~ **(348) Steilacoom Lake (Pierce County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((348))~~ **(349) Stetattle Creek (Whatcom County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 above the mouth of Bucket Creek (approximately 1.5 miles upstream).

~~((349))~~ **(350) Stevens, Lake (Snohomish County):**

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Kokanee: Limit 10; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.

~~((350))~~ **(351) Steves Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((351))~~ **(352) Stickney Lake (Snohomish County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((352))~~ **(353) Stillaguamish River (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the mouth to Marine Drive, including all sloughs:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Salmon open September 1 through December 31.

(A) ~~((Release Chinook and chum.~~

~~(B)))~~ For years ending in even numbers: Limit 2 coho only.

~~((C))~~ ~~(B)~~ For years ending in odd numbers: Limit 2 plus 2 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

(b) From Marine Drive to the forks:

(i) From the barrier dam (downstream of I-5) downstream 200 feet: Closed.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(A) Selective gear rules apply.

(B) Night closure in effect from August 1 through November 30.

(C) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Open December 1 through January 31:

(A) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(B) Salmon open September 1 through December 31.

(I) For years ending in even numbers: Limit 2 coho only.

(II) For years ending in odd numbers: Limit 2 plus 2 additional pink; release Chinook and chum.

~~((353))~~ **(354) Stillaguamish River, North Fork (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the North Fork mouth to the mouth of French Creek:

(i) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device upstream of the Highway 530 Bridge at mile post 28.8 (Cicero Bridge).

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device equipped with a motor downstream from the Highway 530 Bridge.

(iv) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31:

(A) From the first Saturday in June through November 30:

(I) Fly fishing only.

(II) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(B) From December 1 through January 31: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the mouth of French Creek to Swede Heaven Bridge:

(i) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through February 15:

(A) From the first Saturday in June through November 30:

(I) Fly fishing only.

(II) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(B) December 1 through February 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(c) From Swede Heaven Bridge to the falls approximately one mile upstream of Cascade Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(d) Upstream of the falls, including all tributaries and their tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((354))~~ **(355) Stillaguamish River, South Fork (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the mouth to 400 feet downstream of the outlet to Granite Falls fishway:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the Mountain Loop Highway Bridge above Granite Falls upstream to the source:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through November 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) August 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

~~((355))~~ **(356) Stimson Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((356))~~ **(357) Storm Lake (Snohomish County):**

Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((357))~~ **(358) Straight Creek (Snohomish County)**

(Suiattle River tributary):

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((358))~~ **(359) Stump Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 15 inches in length.

~~((359))~~ **(360) Suiattle River (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: It is permissible to retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of trout limit.

~~((360))~~ **(361) Sulphur Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((361))~~ **(362) Sultan River (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the mouth to a point 400 feet downstream from the diversion dam at river mile 9.7:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(b) Upstream of the diversion dam to Culmback Dam: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((362))~~ **(363) Sumas River (Whatcom County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31, including all tributaries except Johnson Creek.

~~((363))~~ **(364) Summit Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

~~((364))~~ **(365) Susan Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Catch and release only.

~~((365))~~ **(366) Swamp Creek (tributary to Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((366))~~ **(367) Swan's Mill Pond (Stossel Creek) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((367))~~ **(368) Symington Lake (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((368))~~ **(369) Tahuya River (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to the steel bridge approximately 1 mile upstream of North Shore Road Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) October 1 through October 31: Night closure in effect.

(v) Release all gamefish.

(vi) Salmon open October 1 through October 31: Limit 2 coho only.

(b) From the steel bridge approximately one mile upstream of North Shore Road Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) October 1 through October 31: Night closure in effect.

(iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(v) Catch and release only.

~~((369))~~ (370) **Tanwax Creek (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((370))~~ (371) **Tanwax Lake (Pierce County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Crappie: Limit 10; minimum length 9 inches.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((374))~~ (372) **Tapps Lake (Reservoir) and Tapps Lake (Reservoir) intake canal (Pierce County), to within four hundred feet of the screen at Dingle Basin:** Open year-round.

~~((372))~~ (373) **Taylor River (tributary to the Middle Fork Snoqualmie) (King County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((373))~~ (374) **Tee Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((374))~~ (375) **Tenmile Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((375))~~ (376) **Tenas Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((376))~~ (377) **Tenas Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((377))~~ (378) **Tennant Lake (Whatcom County):** It is unlawful to fish from any floating device from the first Friday in October through January 27.

~~((378))~~ (379) **Terrell Creek (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((379))~~ (380) **Terrell, Lake (Whatcom County):** It is unlawful to fish from any floating device from the first Saturday after Labor Day through the following Friday and from October 1 through January 31, except fishing from a floating dock is permissible.

~~((380))~~ (381) **Thomas Creek (Skagit County) (Samish River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((384))~~ (382) **Thompson Creek (Thurston County) (Skookumchuck River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((382))~~ (383) **Thornton Creek (tributary to Lake Washington) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((383))~~ (384) **Thornton Creek (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((384))~~ (385) **Tibbetts Creek (tributary to Lake Sammamish) (King County):** Open the first Saturday in June through August 31 for juvenile anglers only.

~~((385))~~ (386) **Tiger Lake (Kitsap/Mason counties):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((386))~~ (387) **Toad Lake (Whatcom County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((387))~~ (388) **Tokul Creek (King County) (Snoqualmie River tributary):**

(a) From the mouth to the Fish Hatchery Road Bridge:

(i) Open December 1 through February 15, except closed to fishing from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

(ii) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From Fish Hatchery Road Bridge to the posted cable boundary marker located approximately 400 feet downstream of the hatchery intake:

(i) Open January 15 through February 15, except closed to fishing from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

(ii) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) From Tokul Road S.E. upstream, including all tributaries and beaver ponds: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((388))~~ (389) **Tolt River (King County):**

(a) From the mouth to the USGS trolley cable near the confluence of the North and South Forks:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through January 31.

(ii) From the first Saturday in June through November 30: Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(b) From the falls upstream, on the North Fork, including all tributaries:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(c) On the South Fork, from the dam upstream:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches.

~~((389))~~ (390) **Trail's End Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((390))~~ (391) **Twin Lake (Mason County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((394))~~ (392) **Tye River (King County):**

(a) From Foss River to Alpine Falls:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Open November 1 through the last day in February for whitefish only; release all other fish.

(b) From Alpine falls upstream, and all tributaries to the Tye River, including their tributaries: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((392))~~ (393) **U Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((393))~~ (394) **Uncle John Creek (Mason County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Catch and release only.

~~((394))~~ (395) **Union River (Mason County):**

(a) From the mouth to the North Shore Road Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15.

(ii) Catch and release only.

(b) From the North Shore Road Bridge to the lower bridge on Old Belfair Highway:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(c) From the lower bridge on Old Belfair Highway upstream:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

~~((395))~~ (396) **Vogler Lake (Skagit County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Fly fishing only.

(c) Catch and release only.

~~((396))~~ (397) **Voight Creek (Pierce County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from the falls, approximately 4.0 river miles upstream of the mouth and under the power lines, upstream.

~~((397))~~ (398) **Waddell Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

~~((398))~~ (399) **Wagners Lake (Snohomish County):**

Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((399))~~ (400) **Walker Lake (King County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((400))~~ (401) **Wallace River (Snohomish County):**

(a) From the mouth to 363rd Ave. S.E./Reece Rd:

(i) Open from the first Saturday in June through February 15.

(ii) From June 1 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) From November 1 through February 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(v) Salmon open September 16 through November 30:

(A) In years ending in even numbers:

~~((401))~~ Open September 16 through November 30.

~~((H))~~ Limit 3 coho (~~(; release all other salmon))~~ only.

(B) In years ending in odd numbers:

~~((402))~~ Open September 16 through November 30.

~~((H))~~ Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink(~~(;~~

~~((H))~~); release Chinook and chum.

(b) From 363rd Avenue S.E./Reece Road to 200 feet upstream of the water intake of the salmon hatchery:

(i) Open September 16 through February 15.

(ii) September 16 through November 30:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) November 1 through February 15: It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(v) Salmon open September 16 through November 30:

(A) In years ending in even numbers:

~~((403))~~ Open September 16 through November 30.

~~((H))~~ Limit 3 coho only.

(B) In years ending in odd numbers:

~~((404))~~ Open September 16 through November 30.

~~((H))~~ Limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink(~~(;~~

~~((H))~~); release Chinook and chum.

(c) From 200 feet upstream of the water intake of the salmon hatchery to Wallace Falls:

(i) Open November 1 through January 31.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except anglers may retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

(d) From Wallace Falls upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

~~((405))~~ (402) **Wapato Lake (Pierce County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

~~((402))~~ (403) **Ward Lake (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length, except there are no size restrictions for kokanee.

~~((403))~~ (404) **Washington Creek (Mason County):**

Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((404))~~ (405) **Washington, Lake, including that portion of the Sammamish River from the 68th Avenue N.E. Bridge downstream (King County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device within 100 yards of either side of the floating bridges.

(c) Chumming is permissible.

(d) Trout:

(i) December 1 through the last day in February: Release steelhead and rainbow trout over 20 inches in length.

(ii) March 1 through June 30:

(A) Minimum length 12 inches.

(B) Release steelhead and rainbow trout over 20 inches in length.

(e) Salmon:

(i) Open September 16 through October 31 north of Highway 520 Bridge and east of Montlake Bridge.

(ii) Limit 4 coho only.

~~((405))~~ (406) **Washington, Lake, Ship Canal (King County) (waters east of a north-south line 400 feet west of**

the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks and west of a north-south line at the eastern ends of the concrete abutments east of the Montlake Bridge):

(a) West of the Fremont Bridge: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device.

(b) East of the Fremont Bridge: Chumming is permissible.

(c) From the west boundary to a north-south line 400 feet east of the eastern end of the northern wing wall of Chittenden Locks: Closed.

(d) From 400 feet east of the eastern end of the northern wing wall of Chittenden Locks to the east boundary:

(i) Open year-round for game fish.

(ii) Trout:

(A) Open December 1 through the last day in February: No minimum length.

(B) Open March 1 through June 30: Minimum length 12 inches.

(C) Open July 1 through November 30: No minimum length.

(D) Release steelhead and rainbow trout over 20 inches in length.

~~((406))~~ **(407) Waughop Lake (Pierce County):** Landlocked salmon rules apply.

~~((407))~~ **(408) Whatcom Creek (Whatcom County):**

(a) From the mouth to the markers below the footbridge below Dupont Street in Bellingham:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) August 1 through December 31:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(iv) Salmon: Open August 1 through December 30.

(A) Limit 6; anglers may retain up to 2 adult salmon.

(B) Anglers fishing lawfully within 50 yards of the Bellingham Technical College Hatchery Collection Tube and on the hatchery side of the creek that hook and land chum salmon may remove those chum salmon from the water and immediately place them unharmed into the Hatchery Collection Tube.

(b) From the footbridge below Dupont Street in Bellingham to Woburn Street Bridge:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through the last day in February.

(ii) August 1 through December 31:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) From the stone bridge at Whatcom Falls Park upstream to Lake Whatcom:

(i) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for juvenile anglers only.

(ii) August 1 through October 31:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: No minimum length.

~~((408))~~ **(409) Whatcom, Lake (Whatcom County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31, except the waters between the Electric Avenue Bridge and the outlet dam are closed.

(b) Cutthroat trout: Catch and release only.

~~((409))~~ **(410) Whatcom, Lake, tributaries (Whatcom County):** Closed.

~~((410))~~ **(411) White Creek (Skagit County) (Sauk River tributary):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

~~((411))~~ **(412) White (Stuck) River (Pierce County):**

(a) From the mouth to R Street Bridge in Auburn:

(i) Open October 1 through October 31:

(A) Fly fishing only.

(B) Catch and release only.

(ii) Open November 1 through January 15: Trout minimum length 14 inches.

(iii) October 1 through January 15:

(A) Selective gear rules apply.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(b) From R Street Bridge to the Highway 410 Bridge at Buckley:

(i) Open October 1 through October 31, except closed in the Puget Power canal, including the screen bypass channel above the screen at Dingle Basin.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) Night closure in effect.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

(c) From the Weyerhaeuser 6000 Road Bridge (Bridge Camp) upstream to the source:

(i) Open July 1 through October 31.

(A) October 1 through October 31: Night closure in effect.

(B) Selective gear rules apply.

(C) Catch and release only.

(ii) Open for whitefish only November 1 through January 31; whitefish gear rules apply.

~~((412))~~ **(413) Whitechuck River (Snohomish County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is permissible to retain Dolly Varden/Bull trout with a minimum length of 20 inches as part of the trout limit.

~~((413))~~ **(414) Wildberry Lake (Mason County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

~~((414))~~ **(415) Wildcat Lake (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((415))~~ **(416) Wilderness Lake (King County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Landlocked salmon rules apply.

~~((416))~~ **(417) Wilkeson Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary) upstream of confluence**

with **Gale Creek**: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

~~((417))~~ **(418) Woodard Creek (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((418))~~ **(419) Wood Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((419))~~ **(420) Woodland Creek (Thurston County):**

(a) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((420))~~ **(421) Woods Creek, East Fork (Snohomish**

County) (Skykomish River tributary): Open the first Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 upstream of Old Pipeline Road above Woods Creek Falls, including tributaries and beaver ponds.

~~((421))~~ **(422) Wooten Lake (Mason County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((422))~~ **(423) Wye Lake (Kitsap County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 14 inches in length.

~~((423))~~ **(424) Youngs Creek (Snohomish County)**

(Skykomish River tributary) (Elwell Creek tributary, Skykomish River tributary near town of Sultan): Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 above Potson Road (299th Avenue S.E. Bridge) including all tributaries and beaver ponds.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-04-120, filed 2/4/14, effective 3/7/14)

WAC 220-310-195 Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules—Eastside. (1) County-wide freshwater exceptions to statewide rules:

(a) Adams and Grant counties: All seasons in specific freshwater exceptions to statewide rules apply to inlet and outlet streams of named lakes in Grant and Adams counties.

(b) Adams, Douglas, Franklin, Grant, and Okanogan counties, except Zosel Dam (Okanogan River) and Enloe Dam (Similkameen River): It is permissible to fish up to the base of all dams.

(c) Ferry and Lincoln counties:

(i) Unless otherwise provided in this section, all tributaries to Lake Roosevelt between Grand Coulee Dam and the State Highway 25 Bridge at Northport except Barnaby and Nancy creeks are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Trout: Limit 5, no minimum length.

(2) Aeneas Lake (Okanogan County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(3) Ahtanum Creek, including North and Middle Forks (Yakima County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) In the North Fork from Grey Rock Trailhead Bridge crossing to Shellneck Creek and the Middle Fork from the A2000 Road Bridge at Tree Phones Campground downstream to the A2000 Spur Road Bridge in NE Section 34: Closed.

(4) Alkali Lake (Grant County):

(a) Bluegill: It is unlawful to retain more than five greater than six inches in length.

(b) Crappie: It is unlawful to retain more than five greater than eight inches in length.

(5) **Alta Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(6) Amber Lake (Spokane County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Open March 1 through November 30.

(i) From March 1 through the Friday before fourth Saturday in April, and October 1 through November 30: Catch and release only.

(ii) From the fourth Saturday in April through September 30:

(A) Trout: Limit two; minimum length fourteen inches.

(B) Release rainbow trout with a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin.

(7) American River (Yakima County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) From the Highway 410 Bridge at river mile 5.4 to the Mesatchee Creek Trail crossing at river mile 15.8 from July 16 through September 15: Closed.

(8) **Amon Wasteway (Benton County):** Selective gear rules apply.

(9) Asotin Creek, mainstem and forks (Asotin County):

(a) It is unlawful to fish for steelhead.

(b) From SR 129 Bridge upstream to the forks: It is permissible to fish up to the base of Headgate Dam.

(c) North Fork from the mouth upstream to the USFS boundary:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) North Fork from the USFS boundary upstream and all other tributaries: Closed.

(e) South Fork and tributaries: Closed.

(10) **B.C. Mill Pond (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(11) **Badger Lake (Spokane County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(12) Banks Lake (Grant County):

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Crappie: Limit 10; minimum size 9 inches.

(c) Perch: Limit twenty-five.

- (13) **Bayley Lake (Stevens County):**
 (a) Inlet stream: Closed.
 (b) Fly fishing only.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.
 (d) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (i) From the fourth Saturday in April through July 4: Trout limit one; minimum length 14 inches.
 (ii) From July 5 through October 31: Catch and release only.
- (14) **Bear Creek (Yakima County) (tributary to South Fork Tieton River):** Closed from the mouth to the falls (approximately 3/4 mile).
- (15) **Bear Lake (Spokane County):** Open to juvenile anglers, licensed adults accompanied by a juvenile, and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.
- (16) **Beaver Lake (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
- (17) **Beda Lake (Grant County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (c) Trout: Limit one.
- (18) **Beehive (Lake) Reservoir (Chelan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) From July 5 through October 31:
 (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (iii) Catch and release only.
- (19) **Bennington Lake (Mill Creek Reservoir) (Walla Walla County):**
 (a) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (20) **Big Four Lake (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31 for fly fishing only.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 (c) Trout: Limit two.
- (21) **Big Meadow Lake (Pend Oreille County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.
- (22) **Big Tiffany Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Eastern brook trout limit ten; eastern brook trout do not count toward the daily trout limit.
 (b) Release all cutthroat.
- (23) **Big Twin Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout: Limit one.
- (24) **Bird Creek (Klickitat County):**
 (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 (b) Trout: Limit 5.
- (25) **Blackbird Island Pond (Chelan County):** Open July 1 through September 30 for juvenile anglers only.
- (26) **Black Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (27) **Black Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (28) **Blockhouse Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout limit five.
- (29) **Bloodgood Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout limit five.
- (30) **Blue Lake (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (31) **Blue Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (32) **Blue Lake (near Sinlahekin) (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (d) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.
 (e) Trout: Limit one.
- (33) **Blue Lake (near Wannacut Lake) (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open the Fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (d) Trout: Limit one.
- (34) **Bobcat Creek and Ponds (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.
- (35) **Bonaparte Creek (Okanogan County):**
 (a) From the mouth to the falls one mile upstream: Closed.
 (b) From the falls upstream, including all tributaries not otherwise provided for in this section:
 (i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 (ii) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
 (iii) Channel catfish: No limit.
 (iv) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (36) **Bonaparte Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over twenty inches in length.

(37) Boulder Creek and tributaries (Okanogan County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31, including tributaries not otherwise provided for in this section.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; eastern brook trout do not count toward the trout limit.

(c) Release all cutthroat.

(38) **Bowman Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout limit five.

(39) Box Canyon Creek (Kittitas County):

(a) From the mouth to the waterfall approximately 2 miles upstream, including the portion flowing through the dry lakebed: Closed.

(b) From the waterfall approximately 2 miles upstream of the mouth to the USFS Road #4930 Bridge: Selective gear rules apply.

(40) Brookies Lake (Grant County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(41) Browns Creek (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day until October 31.

(b) Fly fishing only.

(42) Browns Lake (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Fly fishing only.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(d) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than one trout greater than 11 inches in length.

(43) **Buckskin Creek and tributaries (Yakima County):** Closed from the mouth to the west boundary of Suntides Golf Course.

(44) Bumping Lake (Reservoir) (Yakima County):

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Kokanee: Limit sixteen; kokanee do not count towards the trout limit.

(45) Bumping River (Yakima County):

(a) It is permissible to fish up to the base of Bumping Dam.

(b) From the mouth to Bumping Reservoir:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(c) From Bumping Lake upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(46) **Burbank Slough (Walla Walla County):** It is unlawful to fish from any floating device in the area east and north of Highway 12, except for the channel east of Highway 12 up to the fish screen at the Number 3 Pumping Station.

(47) **Burke Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(48) **Buttermilk Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed from the mouth to the confluence of East and West Forks.

(49) Buzzard Lake (Okanogan County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(50) Caldwell Lake (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit two; minimum length twelve inches.

(51) **Caliche Lakes, Lower, Upper, and West (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(52) **Calispell Creek (Calispell River) (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(b) From the mouth to Calispell Lake: Open year-round.

(c) From Calispell Lake upstream to the source:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(53) **Calispell Creek tributaries (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(54) Campbell Lake (Okanogan County):

(a) Open year-round.

(b) April 1 through August 31.

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(55) **Carl's Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(56) **Cascade Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(57) **Cattail Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(58) **Cedar Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed from the mouth to Cedar Falls.

(59) **Cedar Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(60) **Cedar Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(61) Chain Lake (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

- (b) Release all kokanee.
- (62) Chapman Lake (Spokane County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (b) Chumming is permissible.
- (c) Kokanee: Limit ten; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.
- (63) Chelan Hatchery Creek (Chelan County):** Closed.
- (64) Chelan Lake (Chelan County):**
- (a) South of a line from Purple Point at Stehekin and Painted Rocks:
- (i) Within 400 feet of all tributaries: Closed.
- (ii) Trout:
- (A) Release wild cutthroat.
- (B) Kokanee and lake trout do not count toward the trout limit.
- (iii) Kokanee: Limit 10; no minimum size.
- (iv) Lake trout: No limit; no minimum size.
- (v) Salmon open year round: Daily limit 1; no minimum size.
- (b) North of a line between Purple Point at Stehekin and Painted Rocks:
- (i) Lake trout open year-round: No limit.
- (ii) Salmon open year-round: Limit 1; minimum length 15 inches.
- (iii) From August 1 through March 31:
- (A) Trout:
- (I) Release wild cutthroat.
- (II) Kokanee and lake trout do not count toward the trout limit.
- (B) Kokanee: Limit 10.
- (65) Chelan Lake tributaries (Chelan County):**
- (a) Open August 1 through September 30 from the mouths upstream one mile, except Stehekin River.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout: Release wild cutthroat.
- (66) Chelan River (Chelan County):**
- (a) From the railroad bridge to the Chelan P.U.D. safety barrier below the power house:
- (i) Open May 15 through August 31.
- (ii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steel-head.
- (iii) September 1 through October 15: Anti-snagging rule and night closure in effect.
- (b) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (c) Salmon: Open September 1 through October 15:
- (i) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (ii) Release ((all wild salmon)) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (67) Chewuch River (Chewack River) (Okanogan County):**
- (a) From the mouth to Eight Mile Creek:
- (i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through August 15.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (iv) Catch and release only.
- (b) From Eight Mile Creek to Pasayten Wilderness boundary: Closed the first Saturday in June through October 31.
- (c) From the mouth to Pasayten Wilderness boundary: Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.
- (68) Chikamin Creek (Chelan County):**
- (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (69) Chiwaukum Creek (Chelan County):** Closed from the mouth to Fool Hen Creek.
- (70) Chiwawa River (Chelan County):** Closed from the mouth to Buck Creek.
- (71) Chopaka Lake (Okanogan County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for fly fishing only.
- (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.
- (c) Trout: Limit one.
- (72) Clear Creek (Chelan County):** Closed.
- (73) Clear Lake (Chelan County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (b) From July 5 through October 31:
- (i) Selective gear rules apply.
- (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (c) Catch and release only.
- (74) Clear Lake (Spokane County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (75) Cle Elum Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County):**
- (a) Trout (except kokanee): Limit two; minimum length twelve inches.
- (b) Kokanee: Limit sixteen, no minimum size; kokanee do not count toward the daily trout limit.
- (76) Cle Elum River (Kittitas County):**
- (a) From the mouth to Cle Elum Dam:
- (i) Open year-round.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (iii) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (iv) It is permissible to fish up to the base of Cle Elum Dam.
- (v) December 1 through March 31: Whitefish gear rules apply.
- (b) From above Cle Elum Lake to outlet of Hyas Lake (not including Tucquala Lake):
- (i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) All tributaries to Cle Elum River above Cle Elum Lake to outlet of Hyas Lake not otherwise provided for in this section: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(77) **Cliff Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(78) **Coffee Pot Lake (Lincoln County):**

(a) Open March 1 through September 30.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Crappie: Limit ten; minimum length nine inches.

(d) Trout: Limit one; minimum length eighteen inches.

(79) **Columbia Basin Hatchery Creek (Grant County):**

(a) Open April 1 through September 30 from the hatchery outflow to the confluence with Rocky Coulee Wasteway.

(b) Open to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(c) Trout: Limit 3; no minimum size.

(80) **Columbia Park Pond (Benton County):**

(a) Open to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(b) All species: Limit 5 fish combined.

(81) **Colville River (Stevens County):**

(a) From the mouth to the bridge at town of Valley:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) Trout:

(A) Limit 5.

(B) From October 1 through November 30, no more than 2 brown trout may be retained.

(iii) Walleye: Daily limit 16 fish; no size restrictions.

(iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

(b) All tributaries to Colville River, from the mouth to the bridge at the town of Valley, open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(c) From the bridge at the town of Valley upstream, including tributaries:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(82) **Conconully Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(83) **Conconully Reservoir (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(84) **Conger Pond (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(85) **Conner Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(86) **Cooper River (Kittitas County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from the mouth to Cooper Lake.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(87) **Coot Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(88) **Corral Canyon Creek (Benton County):** Selective gear rules apply.

(89) **Cottonwood Creek (Lincoln County):** Open year-round.

(90) **Cottonwood Creek (Walla Walla County):** Closed.

(91) **Cougar Lake (Pasayten Wilderness) (Okanogan County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is permissible to fish two poles so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(92) **Cougar Lake (near Winthrop) (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) From April 1 through August 31:

(i) Catch and release only.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(93) **Cowiche Creek (Yakima County):** Selective gear rules apply.

(94) **Coyote Creek and Ponds (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(95) **Crab Creek (Adams/Grant counties):**

(a) From the mouth to Morgan Lake Road in Section 36: Open April 1 through September 30.

(b) From Morgan Lake Road in Section 36 to O'Sullivan Dam (including Marsh Unit I and II impoundments): Closed.

(96) **Crab Creek (Lincoln/Grant counties) and tributaries:**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) From March 1 through May 31: It is unlawful to use terminal gear other than a single hook measuring 3/4 inch or less point to shank.

(c) From Grant County Road 7 to the fountain buoy and shoreline markers or 150 feet downstream of the Alder Street fill: Limits and size restrictions are the same as Moses Lake.

(d) From Moses Lake downstream to the confluence of the outlet streams: Limit and size restrictions are the same as in the Potholes Reservoir.

(97) **Crawfish Lake (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(98) **Crescent Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the Fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(99) **Crystal Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(100) **Cup Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(101) **Curl Lake (Columbia County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(102) **Dalton Lake (Franklin County):** Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(103) **Davis Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(104) **Davis Lake (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) April 1 through August 31:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(105) **Davis Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

- (106) **Dayton Pond (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (107) **Deadman Lake (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.
- (108) **Deep Creek (tributary to Bumping Lake) (Yakima County):**
 (a) From the mouth to the second bridge crossing on USFS Rd. 1808 (approximately 3.7 miles from junction of USFS Rds. 1800 and 1808): Closed.
 (b) From the second bridge crossing upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (109) **Deep Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (110) **Deep Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (111) **Deer Lake (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (112) **Deer (Deer Springs) Lake (Lincoln County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (113) **Deer Lake (Stevens County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over thirty inches in length.
- (114) **De Roux Creek (Kittitas County):**
 (a) From the mouth to the USFS Trail #1392 (De Roux Cr. Trail) stream crossing (approximately one river mile): Closed.
 (b) Upstream of the USFS Trail #1392 stream crossing: Selective gear rules apply.
- (115) **Diamond Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (116) **Dillacort Creek (Klickitat County):** Release all trout.
- (117) **Dog Lake (Yakima County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 1 trout over 14 inches in length.
- (118) **Dot Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.
- (119) **Downs Lake (Lincoln/Spokane counties):**
 (a) Open March 1 through September 30.
 (b) Crappie: Limit ten; minimum length nine inches.
- (120) **Dry Creek (Walla Walla County):** Closed upstream from the middle Waitsburg Road.
- (121) **Dry Falls Lake (Grant County):**
 (a) Open April 1 through November 30.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (d) Trout: Limit one.
- (122) **Dune Lake (Grant County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) Trout: Limit one.
- (123) **Dusty Lake (Grant County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through November 30.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
- (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (d) Trout: Limit one.
- (124) **Early Winters Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed.
- (125) **East Little Walla Walla River (Walla Walla County):** Closed.
- (126) **Easton Lake (Kittitas County):**
 (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 (b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout other than eastern brook trout as part of the limit.
- (127) **Eightmile Lake (Chelan County):** It is unlawful to retain more than two mackinaw as part of the trout limit.
- (128) **Elbow Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (129) **Ell Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (d) Trout: Limit one.
- (130) **Ellen Lake (Ferry County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to five rainbow trout.
- (131) **Eloika Lake (Spokane County):** Crappie limit ten; minimum length nine inches.
- (132) **Entiat River (Chelan County):**
 (a) From the mouth (Highway 97 Bridge) to Entiat Falls:
 (i) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only.
 (ii) Whitefish gear rules apply.
 (b) Above Entiat Falls:
 (i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
 (iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (iv) Trout:
 (A) Limit 5; it is unlawful to retain more than one trout greater than 12 inches in length.
 (B) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10. Eastern brook trout do not count toward the trout limit. However, once the limit of trout other than eastern brook trout is reached, the limit for all species of trout is reached and the angler must cease fishing for trout.
- (133) **Ephrata Lake (Grant County):** Closed.
- (134) **Empire Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (135) **Fan Lake (Pend Oreille County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
- (136) **Ferry Lake (Ferry County):** It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

(137) **Fio Rito Lakes (Kittitas County):** It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(138) **Fish Lake (Chelan County):**

(a) Perch: Daily limit 25.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 15 inches in length.

(139) **Fish Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(140) **Fish Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(141) **Fish Lake (Spokane County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(142) **Fishhook Pond (Walla Walla County):**

(a) Open March 1 through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(143) **Fishtrap Lake (Lincoln/Spokane counties):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(144) **Forde Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(145) **Fourth of July Lake (Adams/Lincoln counties):**

(a) Open December 1 through March 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over fourteen inches in length.

(146) **Frater Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(147) **Frenchman Hills Lake (Grant County):** Open February 1 through September 30.

(148) **Gadwall Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(149) **Garfield Juvenile Pond (Whitman County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(150) **George Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(151) **Gillette Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(152) **Goat Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed.

(153) **Gold Creek, Gold Creek Pond and Outlet Channel (tributary to Keechelus Lake) (Kittitas County):** Closed, including that portion of Gold Creek that flows through the dry lake bed.

(154) **Gold Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed from the mouth to the confluence with North Fork Gold Creek.

(155) **Golf Course Pond (Asotin County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(156) **Goose Creek (Lincoln County), within the city limits of Wilbur:** Open year-round to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(157) **Goose Lake, Lower (Grant County):**

(a) Bluegill: It is unlawful to retain more than five fish over six inches in length.

(b) Crappie: Limit ten; minimum length nine inches.

(158) **Grande Ronde River (Asotin County):**

(a) General river rules:

(i) For all portions of the Grande Ronde River and its tributaries that are open to game fish angling:

(A) Bass: No limit.

(B) Channel catfish: No limit.

(C) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(ii) From September 15 through March 15: It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(b) Rules by river section:

(i) From the mouth to County Road Bridge, about 2.5 miles upstream:

(A) Open year-round.

(B) September 1 through May 31: Selective gear rules apply.

(C) Trout: Minimum length 10 inches, maximum length 20 inches.

(ii) From County Road Bridge upstream to the Oregon state line and all tributaries, except Wenaha River tributaries:

(A) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31: Anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead.

(B) From the first Saturday in June through August 31: Selective gear rules apply.

(C) September 1 through April 15: It is unlawful to use anything other than barbless hooks.

(D) Open from November 1 through April 15, except the tributaries are closed. Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 15 whitefish and 3 hatchery steelhead.

(159) **Granite Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):** Closed.

(160) **Green Lake (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) April 1 through November 30:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(161) **Green Lake (Lower) (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open year-round.

(b) April 1 through November 30:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(162) **Grimes Lake (Douglas County):**

(a) Open June 1 through August 31:

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one.

(163) **Halfmoon Lake (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(164) **Halfmoon Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(165) **Hampton Lakes, Lower and Upper (Grant County):**

(a) Open April 1 through September 30.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(166) Harris Lake (Grant County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Trout: Limit one.

(167) Harvey Creek (tributary to Sullivan Lake)**(Pend Oreille County):**

(a) From the mouth to Bridge 4830 on county road (about 1 1/2 miles): Closed.

(b) From Bridge 4830 upstream:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(168) Hatch Lake (Stevens County):

(a) Open December 1 through March 31.

(b) Release all fish, except up to five rainbow trout may be retained.

(169) Hawk Creek and tributaries (Lincoln County): Open year-round.**(170) Hays Creek and Ponds (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.**(171) Headgate Pond (Asotin County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 to juvenile anglers, seniors, and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.**(172) Hen Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.**(173) Heritage Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.**(174) Herman Lake (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.**(175) Hog Canyon Creek (Spokane County):** Open year-round from the Hog Canyon Dam to Scroggie Road.**(176) Hog Canyon Lake (Spokane County):**

(a) Open December 1 through March 31.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over fourteen inches in length.

(177) Homestead Lake (Grant County):

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(178) Horseshoe Lake (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Kokanee: Limit ten; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.

(179) Horsethief Lake (Klickitat County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.**(180) Hourglass Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.**(181) Huff Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Closed.**(182) Hutchinson Lake (Adams County):**

(a) Open April 1 through September 30.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(183) I-82 Ponds, 1 through 7 (Yakima County): It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.**(184) Icicle River (Creek) (Chelan County):**

(a) From the mouth to the Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery rack: Closed.

(b) From the Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery rack upstream to Leland Creek:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through September 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(185) Indian Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10. Once an angler has retained 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken and the angler must cease fishing for trout.

(186) Indian Creek (Yakima County):

(a) From the mouth to the waterfall approximately 6 miles upstream, including the portion of the creek that flows through the dry lakebed: Closed.

(b) Upstream of the waterfall approximately 6 miles upstream from the mouth:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Eastern brook trout:

(A) No limit and no length restrictions.

(B) Eastern brook trout do not count toward the trout limit.

(187) Ingall's Creek (Chelan County): Closed from the mouth to the Wilderness boundary.**(188) Jameson Lake (Douglas County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through July 4 and October 1 through October 31.**(189) Jasmine Creek (Okanogan County):** Open year-round to juvenile anglers only.**(190) Jefferson Park Pond (Walla Walla County):**

(a) Open to juvenile fishers only.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(191) Jewitt Creek (Klickitat County):

(a) Open to juvenile fishers only.

(b) Trout: Limit five; no minimum length.

(192) Jolanda, Lake (Chelan County): Closed.**(193) Jump-Off Joe Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.**(194) Kachess Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County):**

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Kokanee: Limit sixteen; kokanee do not count toward the daily trout limit.

(c) Trout: Limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

(195) Kachess River (Kittitas County):

(a) From Kachess Lake (Reservoir) upstream to the waterfall approximately one-half mile above Mineral Creek: Closed.

(b) It is permissible to fish up to the base of Kachess Dam.

(c) Selective gear rules apply.

(196) Kalispell Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the last Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(197) Keechelus Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County):

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Trout: Limit two; minimum length twelve inches.

(c) Kokanee: Limit sixteen; kokanee do not count toward the daily trout limit.

(198) Kettle River (Stevens County):

(a) The tributaries from the mouth to Barstow Bridge: Open from the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) From Barstow Bridge upstream:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day until October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply, except for juvenile anglers, from the Canadian border upstream to Highway 21 Bridge at Curlew.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

(v) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches.

(vi) Open November 1 through May 31 for whitefish only. Whitefish gear rules apply.

(c) Tributaries to Kettle River, from Barstow Bridge upstream: Open from the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(199) Kings Lake and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Closed.

(200) Kiwanis Pond (Kittitas County): Open to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(201) Klickitat River (Klickitat County):

(a) From the mouth to Fisher Hill Bridge:

(i) Open April 1 through January 31.

(ii) ~~(It is unlawful to fish for salmon and steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.)~~ Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(iii) Anti-snagging rule in effect and night closure applies April 1 through May 31 and August 1 through January 31. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

(iv) Game fish: Closed December 1 through January 31.

(v) April 1 through May 31: Release all fish except anglers may retain hatchery steelhead.

(vi) ~~(Salmon: Open June 1 through January 31.~~

~~(viii))~~ Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

~~((A) June 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild Chinook.~~

~~(B) August 1 through January 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.~~

~~(viii) Steelhead and salmon:))~~ (vii) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open April 1 through May 31 on Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays only(~~(~~

~~(B))~~);

(I) Limit 2; no more than 2 hatchery steelhead, or 2 salmon, or ((+)) one of each, may be retained.

~~((C))~~ (II) Release wild Chinook.

(B) Open June 1 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6 fish; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(C) August 1 through January 31: Limit 6 fish; no more than 3 adult Chinook and no more than 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

(b) From Fisher Hill Bridge to ((400 feet above #5 fishway: Closed-)) the boundary markers above Klickitat Salmon Hatchery, the following waters are closed: From Fishery Hill Bridge to 400 feet above #5 fishway, and from the boundary markers below Klickitat Salmon Hatchery to the boundary markers above the hatchery.

(c) From 400 feet above #5 fishway to the ((Yakama Indian Reservation)) boundary markers below Klickitat Salmon Hatchery:

(i) ((The waters from the boundary markers above Klickitat Salmon Hatchery to the boundary markers below the hatchery are closed.

(ii)) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

((iii)) (ii) Open June 1 through November 30: Trout minimum length twelve inches.

((iv)) (iii) Open December 1 through March 31: Whitefish gear rules apply.

((v)) (iv) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) ((Open only June 1 through November 30 from 400 feet above #5 fishway to boundary markers below Klickitat Salmon Hatchery:

(B)) June 1 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6 ((salmon;)) fish; no more than 2 adult hatchery steelhead may be retained.

(II) Release adult salmon and ((release)) wild Chinook.

((C)) (B) August 1 through ((October 31)) November 30: Limit 6 fish; no more than ((2 may be adult Chinook.

(D) November 1 through November 30: Limit 6 fish; release Chinook.

(E)) 3 adult Chinook and no more than 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

(d) From the boundary markers above Klickitat Salmon Hatchery to the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary:

(i) Open June 1 through November 30: Trout minimum length 12 inches.

(ii) Open December 1 through March 31: Whitefish gear rules apply.

(iii) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(e) From the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary upstream to source, including all tributaries: Closed.

(202) Lake Creek (Okanogan County):

(a) From the mouth to Black Lake: Closed.

(b) From Black Lake to Three Prong Creek: Closed.

(203) Latah (Hangman) Creek (Spokane County): Open year-round.

(204) Le Clerc Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10. Once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(205) **Ledbetter Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(206) **Ledking Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(207) **Leech Lake (Yakima County):**

(a) Open for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over 14 inches in length.

(208) **Lemna Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(209) **Lenice Lake (Grant County):**

(a) Open March 1 through November 30.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one.

(210) **Lenore Lake (Grant County):**

(a) The waters within a 200 yard radius of the trash rack leading to the irrigation pumping station (on the south end of the lake) and the area approximately 100 yards beyond the mouth of inlet stream to State Highway 17: Closed.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Open from March 1 through November 30:

(i) From March 1 through May 31: Catch and release only.

(ii) June 1 through November 30: Trout limit one.

(211) **Leo Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(212) **Liberty Lake (Spokane County):** Open March 1 through October 31.

(213) **Lilly Lake (Chelan County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) July 5 through October 31:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(214) **Lions Park Pond (Walla Walla County):**

(a) Open to juvenile anglers only.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(215) **Little Klickitat River (Klickitat County):**

(a) Within Goldendale city limits:

(b) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 to juvenile fishers only.

(c) Trout: Limit five; no minimum length.

(216) **Little Lost Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(217) **Little Naches River (Yakima County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(218) **Little Pend Oreille River (Stevens County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) From the Little Pend Oreille wildlife refuge boundary approximately one mile downstream from the refuge headquarters office, to Crystal Falls:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 5 eastern brook trout.

(c) All tributaries to the Little Pend Oreille River are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(219) **Little Spokane River (Spokane County):**

(a) Open year-round from the mouth to the SR 291 Bridge.

(b) From the SR 291 Bridge upstream to the West Branch:

(i) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(ii) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(c) From the West Branch upstream:

(i) Closed from the inlet of Chain Lake upstream one-quarter mile to the railroad crossing culvert.

(ii) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(iii) Kokanee: It is unlawful to retain kokanee taken upstream from the bridge at Fridgegar Road, including Chain Lake.

(d) Unless otherwise provided in this section, all tributaries to the Little Spokane River are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(220) **Little Twin Lake (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one.

(221) **Little Twin Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(222) **Little Wenatchee River (Chelan County):** Closed from Lake Wenatchee to the falls below U.S. Forest Service Road 6700 Bridge at Riverside Campground.

(223) **Long Lake (Ferry County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31

(b) Fly fishing only.

(c) It is unlawful to use flies containing lead.

(d) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(224) **Long Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(225) **Loon Lake (Stevens County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Kokanee: Limit ten; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.

(c) Trout (except kokanee): Limit five, except it is unlawful to retain more than two trout over twenty inches in length.

(226) **Lost Lake (Kittitas County):** It is unlawful to retain more than one trout over 14 inches in length.

(227) Lost Lake (Okanogan County):

(a) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(b) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

(228) Lost River (Okanogan County):

(a) From the mouth to the mouth of Monument Creek: Closed.

(b) From the mouth of Monument Creek to the outlet of Cougar Lake:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches; it is permissible to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout with a minimum length of 14 inches as part of the trout limit.

(229) Lucky Duck Pond (Stevens County): Open to juvenile anglers only.

(230) Lyle Lake (Adams County): Open April 1 through September 30.

(231) Mad River (Chelan County): Closed from the mouth upstream to Jimmy Creek.

(232) Manastash Creek (Kittitas County), including tributaries: Selective gear rules apply.

(233) Marshall Lake (Pend Oreille County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(234) Martha Lake (Grant County): Open March 1 through July 31.

(235) Mattoon Lake (Kittitas County): It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(236) McCabe Pond (Kittitas County):

(a) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(b) Five fish limit for all game fish species combined.

(237) McDowell Lake (Stevens County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31 for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

(238) McManaman Lake (Adams County): Open April 1 through September 30.

(239) Medical Lake (Spokane County):

(a) Open March 1 through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor.

(d) Trout: Limit two; minimum length fourteen inches.

(240) Medical Lake, West (Spokane County): Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(241) Mercer Creek (Kittitas County): Open to juvenile anglers only within the Ellensburg city limits.

(242) Merritt Lake (Chelan County): Trout limit sixteen.

(243) Merry Lake (Grant County):

(a) Open March 1 through November 30.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit one.

(244) Methow River (Okanogan County):

(a) From the mouth to County Road 1535 (Burma Road) Bridge: Closed.

(b) From County Road 1535 (Burma Road) Bridge to Gold Creek:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through September 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(c) From Gold Creek to Foghorn Dam:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through September 30.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(d) From Foghorn Dam to Weeman Bridge:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through August 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(e) From Weeman Bridge to the falls above Brush Creek: Closed from the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(f) From Gold Creek to the falls above Brush Creek:

(i) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only.

(ii) Whitefish gear rules apply.

(g) Methow River tributaries not otherwise provided for in this section:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Trout: Maximum length 20 inches.

(245) Mill Creek (Chelan County): Closed.

(246) Mill Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10.

(c) Once an angler has retained 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(247) Mill Creek (Walla Walla County):

(a) From the mouth to Bennington Dam, including tributaries: Closed waters.

(b) From Bennington Dam upstream: All tributaries: Closed waters.

(c) Selective gear rules apply.

(d) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(e) Release all steelhead.

(248) **Mill Pond (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(249) **Mineral Creek (tributary to upper Kachess River) (Kittitas County):** From the mouth to Wilderness Boundary: Closed.

(250) **Mirror Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(251) **Molson Lake (Okanogan County):** It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(252) **Monument Creek (Okanogan County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(253) **Moran Slough (including inlet and outlet streams) (Grant County):** Closed.

(254) **Morgan Lake (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(255) **Moses Lake (Grant County):**

(a) Bluegill: Limit five; minimum length eight inches.

(b) Crappie: Limit ten; minimum length nine inches.

(c) Walleye:

(i) Limit eight; minimum length twelve inches.

(ii) It is unlawful to retain more than one walleye over 22 inches in length.

(d) Yellow perch: Limit 25.

(256) **Mud Lake (Yakima County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(257) **Mudgett Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(258) **Muskegon Lake (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit two.

(259) **Myron Lake (Yakima County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit one.

(260) **Mystic Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(261) **Naches River (Yakima/Kittitas counties):** From the mouth to Little Naches River:

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout:

(i) Minimum length twelve inches, maximum length twenty inches.

(ii) Release trout from the confluence with Tieton River to mouth of Rattlesnake Creek.

(d) December 1 through March 31:

(i) Only whitefish may be retained.

(ii) Whitefish gear rules apply.

(262) **Naneum Creek (Kittitas County):** Selective gear rules apply.

(263) **Naneum Pond (Kittitas County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(264) **Napeequa River (Chelan County):** Closed from the mouth to Twin Lakes Creek.

(265) **Nile Creek (Yakima County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(266) **Nason Creek (Chelan County):**

(a) From the mouth upstream to Smith Brook: Closed.

(b) From Smith Brook to Stevens Creek:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(267) **Negro Creek (Lincoln County):** Open year-round from the mouth at Sprague Lake to the fish barrier dam at Fishtrap Lake.

(268) **Negro Creek (Whitman County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through July 15.

(269) **Nile Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(270) **No Name Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(271) **North Creek (Okanogan County):** Closed from the mouth to the falls at river mile 0.8.

(272) **North Elton Pond (Yakima County):**

(a) Open December 1 through March 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(c) Trout: Limit two.

(273) **North Potholes Reserve Ponds (Grant County):**

(a) Open February 1 through the day before waterfowl season begins.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device, except it is permissible to fish using float tubes.

(274) **Nunnally Lake (Grant County):**

(a) The outlet stream of Nunnally Lake is closed.

(b) Open March 1 through November 30:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Trout: Limit one.

(275) **Oak Creek (Yakima County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(276) **Okanogan River (Okanogan County):**

(a) Within the mainstem or tributaries open for game fish angling:

(i) It is unlawful to fish for salmon and steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.

(ii) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(iii) Channel catfish: No limit.

(iv) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(b) From the mouth to Highway 97 Bridge immediately upstream of the mouth:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) July 1 through October 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through October 15.

(B) It is permissible to fish two poles from July 1 through October 15 so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(C) Limit ((6) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(D) Release (~~(all wild salmon)~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.

(c) From Highway 97 Bridge immediately upstream of the mouth to the highway bridge at Malott:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) July 1 through September 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(iii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(iv) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through September 15.

(B) Limit ((6; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(C) Release (~~(all wild salmon)~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.

(d) From the highway bridge at Malott upstream:

(i) From Zosel Dam downstream to the first Highway 97 Bridge downstream of the dam: Closed.

(ii) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through September 15.

(iii) July 1 through September 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(iv) Trout: Catch and release only.

(v) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through September 15.

(B) Limit ((6; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(C) Release (~~(all wild salmon)~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.

(277) **Old Mill Stream (Chelan County):** Closed.

(278) **Outlet Creek (Klickitat County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Trout: Limit 5.

(279) **Palouse River (Whitman County):**

(a) Open year-round from the mouth to the base of Palouse Falls.

(b) Bass: No limit.

(c) Channel catfish: No limit.

(d) Trout: Open June 16 through March 31 only.

(i) From June 16 through August 31:

(A) Limit 6; minimum length 10 inches.

(B) Release all steelhead.

(ii) From September 1 through March 31:

(A) Limit 6; minimum length 10 inches.

(B) Anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead.

(C) It is unlawful to fish for steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.

(e) Walleye: No limit; no size restrictions.

(280) **Palouse River mainstem above Palouse Falls and tributaries, except Rock Creek:** Open year-round.

(281) **Panther Creek (Chelan County):** Closed.

(282) **Pampa Pond (Whitman County):**

(a) Open March 1 through September 30.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two over 13 inches in length.

(283) **Para-Juvenile Lake (Adams/Grant counties):** Open April 1 through September 30 to juvenile anglers only.

(284) **Park Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(285) **Parker Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(286) **Pataha Creek (Garfield County):**

(a) Within the city limits of Pomeroy: Open to juvenile anglers only.

(b) From the city limits of Pomeroy upstream:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(287) **Pearrygin Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(288) **Pend Oreille River (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) In the mainstem:

(i) Open year-round.

(ii) All sloughs within the boundaries of the Kalispel Reservation, except Calispell Slough: Closed.

(iii) Two pole fishing is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(b) Pend Oreille River tributaries are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31, unless otherwise provided for in this section.

(289) **Perch Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(290) **Peshastin Creek (Chelan County):** Closed from the mouth to Ruby Creek.

(291) **Petit Lake (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(292) **Phalon Lake (Stevens County):** Closed.

(293) **Phelps Creek (Chelan County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 from the mouth to the falls at river mile one.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(294) **Phillips Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(295) **Pierre Lake (Stevens County):** It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

(296) **Pillar Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(297) **Ping Pond (Grant County):**

(a) Open the third Saturday in April through Labor Day to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(b) Limit 5 game fish; no minimum size restrictions.

(298) **Pit Lake (Douglas County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(299) **Poacher Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(300) Potholes Reservoir (Grant County):

(a) Crappie: Minimum length nine inches.

(b) Crappie and bluegill: Combined limit of twenty-five fish.

(c) Perch: Limit twenty-five fish.

(d) Walleye: Limit 8; minimum size 12 inches. It is unlawful to retain more than 1 walleye greater than 22 inches in length.

(301) **Potter's Pond (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(302) **Powerline Lake (Franklin County):** Trout limit 2.

(303) **Priest Lake tributaries (Pend Oreille County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31, including Upper Priest Lake tributaries, except as otherwise provided in this section.

(304) **Priest River tributaries (Pend Oreille County):** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(305) Quail Lake (Adams County):

(a) Open for fly fishing only.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device equipped with a motor.

(c) Catch and release only.

(306) Quarry Pond (Walla Walla County):

(a) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(b) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(307) **Quincy Lake (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.

(308) Rainbow Lake (Columbia County):

(a) Open March 1 through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

(c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(309) Rat Lake (Okanogan County):

(a) Open year-round.

(b) From April 1 to November 30:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(310) Rattlesnake Creek (Yakima County), and tributaries:

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Catch and release only in the mainstem.

(311) **Red Rock Creek (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(312) **Reflection Pond (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(313) **Renner Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(314) Rigley Lake (Stevens County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(d) Trout: Limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

(315) Rimrock Lake (Reservoir) (Yakima County):

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Kokanee: Limit sixteen; kokanee do not count toward the trout daily limit.

(316) Ringold Springs Creek (Hatchery Creek) (Franklin County): Closed.**(317) Rock Creek (Adams/Whitman counties):**

(a) From the mouth to Endicott Road: Open year-round.

(b) From Endicott Road to the bridge on George Knott Road at Revere:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Catch and release only.

(c) From the bridge on George Knott Road upstream: Open year-round.

(318) Rock Creek (Chelan County):

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(319) **Rock Creek (Klickitat County):** Open year-round from the mouth to the Army Corps of Engineers Park. Limits, size restrictions and gear restrictions are the same as those in the adjacent portion of the Columbia River.

(320) Rocky Ford Creek and Ponds (Grant County):

(a) Open to fly fishing and fishing from the bank only (no wading).

(b) Catch and release only.

(321) Rocky Lake (Stevens County):

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) From June 1 through October 31:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iii) Catch and release only.

(322) Roosevelt Lake (Grant/Ferry/Lincoln/Stevens counties):

(a) The following areas are closed:

(i) From the Little Dalles power line crossing upstream approximately one mile to the marked rock point, and from Northport power line crossing upstream to the most upstream point of Steamboat Rock, from March 1 through the Friday before Memorial Day.

(ii) The Kettle arm upstream to Barstow Bridge from April 1 through the Friday before Memorial Day.

(b) Carp: It is unlawful to fish for carp with bow and arrow.

(c) Kokanee: Limit 6; no more than 2 with intact adipose fins may be retained.

(d) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(e) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon in Roosevelt Lake and its tributaries.

(f) Trout (except kokanee): Limit 5; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 over 20 inches in length.

(g) Walleye: No size restrictions; limit 16 fish.

(323) **Round Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(324) **Rowland Lakes (Klickitat County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through the last day in February, except closed the Monday before Thanksgiving Day through Thanksgiving Day.

(325) **Royal Lake (Adams County):** Closed.

(326) **Royal Slough (including Marsh Unit IV impoundments) (Adams County):** Closed.

(327) **Ruby Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken and the angler must cease fishing for trout.

(328) **Rufus Woods Lake (Douglas/Okanogan counties):**

(a) Chumming is permissible.

(b) Grand Coulee Dam downstream to State Route 155 Bridge: Closed.

(c) It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon from the lake or its tributaries.

(d) Trout: Limit 2; only uninjured trout caught using artificial lures or flies with single-point barbless hooks may be released.

(e) Tributaries to Rufus Woods Lake: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(329) **Sacheen Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(330) **Saddle Mountain Lake (Grant County):** Closed.

(331) **Sago Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(332) **Salmon Creek, mainstem (Okanogan County):** Closed.

(333) **Salmon Creek, North Fork and West Fork from mouth to South Fork (Okanogan County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(334) **San Poil River (Ferry County):**

(a) From the western shoreline at the mouth of the San Poil Arm (as marked by a regulatory buoy) directly eastward across the San Poil Arm to the eastern shoreline of the San Poil Arm (as marked by a regulatory buoy) upstream to the north shore of the outlet of French Johns Lake (Manila Creek) northeast across the San Poil Arm to the north shore of the outlet of Dick Creek:

(i) It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

(ii) Open April 1 through January 31 for kokanee, smallmouth bass, trout, and walleye:

(A) Kokanee: Limit 2 fish in addition to the trout limit; no minimum size requirement.

(B) Smallmouth bass: Limit 10; it is unlawful to retain more than one over 14 inches.

(C) Trout:

(I) Limit 5; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 20 inches.

(II) Release all rainbow trout with adipose fins intact.

(D) Walleye: Limit 16; no size restrictions.

(iii) Open year-round for other game fish, salmon, and carp:

(A) Carp: It is unlawful to fish for carp with bow and arrow.

(B) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(b) From the north shore of the outlet of French Johns Lake (Manila Creek) northeast across the San Poil Arm to the north shore of the outlet of Dick Creek to approximately 5 miles upstream from the outlet of French Johns Lake, as marked by regulatory buoys:

(i) It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon, kokanee, and all other trout.

(ii) Open April 1 through January 31 for walleye and smallmouth bass:

(A) Smallmouth bass: Limit 10; it is unlawful to retain more than one over 14 inches.

(B) Walleye: Limit 16; no size restrictions.

(iii) Open year-round for other game fish, salmon, and carp:

(A) Carp: It is unlawful to fish for carp with bow and arrow.

(B) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(c) The waters from approximately 5 miles upstream from the outlet of French Johns Lake, as marked by regulatory buoys, to all waters north of the regulatory buoy line at or above 1,310 feet mean sea level elevation are managed under the regulatory authority of the Colville Confederated Tribe of Indians.

(d) From above the Colville Confederated Tribe of Indians Reservation northern boundary, upstream to the headwaters, including tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial day through October 31.

(335) **Sarg Hubbard Park Pond (Yakima County):** Open to juvenile anglers and anglers with a disability who possess a designated harvester companion card only.

(336) **Schaefer Lake (Chelan County):** Trout limit sixteen.

(337) **Scootney Reservoir (Franklin County):** Walleye limit 8; minimum size 12 inches. It is unlawful to retain more than one walleye over 22 inches in length.

(338) **Sedge Lake (Grant County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Trout: Limit one.

(339) **Shellneck Creek (Yakima County):** Closed.

(340) **Sherman Creek (Ferry County) and all tributaries:**

(a) From the hatchery boat dock to 400 feet upstream of hatchery water diversion dam: Closed.

(b) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(341) **Sherry Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(342) **Shiner Lake (Adams County):**

(a) Open April 1 through September 30.

(b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(343) **Shoveler Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(344) **Sidley Lake (Okanogan County):** Trout limit two.

(345) **Silvas Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.

(346) **Silver Lake (Spokane County):** Crappie limit ten; minimum length nine inches.

(347) **Silver Nail Lake (Okanogan County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(348) **Similkameen River (Okanogan County):**

(a) Barbless hooks required for salmon and steelhead.

(b) From the mouth to Enloe Dam:

(i) Closed from Enloe Dam downstream 400 feet.

(ii) July 1 through September 15:

(A) Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Night closure in effect.

(iii) Salmon:

(A) Open July 1 through September 15.

(B) Limit ~~((6; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook))~~ 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(C) Release ~~((all wild salmon))~~ coho and wild adult Chinook.

(iv) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(c) From Enloe Dam to the Canadian border:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(ii) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(349) **Sinlahekin Creek (Okanogan County):**

(a) From Palmer Lake to Cecile Creek Bridge:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(b) From Cecile Creek Bridge upstream, including all tributaries: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(350) **Skookum Lake, North (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(351) **Skookum Lake, South (Pend Oreille County):** It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

(352) **Skookumchuck Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.

(353) **Slate Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken.

(354) **Snake River:**

(a) Open year-round, except the following areas are closed:

(i) Within 400 feet of the base of any dam;

(ii) Within a 400 foot radius around the fish ladder entrance at Lyons Ferry Hatchery;

(iii) Within a 200 foot radius upstream of the fish ladder exit above Lower Granite Dam; and

(iv) Within an area 1,200 feet downstream from the base of the west lock gate at Little Goose Dam on the south bank of the Snake River and 100 feet out into the river from the south river bank.

(b) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(c) Channel catfish: No limit.

(d) Sturgeon:

(i) From the mouth to Ice Harbor Dam:

(A) Closed to fishing for sturgeon from May 1 through July 31 from the downstream end of Goose Island up to Ice Harbor Dam.

(B) Release all sturgeon from August 1 through January 31.

(ii) From Ice Harbor Dam to the Oregon border: Release all sturgeon in waters upstream from Lower Granite Dam, including all tributaries.

(e) Trout:

(i) Open June 16 through March 31

(ii) April 1 through June 15: Catch and release only.

(iii) Limit 6; minimum length 10 inches.

(iv) It is unlawful to retain more than 3 hatchery steelhead.

(v) Barbless hooks required for steelhead.

(f) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(355) **Snipe Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(356) **Snipes Creek (Benton County):** Selective gear rules apply.

(357) **Snyder Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.

(358) **South Salmo River (Pend Oreille County), including tributaries:** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(359) **Spearfish Lake (Klickitat County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through last day in February.

(360) **Spectacle Lake (Okanogan County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(361) **Spokane River (Spokane County):**

(a) From SR 25 Bridge upstream to 400 feet below Little Falls Dam:

(i) It is permissible to fish with two poles so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(ii) Open year-round:

(A) Kokanee:

(I) Limit 6; no minimum size.

(II) It is unlawful to retain more than 2 with intact adipose fins.

(B) Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

(C) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

(D) Trout:

(I) Limit 5; no minimum size.

(II) It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 20 inches in length.

(E) Walleye: Limit 16; no size restrictions.

(b) From the Little Falls Dam to the upstream boundary of the Plese Flats Day Use Area (Riverside State Park), except Long Lake formed by Long Lake Dam: Open year-round.

- (i) Landlocked salmon rules apply.
 - (ii) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.
 - (iii) Trout: Limit 5; no more than 2 trout over 20 inches in length may be retained.
- (c) From the upstream boundary at Plese Flats Day Use Area (Riverside State Park) upstream to the Monroe Street Dam:
- (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (iii) Open June 1 through March 15:
 - (A) Salmon: Open June 1 through March 15; landlocked salmon rules apply.
 - (B) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.
 - (C) Trout: Limit one; release wild trout (adipose fin intact).
 - (d) From Monroe Street Dam upstream to Upriver Dam:
 - (i) Open year-round.
 - (ii) Landlocked salmon rules apply.
 - (e) From Upriver Dam upstream to the Idaho/Washington state line:
 - (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (ii) Open the first Saturday in June through March 15.
 - (iii) Catch and release only.
 - (f) Unless otherwise provided in this section, all tributaries to the Spokane River are open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (362) Sprague Lake (Adams/Lincoln counties):**
- (a) The following waters are closed:
 - (i) Cow Creek;
 - (ii) The marsh at the southwest end of the lake from the lakeside edge of the reeds to Danekas Road;
 - (iii) The small bay at the southeast end of the lake; and
 - (iv) Those waters within 50 feet of Harper Island.
 - (b) All other waters southwest of the southwest tip of Harper Island: Closed from October 1 through April 30.
 - (c) Crappie: Minimum length nine inches.
 - (d) Crappie and bluegill: Combined daily limit of twenty-five fish.
 - (e) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than two trout over twenty inches in length.
- (363) Spring Creek (Benton County):** Selective gear rules apply.
- (364) Spring Creek (Goldendale Hatchery) (Klickitat County):**
- (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 - (b) Trout: Limit 5.
- (365) Spring Hill Reservoir (Black Lake, Lower Wheeler Reservoir) (Chelan County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) July 5 through October 31: Selective gear rules apply.
 - (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (d) Catch and release only.
- (366) Spring Lake (Columbia County):**
- (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 - (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.

- (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (367) Spring Lakes (Grant County):** Open March 1 through July 31.
- (368) Stan Coffin Lake (Grant County):** Bass: Catch and release only.
- (369) Starvation Lake (Stevens County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) From June 1 through October 31:
 - (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (iii) Catch and release only.
- (370) Stehekin River (Chelan County):** From the mouth to Agnes Creek:
- (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (b) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (c) Open July 1 through October 31: Trout minimum length fifteen inches; release cutthroat.
 - (d) Open March 1 through June 30: Catch and release only.
- (371) Stratford/Brook Lake (Grant County):** Open February 1 through September 30.
- (372) Sullivan Creek (Pend Oreille County):**
- (a) From the mouth to Mill Pond: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 - (b) From Mill Pond upstream and tributaries:
 - (i) Selective gear rules apply.
 - (ii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 - (iii) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 - (iv) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken and the angler must cease fishing for trout.
- (373) Sullivan Lake (Pend Oreille County):**
- (a) Kokanee: Limit ten; kokanee do not count toward the trout limit.
 - (b) Trout (except kokanee): Limit two trout.
- (374) Sullivan Lake tributaries (Pend Oreille County), except as otherwise provided in this section:** Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
- (375) Summit Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (376) Swale Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.
- (377) Swan Lake (Ferry County):**
- (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 - (b) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.
- (378) Swauk Creek (Kittitas County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.
- (379) Tacoma Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County):**
- (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(b) Eastern brook trout: Limit 10; once an angler retains 2 trout other than eastern brook trout, the entire trout limit has been taken and the angler must cease fishing for trout.

(380) **Taneum Creek (Kittitas County), including tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(381) **Teal Lakes (North and South) (Grant/Adams counties):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(382) **Teanaway River (Kittitas County), and tributaries:** Selective gear rules apply.

(383) **Teanaway River, North Fork (Kittitas County):**

(a) From the mouth to Beverly Creek, including all tributaries:

(i) Selective gear rules apply.

(ii) Trout: Catch and release only.

(b) From Beverly Creek to the impassable waterfall at the end of USFS Road 9737: Closed.

(384) **Tern Lake (Grant County):**

(a) Selective gear rules apply.

(b) Trout: Limit one.

(385) **Thomas Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(386) **Thread Lake (Adams County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(387) **Tieton River (Yakima County):**

(a) It is permissible to fish up to the base of Tieton (Rimrock) Dam.

(b) Selective gear rules apply.

(c) Open December 1 through March 31 for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(388) **Tieton River, North Fork (Yakima County):**

(a) The following waters are closed:

(i) The Clear Lake spillway channel; and

(ii) Within 400 feet of Clear Lake Dam.

(b) For the mainstem, including that portion of the river that flows through the dry lakebed of Rimrock Reservoir:

(i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through August 15.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply for the mainstem and tributaries.

(389) **Tieton River, South Fork (Yakima County):**

(a) From the bridge on USFS Road 1200 to bridge on USFS Rd. 1070 (approximately 12.5 miles): Closed.

(b) From the bridge on USFS Rd. 1070 upstream: Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.

(390) **Touchet River (Columbia/Walla Walla counties):**

(a) From the mouth to the confluence of North and South Forks, and all tributaries open to game fish angling:

(i) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(ii) Channel catfish: No limit.

(iii) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(b) From the mouth to the confluence of the North and South Forks from November 1 through April 15:

(i) It is unlawful to use anything other than barbless hooks.

(ii) From November 1 through March 31: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead and brown trout; limit 3 combined.

(iii) From April 1 through April 15: Release all fish except anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead.

(c) From the confluence of the North and South Forks upstream, including South Fork, North Fork, Robinson and Wolf Forks:

(i) Tributaries other than North Fork, South Fork, Robinson Fork, and Wolf Fork: Closed.

(ii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(iv) Release all steelhead.

(d) North Fork, upstream of Spangler Creek:

(i) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(ii) Selective gear rules and all tributaries are closed.

(e) South Fork, upstream from Griffin Creek: Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(f) Wolf Fork, upstream from Coates Creek:

(i) All tributaries are closed.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(391) **Trapper Lake (Chelan County):** Trout: Limit two.

(392) **Trout Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(393) **Trout Lake (tributary to Big White Salmon River) (Klickitat County):** Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(394) **Tucannon River (Columbia County):**

(a) General River Rules:

(i) Unless otherwise provided in this section, all tributaries are closed, except Pataha Creek.

(ii) For all portions of the Tucannon River open to game fish angling:

(A) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(B) Channel catfish: No limit.

(C) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(b) Rules by river section:

(i) From the mouth upstream to Tucannon Hatchery Bridge:

(A) Selective gear rules apply upstream of Turner Road Bridge at Marengo.

(B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor upstream of Turner Road Bridge at Marengo.

(C) Anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead.

(D) Open November 1 through March 31:

(I) It is unlawful to use anything other than barbless hooks.

(II) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead and 15 whitefish.

(E) From the Tucannon Hatchery Bridge upstream:

(I) The following waters are closed:

(II) All tributaries and the mainstem from the Tucannon Hatchery Bridge upstream to 500 feet above the Rainbow Lake intake.

(ii) From Cow Camp Bridge upstream.

(A) Selective gear rules apply.

(B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(C) Steelhead: Catch and release only.

- (395) **Tucquala Lake (Kittitas County):**
 (a) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31.
 (b) Eastern brook trout: No limit; eastern brook trout do not count towards the trout limit.
- (396) **Twin Lakes (Chelan County) and tributaries and outlet stream to junction with the Napeequa River:** Closed.
- (397) **Twisp River (Okanogan County):**
 (a) From the mouth to War Creek:
 (i) Open the Saturday before Memorial Day through August 15.
 (ii) Selective gear rules apply.
 (iii) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (iv) Catch and release only.
 (b) From War Creek to South Fork Twisp River: Closed.
- (398) **Umtanum Creek (Kittitas County):** Selective gear rules apply.
- (399) **Union Creek (Yakima County):** Closed from the mouth upstream to falls (approximately 1/4 mile).
- (400) **Upper Wheeler Reservoir (Chelan County):** Closed.
- (401) **Vanes Lake (Pend Oreille County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (402) **Vic Meyers (Rainbow) Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (403) **Wahkiacus Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.
- (404) **Waitts Lake (Stevens County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through last day in February.
- (405) **Walla Walla River (Walla Walla County):**
 (a) In the mainstem and tributaries open to game fish angling:
 (i) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
 (ii) Channel catfish: No limit.
 (iii) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
 (b) From the mouth to the Touchet River:
 (i) Open year-round, except all tributaries other than the Touchet River are closed.
 (ii) Trout:
 (A) Release trout April 1 through May 31.
 (B) Limit 3 hatchery steelhead.
 (C) It is unlawful to fish for steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.
 (c) From the Touchet River upstream to the state line:
 (i) Open from the first Saturday in June through October 31; trout: Limit 3 hatchery steelhead.
 (ii) From November 1 through March 31:
 (A) It is unlawful to fish for steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.
 (B) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 3 hatchery steelhead.
 (iii) All tributaries are closed, except Mill Creek and the Touchet River are open as provided in this section.
- (406) **Wannacut Lake (Okanogan County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (407) **Wapato Lake (Chelan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) From August 1 through October 31: Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (408) **Ward Lake (Ferry County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
- (409) **Warden Lake (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (410) **Warden Lake, South (Grant County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.
- (411) **Washburn Island Pond (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open April 1 through September 30.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish with use of an internal combustion motor. An internal combustion motor may be attached to a floating device, but must not be used.
- (412) **Washburn Lake (Okanogan County):**
 (a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.
 (b) Trout: Limit two.
- (413) **Watson Lake (Columbia County):**
 (a) Open March 1 through October 31.
 (b) It is unlawful to fish from any floating device.
 (c) Trout: It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.
- (414) **Wenaha River tributaries within Washington:**
 (a) Open the first Saturday in June through August 31.
 (b) Selective gear rules apply.
 (c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.
 (d) Trout: Release all steelhead.
- (415) **Wenatchee Lake (Chelan County):**
 (a) Selective gear rules apply.
 (b) Trout:
 (i) Limit two; minimum length twelve inches.
 (ii) Release all kokanee.
 (iii) Kokanee/sockeye under sixteen inches are considered kokanee while those fish sixteen inches and over are considered sockeye salmon.
- (416) **Wenatchee River (Chelan County):**
 (a) From the mouth to 400 feet below Dryden Dam:
 (i) December 1 through March 31: Open for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.
 (ii) Salmon:
 (A) Open August 1 through September 30.
 (B) Selective gear rules apply.
 (C) Night closure in effect.
 (D) Limit 4; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook.
 (E) Release all wild salmon.
 (b) From the mouth of Peshastin Creek (above Dryden Dam) to Highway 2 Bridge at Leavenworth:
 (i) Salmon:
 (A) Open September 1 through September 30.
 (B) Limit 4; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook.
 (C) Release all wild salmon.
 (D) Selective gear rules apply and night closure in effect.
 (ii) Whitefish: Open December 1 through March 31; whitefish gear rules apply.

(c) From the Highway 2 Bridge at Leavenworth to Icicle River Road Bridge; open for salmon September 1 through September 30:

(i) Limit 4; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook may be retained.

(ii) Release all wild salmon.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply and night closure in effect.

(d) Lake Jolanda is closed.

(417) **West Evans Pond (Asotin County):** It is unlawful to retain more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length.

(418) **Wheeler Creek (Klickitat County):** Trout: Catch and release only.

(419) **White River (Chelan County), from mouth upstream to White River Falls:** Closed.

(420) **White Salmon River (Klickitat/Skamania counties):**

(a) From the mouth (Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge) to the county road bridge below the powerhouse:

(i) It is unlawful to fish for salmon and steelhead using anything other than barbless hooks.

(ii) ~~((From the mouth to the Highway 14 Bridge, the limit follows the most liberal regulations of the adjacent mainstem Columbia River or White Salmon River, when both areas are open concurrently for salmon.~~

~~(iii) Bank fishing only downstream from the Highway 14 Bridge.~~

~~(iv))~~ Open August 1 through March 31:

(A) August 1 through December 31: Anti-snagging rule applies.

(B) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

~~((v))~~ (iii) Salmon and steelhead open year-round:

(A) From April 1 through July 31:

(I) Limit 2; no more than 2 salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release wild Chinook.

(B) From August 1 through March 31:

(I) ~~((Open for salmon.~~

~~(H))~~ Limit 6; no more than ((2 adults may be retained)) 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

~~((HH))~~ (II) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.

(b) From the county road bridge below the powerhouse upstream to Big Brothers Falls (river mile 16):

(i) From Big Brothers Falls downstream 400 feet: Closed.

(ii) Open the first Saturday in June through October 31.

(iii) Selective gear rules apply.

(iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(v) Release all fish, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(421) **Wide Hollow Creek (Yakima County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(422) **Widgeon Lake (Grant County):** Open April 1 through September 30.

(423) **Williams Lake (Spokane County):** Open the fourth Saturday in April through September 30.

(424) **Williams Lake (Stevens County):**

(a) Open December 1 through March 31.

(b) Release all fish except anglers may retain up to five rainbow trout.

(425) **Wilson Creek (two branches within Ellensburg city limits) (Kittitas County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(426) **Winchester Wasteway (Grant County) (that portion within the Winchester Game Reserve):** Open February 1 through September 30.

(427) **Wolf Creek, mouth to mouth of south fork (Okanogan County):** Closed.

(428) **Yakima River (Yakima County):**

(a) General river rules:

(i) Release all steelhead in the mainstem and tributaries.

(ii) Downstream of Highway 240 Bridge, Columbia River rules apply.

(iii) In the mainstem and tributaries:

(A) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(B) Channel catfish: No limit.

(C) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(b) Rules by river section:

(i) From the mouth to 400 feet below Prosser Dam:

(A) From the WDFW white markers 200 feet downstream of the USBR Chandler Powerhouse/Pumping Station spillway chute to the powerline crossing immediately upstream of the powerhouse: Closed September 1 through October 22.

(B) Open March 1 through October 22.

(C) Chumming is permissible.

(D) Trout: Catch and release only.

(E) Salmon:

(I) Open September 1 through October 22.

(II) Night closure in effect.

(III) It is unlawful to fish for salmon using anything other than barbless hooks.

(IV) Limit 6; it is unlawful to retain more than 2 adults.

(ii) From Prosser Dam to Highway 223 Bridge:

(A) Open May 1 through October 31.

(B) Trout: Catch and release only.

(iii) From Highway 223 Bridge to 400 feet below Sunny-side Dam:

(A) Trout: Minimum length is 12 inches, maximum length is 20 inches.

(B) Open December 1 through the last day in February for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(iv) From Sunnyside Dam to 3,500 feet below Roza Dam:

(A) Closed from Yakima Avenue-Terrace Heights Bridge upstream 400 feet.

(B) Selective gear rules apply.

(C) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor from the I-82 Bridge at Selah Gap to 3,500 feet below Roza Dam.

(D) Trout: Minimum length 12 inches, maximum length 20 inches.

(E) Open December 1 through the last day in February for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(v) From 3,500 feet below Roza Dam to 400 feet below Roza Dam:

(A) Open December 1 through the last day in February for whitefish only; whitefish gear rules apply.

(B) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

(vi) From Roza Dam to 400 feet below Easton Dam and from Lake Easton to the base of Keechelus Dam:

(A) Open year-round.

(B) Lawful to fish from floating devices equipped with motors only from the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation restricted area signs at Roza Dam upstream to the boat launch ramp on the Roza Access Area (approximately 0.5 mile).

(C) Selective gear rules apply.

(D) Trout:

(I) From Roza Dam to 400 feet below Easton Dam: Catch and release only.

(II) From Lake Easton to the base of Keechelus Dam: Catch and release only except anglers may retain eastern brook trout. There is no limit and no minimum size restriction for eastern brook trout.

(E) Whitefish: December 1 through the last day in February; whitefish gear rules apply.

(429) **Yakima Sportsmen's Park Ponds (Yakima County):** Open to juvenile anglers only.

(430) **Yellowhawk Creek (Walla Walla County):** Closed.

(431) **Yocum Lake (Pend Oreille County):**

(a) Open the fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

(b) It is unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1.5 inches or less along the longest axis.

(c) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-04-120, filed 2/4/14, effective 3/7/14)

WAC 220-310-200 Freshwater exceptions to state-wide rules—Columbia. The following exceptions to state-wide rules apply to the Columbia River, including impoundments and all connecting sloughs, except Wells Ponds:

(1) **General Columbia River rules:**

(a) In the concurrent waters of the Columbia River between Washington and Oregon, the license of either state is valid when fishing from a vessel.

(i) Anglers must comply with the fishing regulations of the state in which they are fishing.

(ii) This subsection does not allow an angler licensed in Oregon to fish on the Washington shore, or in the sloughs or tributaries in Washington except as otherwise provided by department rule.

(iii) Anglers fishing the Columbia River are restricted to one limit, as defined by the laws of the state in which they are fishing, even if they are licensed by both states.

(b) It is unlawful to possess in the field salmon or steelhead mutilated so that size, species, or fin clip cannot be determined until the angler has reached their automobile or principal means of land transportation and completed his or her daily angling.

(c) Salmon and trout handling rules provided in WAC 220-56-118 apply to the Columbia River, except from February 15 through June 15 in the mainstem Columbia from the Rocky Point/Tongue Point line upstream to the Washington-

Oregon border where WAC 220-56-118 applies only to anglers fishing from vessels less than 30 feet in length (as substantiated by Coast Guard documentation or Marine Board registration).

(d) From Buoy 10 to the Washington/Oregon border: From August 1 through December 31, each angler aboard a vessel may deploy salmon/steelhead angling gear until the daily salmon/steelhead limit for all anglers aboard has been achieved.

(e) Open year-round unless otherwise provided.

~~((f))~~ (f) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(2) **Rules by river section:**

(a) From a true north-south line through Buoy 10, upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through Red Buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank:

(i) Fishing from the north jetty is permissible when Marine Area 1 or Buoy 10 areas are open for salmon, and the limit and minimum size restrictions follow the most liberal regulations if both areas are open.

(ii) Release all trout, except anglers may retain hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Walleye:

(A) Limit 10; no minimum length.

(B) No more than 5 longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one walleye may be longer than 24 inches.

(iv) Bass: Limit 5 bass between 12 and 17 inches in length; no more than 3 longer than 15 inches may be retained.

(v) Channel catfish: No limit.

(vi) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Closed to fishing for salmon and steelhead from Buoy 10 to the Megler-Astoria Bridge.

(II) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(III) Release all salmon other than sockeye and hatchery Chinook.

(IV) From July 1 through July 31, release adult Chinook and sockeye.

(B) Open August 1 through September 1:

(I) Limit 2 salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each.

(II) Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

(III) August 30 through September 1: It is unlawful to retain Chinook that do not have a clipped adipose or left ventral fin as evidenced by a healed scar.

(IV) Chinook minimum length 24 inches; only one Chinook may be retained as part of the limit.

~~((V))~~ (V) Coho minimum length 16 inches.

(C) Open September 2 through September 30:

(I) Limit ~~((2 hatchery coho, or))~~ 3; no more than 2 hatchery steelhead~~((, or one of each))~~ may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon other than hatchery coho.

(III) Coho minimum length 16 inches.

(D) Open October 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) ~~((Only one adult Chinook may be retained.~~

~~(HH)~~) Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

(E) Open January 1 through March 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook.

(vii) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only).

(viii) Shad open May 16 through March 31.

(ix) Forage fish and bottomfish: Marine Area 1 general rules apply; eulachon closed.

(b) From a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through Red Buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank, upstream to the I-5 Bridge:

(i) Trout:

(A) Open May 16 through March 31.

(B) Release all trout except hatchery cutthroat and hatchery steelhead (the limit is as provided under (b)(v) of this subsection).

(I) Anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery cutthroat.

(II) Hatchery cutthroat minimum length 12 inches.

(III) Barbless hooks are required for cutthroat trout.

(ii) Walleye:

(A) Limit 10; no minimum length.

(B) No more than 5 longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one may be longer than 24 inches.

(iii) Bass: Limit 5 bass between 12 and 17 inches in length; it is unlawful to retain more than 3 longer than 15 inches.

(iv) Channel catfish: No limit.

(v) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open May 16 through July 31:

(I) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and sockeye.

(II) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(III) Release sockeye and adult Chinook May 16 through June 15 and July 1 through July 31.

(B) Open August 1 through ~~((December 31))~~ September 30:

(I) Upstream of Warrior Rock line: Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

~~((H)) Only one adult Chinook may be retained.~~

~~(H))~~) Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

~~((C)) (II) Downstream of ((a line projected from the Warrior Rock Lighthouse, through Red Buoy 4, to the orange marker atop the dolphin on the Washington shore))~~ Warrior Rock line: ~~((H))~~ Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, and only one adult Chinook may be retained. Release wild Chinook from September ~~((6))~~ 7 through September ~~((12~~

~~(H))~~ 14, and release all Chinook from September ((13)) 15 through September 30.

(C) For the purpose of this subsection, "Warrior Rock line" is defined as a line projected from the Warrior Rock Lighthouse, through Red Bouy 4, to the orange marker atop the dolphin on the Washington shore.

(D) Open October 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

~~(E)~~ Open January 1 through March 31:

(I) Limit 6 fish; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook.

(vi) Shad open May 16 through March 31.

(vii) Sturgeon: It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only).

(c) From the I-5 Bridge to Bonneville Dam:

(i) The following waters are closed:

(A) From the upstream line of Bonneville Dam to boundary markers 600 feet below the fish ladder at the powerhouse.

(B) January 1 through April 30 from a line between the upstream end of Sand Island (near Rooster Rock) on the Columbia River, to the boundary marker on the Oregon shore, downstream to a line between the lower end of Sand Island and the boundary marker on the Oregon shore.

(C) Closed to angling from a floating device or by any method except hand-casted gear from shore from Bonneville Dam downstream to a line from the Hamilton Island boat ramp to an Oregon boundary marker on the westernmost tip of Robins Island.

(ii) Camas Slough:

(A) It is permissible for an angler licensed in Oregon or Washington to fish from a floating device.

(B) In the waters of the Columbia River downstream from the mouth of the Washougal River, north of Lady Island, and downstream of the Highway 14 Bridge at the upstream end of Lady Island:

(I) From August 1 through December 31: It is permissible to fish with two poles so long as the angler possesses a valid two-pole endorsement.

(II) From August 1 through December 31: Each angler aboard a vessel may deploy salmon/steelhead angling gear until the daily salmon/steelhead limit for all anglers aboard has been achieved.

~~(III)~~ Open for salmon when the adjacent mainstem Columbia or Washougal rivers are open for salmon.

~~((H))~~ (IV) The limit for salmon is the same as the most liberal regulation of either area, except anglers may only retain hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho; release all other salmon.

(iii) Release all trout except hatchery steelhead.

(iv) Walleye:

(A) Limit 10; no minimum length.

(B) No more than 5 longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one walleye may be longer than 24 inches.

(v) Bass: Limit 5 bass between 12 and 17 inches in length; no more than 3 longer than 15 inches may be retained.

(vi) Channel catfish: No limit.

(vii) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and sockeye.

(III) Release adult Chinook and sockeye July 1 through July 31.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon(;) or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained, except no more than 3 adults, of which no more than 2 may be hatchery coho or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained upstream from a line projected from the lower end of the Steamboat Landing dock on the Washington shore through navigation Light #50 to the Oregon shore.

(II) ~~((Only one adult Chinook may be retained.~~

~~((H)))~~ Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho.

~~((IV)))~~ (III) Closed November 1 through December 31 from Beacon Rock to Bonneville Dam.

(viii) Steelhead: Open January 1 through March 31.

(ix) Shad: Open May 16 through March 31.

(x) Sturgeon:

(A) The following waters are closed to fishing for sturgeon:

(I) From Bonneville Dam downstream to a boundary marker on the Washington shore approximately 4,000 feet below the fish ladder at the powerhouse, south to the downstream end of Cascade Island, and across to the Oregon angling boundary on Bradford Island (the Cascade Island-Bradford Island line).

(II) From Bonneville Dam downstream 9 miles to a line crossing the Columbia River from navigation marker 82 on the Oregon shore, westerly to the boundary marker on the Washington shore upstream of Fir Point (navigational marker 82 line), from May 1 through August 31.

(B) It is unlawful to retain sturgeon (catch and release only) in all other areas within this river section.

(d) From Bonneville Dam to The Dalles Dam:

(i) Closed waters:

(A) Within one quarter mile of the USFWS Spring Creek Hatchery Grounds, between posted markers located one quarter mile on either side of the fish ladder entrance.

(B) At The Dalles between the upstream line of The Dalles Dam to the upstream side of the Interstate 197 Bridge, except that bank fishing is permitted up to the downstream navigation lock wall on the Washington shore.

(ii) Release all trout, except anglers may retain hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Walleye:

(A) Limit 10; no minimum length.

(B) No more than 5 longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one may be longer than 24 inches.

(iv) Bass: Limit 5 bass between 12 and 17 inches in length; no more than 3 longer than 15 inches may be retained.

(v) Channel catfish: No limit.

(vi) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except sockeye and hatchery Chinook.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) August 1 through October 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(II) Limit 6; no more than ~~((2))~~ 3 adults ~~((salmon))~~, of which no more than 2 may be coho or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(III) Release all salmon except Chinook and coho.

(IV) Release wild coho from Bonneville Dam to Hood River Bridge.

(vii) Steelhead: Open January 1 through March 31.

(viii) Sturgeon:

(A) Release sturgeon August 1 through December 31.

(B) Closed to fishing for sturgeon between The Dalles Dam downstream 1.8 miles to a line from the east (upstream) dock at the Port of The Dalles boat ramp straight across to a marker on the Washington shore from May 1 through July 31.

(e) From The Dalles Dam to McNary Dam:

(i) Closed waters:

(A) At John Day Dam between the upstream line of John Day Dam to markers approximately 3,000 feet downstream, except that bank fishing is permitted up to 400 feet below the fishway entrance on the Washington shore.

(B) At McNary Dam between the upstream line of McNary Dam downstream to a line across the river from the red and white marker on the Oregon shore on a line that intersects the downstream end of the wing-wall of the boat lock near the Washington shore.

(ii) Release all trout except hatchery steelhead.

(iii) Walleye:

(A) Limit 10; no minimum length.

(B) No more than 5 longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one walleye may be longer than 24 inches.

(iv) Bass: Limit 5 bass between 12 and 17 inches in length; no more than 3 longer than 15 inches may be retained.

(v) Channel catfish: No limit.

(vi) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and sockeye.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) August 1 through October 15: Anti-snagging rule applies and night closure in effect.

(II) Limit 6; no more than ~~((2 adult salmon,))~~ 3 adults, of which no more than 2 may be coho or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(III) Release all salmon except Chinook and coho.

(vii) Steelhead: Open January 1 through March 31.

(viii) Sturgeon:

(A) Minimum fork length 43 inches.

(B) Closed to fishing for sturgeon:

(I) May 1 through July 31 from John Day Dam downstream 2.4 miles to a line crossing the Columbia at a right angle to the thread of the river from the west end of the grain silo at Rufus, Oregon.

(II) May 1 through July 31 from McNary Dam downstream to the Highway 82 (395) Bridge.

(C) August 1 through December 31: Catch and release only.

(f) From McNary Dam to Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) The Snake River Confluence Protection Area includes waters of the Columbia River from the railroad bridge between Burbank and Kennewick, upstream approximately 2.1 miles to the first power line crossing the Columbia upstream of the navigation light on the point of Sacajawea State Park. For all species, limits, seasons, size restrictions and gear restrictions are the same as those in the adjacent portion of the Snake River.

(iii) Release all trout except hatchery steelhead.

(iv) From McNary Dam upstream to Highway 730 at the Oregon/Washington border: Walleye limit 10; no minimum length. No more than 5 walleye longer than 18 inches may be retained, and only one may be longer than 24 inches.

(v) Upstream from Highway 730 at the Oregon/Washington border:

(A) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(B) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(vi) Salmon and steelhead:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon, or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and sockeye.

(B) Open August 1 through December 31:

(I) Limit 6; no more than ~~((2 adult salmon))~~ 3 adults, of which no more than 2 may be coho or 2 hatchery steelhead, or one of each, may be retained.

(II) Release all salmon except Chinook and coho.

(vii) Steelhead: Open January 1 through March 31.

(viii) Sturgeon: Catch and release only August 1 through January 31.

(g) From the Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco to the Old Hanford townsite wooden power line towers, in Sec. 30, T13N, R28E:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) Closed waters:

(A) Within a 400 foot radius of the Columbia Irrigation District (CID) fish barrier at the mouth of the CID wasteway at Columbia Park.

(B) Ringold Springs Creek (Hatchery Creek).

(C) In the Columbia River within 100 foot radius (arc) from the mouth of Ringold Springs Creek (Hatchery Creek).

(D) September 1 through November 30: Esquatzel Coulee Block 1 irrigation wasteway return from the spillway to the Columbia River.

(iii) Ringold Area Bank Fishery waters, from WDFW markers 1/4 mile downstream from the Ringold wasteway outlet, to WDFW markers 1/2 mile upstream from Spring Creek:

(A) Fishing is allowed only from the bank and only on the hatchery side of the river.

(B) Release all trout, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead from April 1 through April 15.

(iv) From June 16 through July 31, for all species except sturgeon: It is permissible to fish with two poles so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(v) Release all steelhead with a radio-tag wire protruding from the mouth, or with a disk or floy tag attached near the dorsal fin.

(vi) Trout:

(A) October 1 through October 31 release all trout, except 2 hatchery steelhead with both the adipose and a ventral fin clipped may be retained.

(B) November 1 through March 31 release all trout, except anglers may retain up to 2 hatchery steelhead.

(vii) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(viii) Channel catfish: No limit.

(ix) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(x) Salmon:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit ~~((6))~~ 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(II) Release ~~((sockeye))~~ coho and wild adult Chinook.

(B) Open August 1 through October 22: Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(xi) Sturgeon: Catch and release only from August 1 through January 31.

(h) From the Old Hanford townsite wooden power line towers, in Sec. 30, T13N, R28E, to Vernita Bridge, (Highway 24):

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) Open February 1 through October 22.

(iii) June 16 through July 31, for all species except sturgeon: It is permissible to fish with two poles so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(iv) Trout: Catch and release only.

(v) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(vi) Channel catfish: No limit.

(vii) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(viii) Salmon:

(A) Open June 16 through July 31:

(I) Limit ~~((6))~~ 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.

(II) Release ~~((sockeye))~~ coho and wild adult Chinook.

(B) Open August 1 through October 22: Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.

(ix) Sturgeon: Release sturgeon August 1 through October 22.

(i) From Vernita Bridge (Highway 24) to Priest Rapids Dam:

(i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

(ii) Closed waters:

(A) At Priest Rapids Dam; waters between the upstream line of Priest Rapids Dam downstream to the boundary markers 650 feet below the fish ladders.

(B) At Jackson (Moran) Creek, or Priest Rapids Hatchery Outlet Creek; waters of the Priest Rapids Hatchery system to the outlet on the Columbia River, extending to mid-stream Columbia River between boundary markers located 100 feet upstream and 400 feet downstream of the mouth.

(iii) June 16 through July 31, for all species except sturgeon: It is permissible to fish with two poles so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.

(iv) Trout: Catch and release only.

(v) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.

(vi) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.

(vii) Channel catfish: No limit.

(viii) Salmon:

- (A) Open June 16 through July 31:
- (I) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (II) Release ((~~sockeye~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (B) Open August 1 through October 22: Limit 6; no more than 2 adult salmon may be retained.
- (ix) Sturgeon:
- (A) Closed to fishing for sturgeon from May 1 through July 31 from Priest Rapids Dam downstream 2.5 miles to the boundary marker on the river bank 400 feet downstream from Priest Rapids Hatchery outlet channel (Jackson Creek).
- (B) August 1 through January 31: Catch and release only.
- (j) From Priest Rapids Dam to Wanapum Dam:
- (i) Barbless hooks required for salmon and steelhead.
- (ii) Closed waters at Wanapum Dam, between the upstream line of Wanapum Dam to the boundary markers 750 feet downstream of the east fish ladder and 500 feet downstream of the west fish ladder.
- (iii) July 1 through August 31: Fishing two poles is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.
- (iv) Release all trout.
- (v) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vi) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vii) Channel catfish: No limit.
- (viii) Salmon:
- (A) Open July 1 through August 31:
- (I) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (II) Release ((~~all wild salmon~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (B) Open September 1 through October 22: Limit 6 Chinook; no more than 2 adults may be retained.
- (ix) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.
- (k) From Wanapum Dam to Wells Dam:
- (i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.
- (ii) Closed waters:
- (A) At Rocky Reach Dam and Rock Island Dam, between the upstream line of the dam to boundary markers 400 feet downstream of the fish ladders.
- (B) At Wells Dam, between the upstream line of Wells Dam to boundary markers 400 feet downstream of the spawning channel discharge (on Chelan County side) and fish ladder (on Douglas County side).
- (iii) July 1 through August 31: Fishing two poles is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.
- (iv) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (v) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vi) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vii) Channel catfish: No limit.
- (viii) Salmon open July 1 through October 15:
- (A) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (B) Release ((~~all wild salmon~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (ix) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.
- (l) From Wells Dam to Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster:
- (i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.

- (ii) July 16 through August 31: Fishing two poles is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.
- (iii) Release all trout.
- (iv) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (v) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vi) Channel catfish: No limit.
- (vii) Salmon open July 16 through August 31:
- (A) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (B) Release ((~~all wild salmon~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (viii) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.
- (m) From Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster to Chief Joseph Dam:
- (i) Barbless hooks are required for salmon and steelhead.
- (ii) Closed waters:
- (A) From the Okanogan County shore between Chief Joseph Dam and the Highway 17 Bridge.
- (B) From the Douglas County shore from Chief Joseph Dam to the rock jetty at the upstream shoreline of Foster Creek.
- (ii) July 1 through August 31: Fishing two poles is permissible so long as the angler possesses a two-pole endorsement.
- (iv) It is unlawful to fish from a floating device downstream of Chief Joseph Dam from the boundary marker to the Corps of Engineers safety zone marker.
- (v) Trout: Catch and release only.
- (vi) Walleye: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (vii) Bass: No limit and no size restrictions.
- (viii) Channel catfish: No limit.
- (ix) Salmon: Open July 1 through October 15:
- (A) Limit ((6)) 8; no more than 2 adult hatchery Chinook and no more than 4 sockeye may be retained.
- (B) Release ((~~all wild salmon~~) coho and wild adult Chinook.
- (x) Sturgeon: Catch and release only.
- (n) Above Chief Joseph Dam: See Rufus Woods Lake in WAC 220-310-195.
- (o) Above Grand Coulee Dam: See Lake Roosevelt in WAC 220-310-195.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-20-021, filed 9/23/13, effective 10/24/13)

WAC 232-28-620 Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess salmon taken by angling for personal use except from the following coastal areas, during the following seasons, in the quantities and the sizes provided for in WAC 220-56-180, and for the species designated in this section. An area is open when a daily limit is provided:

(2) Catch Record Card Area 1:

- (a) May 1 through ((~~June 7~~)) May 30: Closed.
- (b) ((~~June 8~~)) May 31 through June ((~~2+~~)) 13:
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.
- (c) June ((~~22~~)) 14 through September 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho.

(d) October 1 through April 30: Closed.

(e) Closed in the Columbia River Mouth Control Zone 1 during all open periods. See WAC 220-56-195.

(3) Catch Record Card Area 2:

(a) May 1 through ~~((June-7))~~ May 30: Closed.

(b) ~~((June-8))~~ May 31 through June ~~((22))~~ 13:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.

(c) June ~~((23))~~ 14 through September 30:

(i) ~~((Open Sundays through Thursdays only.~~

~~((ii)))~~ Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.

~~((iii)))~~ (ii) Release wild coho.

(d) October 1 through April 30 - Closed.

(4) Willapa Bay (Catch Record Card Area 2-1):

(a) May 1 through ~~((June-7))~~ May 30: Closed.

(b) ~~((June-8))~~ May 31 through July 31: Open concurrent with Area 2 when Area 2 is open for salmon angling. Area 2 rules apply.

(c) August 1 through January 31:

(i) Daily limit of 6 salmon; no more than 3 may be adult salmon.

(ii) Release ~~((chum and))~~ wild Chinook.

(iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.

(iv) Waters south of a line from Needle Point northwesterly to Long Island Shoal light (green) (46°32.32'N, 123°58.59'W) then due west to landfall on the North Beach peninsula at 46°32.32'N are closed August 1 through September 15.

(v) Waters north of a line from Toke Point channel marker 3 easterly through Willapa Harbor channel marker 13 (green) then, northeasterly to the power transmission pole located at 46°43.19'N, 123°50.83'W are closed August 1 through September 30.

(d) February 1 through April 30: Closed.

(5) Grays Harbor (Catch Record Card Area 2-2 east of the Buoy 13 line):

(a) May 1 through ~~((September))~~ August 15: Closed.

(b) ~~((September))~~ August 16 through ~~((September-22))~~ August 31:

(i) Daily limit of ~~((3))~~ 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho.

(iii) Waters south of a line running from the south end of the eastern jetty at Ocean Shores Marina to the fishing boundary marker on Sand Island (46°57.52'N, 124°03.36'W) to the Tripod Station on Brackenridge Bluff (46°59.12'N, 124°00.72'W) are closed.

(c) September ~~((23))~~ 1 through ~~((November-30:))~~ September 15: Closed.

(d) September 16 through November 30:

(i) Daily limit of 3 salmon.

(ii) Release Chinook.

~~((e)))~~ (iii) Waters west of a line running from the Tripod Station on Brackenridge Bluff (46°59.12'N, 124°00.72'W)

through channel marker 27 (green) to the mouth of Johns River (Highway 105 Bridge) are closed.

(e) December 1 through April 30: Closed.

~~((e)))~~ (f) Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, the Westport Boat Basin and Ocean Shores Boat Basin are open only August 16 through January 31:

(i) Daily limit of 6 salmon; no more than 4 may be adult salmon.

(ii) Release ~~((wild))~~ Chinook.

(iii) Night closure and anti-snagging rule in effect.

(6) Grays Harbor (Catch Record Card Area 2-2 west of the Buoy 13 line):

(a) May 1 through ~~((June-7))~~ May 30: Closed.

(b) ~~((June-8))~~ May 31 through August 10: Open concurrent with Area 2 when Area 2 is open for salmon angling. Area 2 rules apply.

(c) August 11 through April 30: Closed.

(7) Catch Record Card Area 3:

(a) May 1 through ~~((June-28))~~ June 13: Closed, except May ~~((40))~~ 16 through May ~~((44))~~ 17, May ~~((47))~~ 23 through May ~~((48))~~ 24, and ~~((June-22))~~ May 31 through June ~~((28))~~ 13:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.

(b) June ~~((29))~~ 14 through September ~~((22))~~ 21:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, two additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(c) September ~~((23))~~ 22 through April 30: Closed.

(d) Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, waters north of 47°50'00"N latitude and south of 48°00'00"N latitude are also open September ~~((28))~~ 27 through October ~~((43))~~ 12:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho.

(8) Catch Record Card Area 4:

(a) May 1 through June ~~((28))~~ 13: Closed, except May ~~((40))~~ 16 through May ~~((44))~~ 17, May ~~((47))~~ 23 through May ~~((48))~~ 24, and ~~((June-22))~~ May 31 through June ~~((28))~~ 13:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.

(iii) Waters east of a true north-south line through Sail Rock are closed.

(b) June ~~((29))~~ 14 through September ~~((22))~~ 21:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho salmon.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, two additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(iv) Waters east of a true north-south line through Sail Rock are closed through July 31.

(v) Release Chinook salmon caught east of the Bonilla-Tatoosh line beginning August 1.

(vi) Release chum salmon beginning August 1.

(c) September ~~((23))~~ 22 through April 30: Closed.

(9) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are

taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-20-021, filed 9/23/13, effective 10/24/13)

WAC 232-28-621 Puget Sound salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits. (1) It is unlawful to fish for or possess salmon taken by angling for personal use except from the following Puget Sound areas and during the seasons, in the quantities, and for the species designated in this section, and in the sizes as defined in WAC 220-56-180. An area is open when a daily limit is provided. Puget Sound waters west of the mouth of the Sekiu River are managed concurrent with ocean waters under WAC 232-28-620.

(2) Catch Record Card Area 5:

(a) May 1 through June 30: Closed.

(b) July 1 through August 15:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(ii) Release chum, wild Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(c) August 16 through September ~~((14))~~ 18:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from August 16 through August 31.

(ii) Release chum, Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(d) September ~~((15))~~ 19 through September ~~((30))~~ 25:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release chum and Chinook.

(e) September 26 through September 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release chum, Chinook, and wild coho.

~~(f) October 1 through October 31: ((Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.~~

~~((f)) (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.~~

~~(ii) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.~~

~~(g) November 1 through February 15: Closed.~~

~~((g)) (h) February 16 through April 10: ((Daily limit of one salmon.~~

~~((h)) (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.~~

~~(ii) Release wild Chinook.~~

~~(i) April 11 through April 30: Closed.~~

(3) Catch Record Card Area 6:

(a) May 1 through June 30: Closed.

(b) July 1 through August 15:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(ii) Release chum, wild Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) Release all Chinook east of a true north-south line through the Number 2 Buoy immediately east of Ediz Hook.

(iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(c) August 16 through September 30, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from August 16 through August 31:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release chum, Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(d) Waters of Port Angeles Harbor west of a line from the tip of Ediz Hook to the ITT Rayonier Dock are closed July 1 through October 31.

(e) October 1 through October 31:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon, except that waters of Dungeness Bay inside a line from Dungeness Spit Lighthouse to the Number 2 Red Buoy, and then to the Port Williams Boat Ramp, are open with a daily limit of 2 coho salmon only.

(ii) Waters inside the line described in this subsection are closed at all times except during October.

(f) November 1 through November 30: Closed.

(g) December 1 through April 10:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild Chinook.

(h) April 11 through April 30: Closed.

(4) Catch Record Card Area 7:

(a) May 1 through June 30: Closed.

(b) July 1 through July 31:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.

(ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(iii) Closed to salmon fishing in the Southern Rosario Strait and Eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca closure area described in WAC 220-56-195(7).

(c) August 1 through September 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, plus 2 additional sockeye salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from August 16 through August 31; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.

(ii) Release chum and wild coho.

(iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(iv) Closed to salmon fishing in the Southern Rosario Strait and Eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca closure area described in WAC 220-56-195(7).

(d) October 1 through October 31:

~~(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon((; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon)).~~

~~(ii) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.~~

(e) Waters of Samish Bay described in WAC 220-56-195(4): Closed April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through October 15.

(f) November 1 through November 30: Closed.

(g) December 1 through April 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild Chinook.

(h) Waters of Bellingham Bay described in WAC 220-56-195(1):

(i) Closed April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through August 15.

(ii) August 16 through ~~((October 31))~~ September 30: Daily limit of 4 salmon; no more than 2 may be Chinook salmon.

- (iii) October 1 through October 31:
 - (A) Daily limit of 4 salmon; no more than 2 may be Chinook salmon.
 - (B) Release wild Chinook.
 - (iv) November 1 through March 31 and June 1 through June 30: Same rules as Area 7.
 - (i) Waters east of a line from Gooseberry Point to Sandy Point: Closed September ((3)) 2 through October 15.
 - (5) **Catch Record Card Area 8-1:**
 - (a) May 1 through July 31: Closed.
 - (b) August 1 through September 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (c) October 1 through October 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook.
 - (d) November 1 through April 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (6) **Catch Record Card Area 8-2:**
 - (a) May 1 through July 31 are closed, except: Waters west of Tulalip Bay and within 2,000 feet of shore from the pilings at Old Bower's Resort to a fishing boundary marker approximately 1.4 miles northwest of Hermosa Point are open only from Friday through 11:59 a.m. the following Monday of each week, May ((3+)) 29 through June ((+4)) 12 and June ((+6)) 14 through July 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
 - (b) August 1 through September 30:
 - (i) Waters west of Tulalip Bay and within 2,000 feet of shore from the pilings at Old Bower's Resort, to a fishing boundary marker approximately 1.4 miles northwest of Hermosa Point:
 - (A) August 1 through September ((2)) 1: Open only from Friday through 11:59 a.m. the following Monday of each week.
 - (I) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (II) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (III) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
 - (B) September ((3)) 2 through September ((22)) 21, open only Saturday and Sunday of each week:
 - (I) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (II) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (III) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
 - (C) September 23 through September 30: Same rules as remainder of Area 8-2.
 - (ii) All other waters of Area 8-2:
 - (A) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (B) Release Chinook.

- (C) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (c) October 1 through October 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook.
- (d) November 1 through April 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (7) **Catch Record Card Area 9:**
 - (a) May 1 through June 30: Closed.
 - (b) July 1 through July 15:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook and chum.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (c) July 16 through August 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook.
 - (ii) Release chum and wild Chinook; release Chinook from August 16 through August 31.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (iv) Closed south of a line from Foulweather Bluff to Olele Point, except it is permissible to fish from shore between the southern and northern boundaries of Salsbury Point Park:
 - (A) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (B) Release Chinook and chum.
 - (C) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (d) September 1 through September 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release chum and Chinook.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (e) October 1 through October 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook.
 - (f) November 1 through November 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (g) December 1 through January 15: Closed.
 - (h) January 16 through April 15:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (i) April 16 through April 30: Closed.
 - (j) Edmonds Fishing Pier:
 - (i) Open year-round.
 - (ii) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.
 - (iii) Release chum from August 1 through September 30.
 - (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.
 - (8) **Catch Record Card Area 10:**
 - (a) May 1 through May 31: Closed.
 - (b) June 1 through June 30: Open only north of a line from Point Monroe to Meadow Point. Catch and release.
 - (c) July 1 through July 15:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

- (ii) Release Chinook.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (d) July 16 through August 31:
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, no more than one may be a Chinook.
- (ii) Release wild Chinook(~~(s)~~) and (~~(beginning August 1, release)~~) chum; release Chinook from August 16 through August 31.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (e) September 1 through September 30:
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release chum through September 15.
- (iii) Release Chinook.
- (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (f) Waters of Shilshole Bay southeast of a line from Meadow Point to West Point: Closed July 1 through August 31.
- (g) Waters of Elliott Bay east of a line from West Point to Alki Point: Closed July 1 through August 31, except: In years ending in odd numbers: Those waters north of a line from Jack Block Park through the north tip of Harbor Island to shore northeast of the North Waterway (47°35.47'N, 122°20.58'W), open August 16 through August 31 from Friday through Sunday of each week only.
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon plus 2 additional pink salmon.
 - (ii) Release Chinook and chum.
 - (iii) Bait prohibited, and only one single-point barbless hook measuring one-half inch or less from point to shank may be used.
- (h) Waters of Sinclair Inlet and Port Orchard south of the Manette Bridge in Bremerton, south of a line true west from Battle Point, and west of a line drawn true south from Point White:
 - (i) Daily limit of 3 salmon, July 1 through September 30. Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (iii) Release chum from August 1 through September 15.
 - (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, one additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (i) October 1 through January 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (j) Waters of Agate Pass west of a line from Point Monroe to Indianola and east of a line from Point Bolin to Battle Point: Fly fishing only, lead core lines prohibited, and catch and release from January 1 through January 31.
 - (k) February 1 through April 30: Closed.
 - (l) Elliott Bay Fishing Pier at Terminal 86, Seacrest Pier, Waterman Pier, Bremerton Boardwalk, and Illahee State Park Pier, open year-round:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.
 - (ii) Release chum from August 1 through September 15.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.
 - (m) Duwamish Waterway downstream from the First Avenue South Bridge to an east-west line projected through Southwest Hanford Street on Harbor Island, from July 1 through October 31 night closure, anti-snagging rule, and only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.
 - (9) **Catch Record Card Area 11:**
 - (a) May 1 through May 31: Closed.
 - (b) June 1 through June 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (ii) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock are closed.
 - (c) July 1 through September 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
 - (iv) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock, closed July 1 through July 31.
 - (d) October 1 through (~~(October)~~) December 31:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (e) (~~(November 1 through December 31: Daily limit of 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.~~) ~~(f)~~) January 1 through January 31: Closed.
 - (~~(g)~~) ~~(f)~~ February 1 through April 30:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
 - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
 - (ii) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock, closed from April 1 through April 30.
 - (~~(h)~~) ~~(g)~~ Dash Point Dock, Les Davis Pier, Des Moines Pier, Redondo Pier, and Point Defiance Boathouse Dock are open year-round:
 - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
 - (ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.
 - (10) **Catch Record Card Area 12:**
 - (a) May 1 through June 30: Closed.
 - (b) July 1 through October 15, in waters south of Ayock Point:
 - (i) Daily limit of 4 salmon; no more than 2 may be Chinook salmon.
 - (ii) Release chum and wild Chinook.
 - (c) July 1 through August 15, in waters north of Ayock Point: Closed.
 - (d) August 16 through October 15:
 - (i) Waters of Quilcene Bay north of a true east line from Whitney Point to the Toandos Peninsula, and south of a line true east from Broad Spit: Daily limit 4 coho salmon. Release all salmon except coho.
 - (ii) Waters north of a line true east from Broad Spit: Closed September 16 through October 15.
 - (iii) All other waters north of Ayock Point:
 - (A) August 16 through August 31: Closed.

(B) September 1 through October 15: Daily limit of 4 coho salmon. Release all salmon except coho.

(e) October 16 through December 31:

(i) Waters north of a line true east from Broad Spit - Closed.

(ii) All other waters except Hoodspout Hatchery Zone:

(A) Daily limit of 4 salmon; no more than 2 may be Chinook salmon.

(B) Release wild Chinook.

(f) January 1 through January 31: Closed.

(g) February 1 through April 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild Chinook.

(h) July 1 through December 31, the Hoodspout Hatchery Zone is managed separately from the remainder of Area 12. See WAC 220-56-124.

(11) **Catch Record Card Area 13:**

(a) May 1 through June 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild Chinook.

(iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.

(b) July 1 through September 30:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

(iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.

(iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

(c) October 1 through October 31:

(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.

(ii) Release wild Chinook and wild coho.

(iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.

(d) Waters at the mouth of Minter Creek within 1,000 feet of the outer oyster stakes are closed April 16 through September 30.

(e) Waters of Budd Inlet south of the Fourth Avenue Bridge are closed.

(i) Contiguous waters north of the Fourth Avenue Bridge and south of a line from the northwest corner of the Thriftway Market building and a point 100 yards north of the railroad bridge on the western shore are closed July 16 through October 31.

(ii) Waters north of the Thriftway Market-railroad bridge line and south of a line projected due west from the KGY radio tower: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from July 16 through October 31.

(f) November 1 through ~~((December 31))~~ April 30:

~~(i) Daily limit of 2 salmon((; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.~~

~~(g) January 1 through April 30: Daily limit of one salmon)) (ii) Release wild Chinook.~~

~~(iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.~~

~~((h)) (g) Fox Island Public Fishing Pier, open year-round:~~

~~(i) Daily limit 2 salmon; no more than one may be a Chinook salmon.~~

~~(ii) ((Release wild coho from July 1 through October 31.~~

~~((h))~~) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit July 1 through September 30.

(12) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

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PERMANENT RULES

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

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Rules Coordinator

NEW SECTION

WAC 308-56A-006 Quick titles—Issuance by subagents. (1) How may a subagent qualify to issue quick titles under RCW 46.12.555? Subagents may issue quick titles under the conditions and procedures established by the department.

(2) May a subagent's authority to issue quick titles be terminated or suspended? Yes, if the department or a vehicle licensing agent finds that a subagent has violated or no longer meets the qualifications or requirements of the department's policy or procedures regarding the issuance of quick titles the vehicle licensing agent may terminate or suspend

for any period of time the subagent's authority to issue quick titles.

WSR 14-16-037

PERMANENT RULES

HOUSING FINANCE COMMISSION

[Filed July 28, 2014, 9:55 a.m., effective August 28, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: The rule amends WAC 262-01-100 Financing energy efficiency improvements, to provide greater clarity to sustainable energy trust program participants regarding the operation of the program.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 262-01-100.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 43.180.140, 43.180.260.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-11-074 on May 20, 2014.

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Date Adopted: July 24, 2014.

Paul R. Edwards
Deputy Director

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 83-24-001, (Resolution No. 83-12), filed 11/28/83)

WAC 262-01-100 (Financing energy efficiency improvements) as follows: (1) The commission, in developing its plan of housing finance, shall consider energy efficiency improvements that may reasonably be achieved through the housing finance programs of the commission.

(2) The commission may, as part of a particular single family mortgage purchase bond issue, require minimum energy efficiency standards as a condition of eligibility for housing finance assistance or the commission may make bond proceeds available for rehabilitation or home improvement loans for energy efficiency enhancement.

(3) The commission (~~shall~~) may require applicants for multifamily housing financing to specify what steps will be taken to insure energy efficiency in the project to be financed. The commission (~~shall~~) may consider such plans in deter-

mining whether or not bond proceeds may be used for such purposes.

(4) In administering a sustainable energy trust program pursuant to RCW 43.180.260, the commission may (a) provide loan financing for qualified energy efficiency and renewable energy improvements by making loans or by buying or investing in loans or participations therein, and (b) establish eligibility criteria for projects and borrowers.

Reviser's note: RCW 34.05.395 requires the use of underlining and deletion marks to indicate amendments to existing rules. The rule published above varies from its predecessor in certain respects not indicated by the use of these markings.

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 14-16-039

PERMANENT RULES

DEPARTMENT OF

EARLY LEARNING

[Filed July 28, 2014, 1:08 p.m., effective August 28, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: To allow family home child care applicants another means of meeting the requirement to have education equivalent to a high school diploma, i.e., by completing the department of early learning approved early childhood education initial certificate.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 170-296A-1725.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 43.215.060 and 43.215.070; chapter 43.215 RCW.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-13-112 on June 18, 2014.

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Date Adopted: July 28, 2014.

Elizabeth M. Hyde
Director

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-21-112, filed 10/22/13, effective 11/22/13)

WAC 170-296A-1725 Licensee minimum education.

(1) For any initial family home child care license issued on or after March 31, 2012, the applicant must have a high school diploma.

(2) If the applicant does not have a high school diploma, he or she must submit written evidence of equivalent education. As used in this section, "equivalent education" means:

(a) Passing the general educational development (GED) tests;

(b) Completion of twelve years of elementary and secondary education;

(c) Possessing a current child development associate (CDA) credential as approved through the council for professional recognition; ~~((or))~~

(d) Completion of forty-five credits of post secondary education; or

(e) Completion of the department approved early childhood education initial certificate.

(3) In addition to equivalent education defined within this section, a family home child care licensee licensed prior to March 31, 2012, and continuously maintaining the license may meet the "equivalent education" requirement by achieving a level three rating in the early achievers program, Washington state's quality rating improvement system, prior to March 31, 2017.

WSR 14-16-052

PERMANENT RULES

HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

(Medicaid Program)

[Filed July 29, 2014, 2:24 p.m., effective August 29, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: Medicaid Expansion Rules – Phase 2. The health care authority (HCA) is implementing new regulations under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act in preparation for health care reform in Washington state. This includes the establishment of standalone rules for medical assistance programs, which are required under 2E2SHB 1738, Laws of 2011, which creates HCA as the single state agency responsible for the administrations and supervision of Washington's medicaid program (Washington apple health (WAH)).

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Repealing WAC 182-505-0220, 182-505-0230, 182-505-0245 and 182-505-0515; and amending WAC 182-500-0020, 182-500-0030, 182-503-0505, 182-503-0520, 182-503-0540, 182-504-0015, 182-504-0125, 182-505-0100, 182-505-0115, 182-505-0210, 182-505-0215, 182-505-0235, 182-505-0237, and 182-505-0240.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 41.05.021, 41.05.160.

Other Authority: Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111-148); 42 C.F.R. § 431, 435, and 457; and 45 C.F.R. § 155.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-10-057 on May 2, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: The following changes were made from the version filed as WSR 14-10-079 on May 6, 2014:

WAC 182-503-0001

(1) For the purposes of this chapter, "we" or "us" refers to the agency or its designee and "you" refers to the applicant for, or recipient of, health care coverage.

WAC 182-503-0005

(1)(d) For the pregnant minor program (see WAC 182-505-0117) and for minors living independently, complete a separate application directly with the agency.

(2) You may start an application for WAH by giving us at least the following information:

(a) Providing the name of the primary applicant or head of household;

(b) Providing birth dates for everyone in your household; and

(c) Providing your address and/or telephone number; and

(d) Signing the application.

WAC 182-503-0010

(3) If you reside in one of the following facilities an institution of mental diseases (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(1)) or a public institution (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(4)), including a Washington state department of corrections facility, city or county jail, or secure community transition facility or total confinement facility (as defined in RCW 71.09.020), and the facility has entered into and is operating under a memorandum of understanding with the agency, the agency will coordinate with the facility for you to enroll you in get the WAH coverage for which you are determined eligible no later than the day you are released. ~~to:~~

~~(a) A correctional institution, as defined in RCW 9.94.049, including:~~

~~(i) Washington state department of corrections facilities;~~

~~(ii) City or county jails; and~~

~~(iii) Secure community transition facilities and total confinement facilities, as defined in RCW 71.09.020, including the special commitment center.~~

~~(b) An institution for mental disease (IMD).~~

WAC 182-503-0505

(3), deleted reference to "identity" in (a); inserted parentheses in (b), (c), and (d).

(6) Persons terminated from SSI or who lose eligibility for categorically needy (CN) or Alternative Benefits Plan (ABP) coverage have their CN or ABP coverage continued while their eligibility for other health care programs is determined. See WAC 182-504-0125.

WAC 182-503-0540

(3) You must cooperate with us in identifying, using or collecting third-party benefits. If you do not cooperate, your health care coverage may end unless you can show good reason not to cooperate with us. Examples of good reason include, but are not limited to:

(a) Your reasonable belief that cooperating with us would result in serious physical or emotional harm to you, or a child in your care, ~~or a child related to you;~~ and

(b) Your being incapacitated without the ~~physical~~ ability to cooperate with us.

WAC 182-504-0035

(1)(b) "You may complete renewals online, by phone, or ~~by paper application that you mailed mail or faxed fax~~ to us (the agency or its designee)."

(5) We reconsider our decision that you are not eligible for WAH coverage without a new application from you when:

(a) We receive the information that we need to decide if you are eligible within thirty days of the date on the termination notice; or

(b) You request a hearing within ninety days of the date on the renewal denial letter and an administrative law judge (ALJ) or HCA review judge decides our decision was wrong (per chapter 182-526 WAC).

(6) If you disagree with our decision, you can ask for a hearing. If we decided that you are not eligible for renewal because we don't have enough information, the ALJ will consider the information we already have and any more information you give us. The ALJ does not consider the previous absence of information or failure to respond in determining if you are eligible.

WAC 182-505-0210

(6)(b) Reside or are expected to reside in an institution for mental diseases (IMD) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(1)) or inpatient psychiatric facility:

(11) Children who are incarcerated in a public institution (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(4)), ~~or a city or county jail, that is not an IMD,~~ are not eligible for any WAH program unless they are receiving inpatient hospital services outside of the public institution, with the following exceptions:

(a) Children who reside in an IMD as described in subsection (6) of this section; or

(b) Children who are released from a public institution or city or county jail to a hospital for inpatient treatment. Children who are released from an IMD to a hospital setting must be unconditionally discharged from the IMD to qualify for coverage under this provision.

(12) Children who reside in a public institution that is an IMD are eligible for WAH under this section but are not eligible to receive inpatient hospital services outside of the IMD unless they are unconditionally discharged from the IMD prior to receiving such services.

WAC 182-505-0225

This section has been removed from the proposal.

WAC 182-518-0005

~~(4) If you are receiving limited English proficient services, We send notices to you in your primary language if you ask us and in English according to the rules in WAC 182-503-0110. If you are receiving equal access services need help to apply for or access your health care coverage due to a disability, we follow the equal access rules described in WAC 182-503-0120.~~

WAC 182-518-0010

(2) Denial and withdrawal notices include:

(a) The date of denial;

(b) Specific facts and reason(s) supporting the decision; ~~and~~

(c) Specific rules or statutes that support or require the decision; ~~and~~

(d) Information to get help applying for non-modified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-based WAH.

(3)(e) Notice of administrative hearing rights.

WAC 182-518-0025

(2) Before we send any notices to end your WAH coverage because your income is more than the modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) standard, we determine if you are eligible for other health care coverage (including non-MAGI-based WAH coverage) based on information you have provided, as described in WAC 182-504-0125.

(3)(b) We are changing or ending your coverage due ~~only~~ to a change in law;

(3)(d) We are ending your coverage because mail we sent you was returned to us with no forwarding address and we do not have a more current address for you;

(3)(f) We have facts indicating probable fraud by you, in which case we may notify you five days before we change or end your coverage.

(4) If we do not have to give ten days' advance notice, we send the notice right away after getting the information that caused the change, but no later than the date we took the action ~~described in the notice is about.~~

(5) You may request an appeal if you disagree with our decision to change or end your health care coverage ~~and you may request~~ get continued coverage as described in WAC 182-504-0130.

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Kevin M. Sullivan
Rules Coordinator

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-500-0020 Medical assistance definitions—
C. "Caretaker relative" means a relative of a dependent child by blood, adoption, or marriage with whom the child is

living, who assumes primary responsibility for the child's care, and who is one of the following:

(1) The child's father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, brother, sister, stepfather, stepmother, stepbrother, stepsister, uncle, aunt, first cousin, nephew, or niece.

(2) The spouse of such parent or relative (including same sex marriage or domestic partner), even after the marriage is terminated by death or divorce.

(3) Other relatives including relatives of half-blood, first cousins once removed, persons of earlier generations (as shown by the prefixes of great, great-great, or great-great-great), and natural parents whose parental rights were terminated by a court order.

"Carrier" means an organization that contracts with the federal government to process claims under medicare Part B.

"Categorically needy (CN) or categorically needy program (CNP)" is the state and federally funded health care program established under Title XIX of the Social Security Act for persons within medicaid-eligible categories, whose income and/or resources are at or below set standards.

"Categorically needy income level (CNIL)" is the standard used by the agency to determine eligibility under a categorically needy program.

"Categorically needy (CN) scope of care" is the range of health care services included within the scope of service categories described in WAC ((388-501-0060)) 182-501-0060 available to ~~((individuals))~~ persons eligible to receive benefits under a CN program. Some state-funded health care programs provide CN scope of care.

"Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)" means the agency within the federal department of health and human services (DHHS) with oversight responsibility for the medicare and medicaid programs.

"Children's health program or children's health care programs" See "Apple health for kids."

"Community spouse." See "spouse" in WAC ((388-500-0100)) 182-500-100.

"Cost-sharing" means any expenditure required by or on behalf of an enrollee with respect to essential health benefits: such term includes deductibles, coinsurance, copayments, or similar charges, but excludes premiums, balance billing amounts for nonnetwork providers, and spending for noncovered services.

"Cost-sharing reductions" means reductions in cost-sharing for an eligible person enrolled in a silver level plan in the health benefit exchange or for a person who is an American Indian or Alaska native enrolled in a qualified health plan (QHP) in the exchange.

"Couple." See "spouse" in WAC ((388-500-0100)) 182-500-0100.

"Covered service" is a health care service contained within a "service category" that is included in a medical assistance benefits package described in WAC ((388-501-0060)) 182-501-0060. For conditions of payment, see WAC ((388-501-0050)) 182-501-0050(5). A noncovered service is a specific health care service (for example, cosmetic surgery), contained within a service category that is included in a medical assistance benefits package, for which the agency or the agency's designee requires an approved exception to rule (ETR) (see WAC ((388-501-0160)) 182-501-0160). A non-

covered service is not an excluded service (see WAC ((388-501-0060)) 182-501-0060).

"Creditable coverage" means most types of public and private health coverage, except Indian health services, that provide access to physicians, hospitals, laboratory services, and radiology services. This term applies to the coverage whether or not the coverage is equivalent to that offered under premium-based programs included in Washington apple health (WAH). Creditable coverage is described in 42 U.S.C. 300gg-3 (c)(1).

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-075, filed 6/30/11, effective 7/1/11)

WAC 182-500-0030 Medical assistance definitions—
E. "Early and periodic screening, diagnosis and treatment (EPSDT)" is a comprehensive child health program that entitles infants, children, and youth to preventive care and treatment services. EPSDT is available to persons twenty years of age and younger who are eligible for any agency health care program. Access and services for EPSDT are governed by federal rules at 42 C.F.R., Part 441, Subpart B. See also chapter ((388-534)) 182-534 WAC.

"Emergency medical condition" means the sudden onset of a medical condition (including labor and delivery) manifesting itself by acute symptoms of sufficient severity (including severe pain) such that the absence of immediate medical attention could reasonably be expected to result in:

- (1) Placing the patient's health in serious jeopardy;
- (2) Serious impairment to bodily functions; or
- (3) Serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part.

~~("Emergency medical expense requirement (EMER)" see WAC 388-865-0217(3).)~~

"Employer-sponsored dependent coverage" means creditable health coverage for dependents offered by a family member's employer or union, for which the employer or union may contribute in whole or in part towards the premium. Extensions of such coverage (e.g., COBRA extensions) also qualify as employer-sponsored dependent coverage as long as there remains a contribution toward the premiums by the employer or union.

"Evidence-based medicine (EBM)" means the application of a set of principles and a method for the review of well-designed studies and objective clinical data to determine the level of evidence that proves to the greatest extent possible, that a health care service is safe, effective, and beneficial when making:

(1) Population-based health care coverage policies (WAC ((388-501-0055)) 182-501-0055 describes how the agency or ~~((the agency's))~~ its designee determines coverage of services for its health care programs by using evidence and criteria based on health technology assessments); and

(2) Individual medical necessity decisions (WAC ((388-501-0165)) 182-501-0165 describes how the agency or ~~((the agency's))~~ its designee uses the best evidence available to determine if a service is medically necessary as defined in WAC ((388-500-0030)) 182-500-0030).

"Exception to rule." See WAC ((388-501-0160)) 182-501-0160 for exceptions to noncovered health care services.

supplies, and equipment. See WAC 182-503-0090 for exceptions to program eligibility.

"Expedited prior authorization (EPA)" means the process for obtaining authorization for selected health care services in which providers use a set of numeric codes to indicate to the agency or the agency's designee which acceptable indications, conditions, or agency or agency's designee-defined criteria are applicable to a particular request for authorization. EPA is a form of "prior authorization."

"Extended care services" means nursing and rehabilitative care in a skilled nursing facility provided to a recently hospitalized medicare patient.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0001 Insurance affordability programs—Overview. (1) For the purposes of this chapter, "we" or "us" refers to the agency or its designee and "you" refers to the applicant for, or recipient of, health care coverage.

(2) A person may apply for all of the insurance affordability programs offered through the health care authority (HCA) or the Washington Healthplanfinder (as defined in WAC 182-500-0015):

(a) Washington apple health (WAH) programs (defined in WAC 182-500-0120). WAH includes medicaid programs (defined in WAC 182-500-0070), the children's health insurance program (CHIP) (defined in WAC 182-500-0020), and state-only funded health care programs. These programs are provided free or at low cost on a sliding scale to eligible persons based on their income. WAH program regulations for the application process and eligibility determination are found in chapters 182-503 through 182-527 WAC.

(b) Health insurance premium tax credits (defined in WAC 182-500-0045). This federal refundable tax credit partially offsets the cost of monthly premiums for qualified health plan (QHP) (defined in WAC 182-500-0090) insurance that an eligible person purchases through the Washington Healthplanfinder. Any advance payments of the tax credit are reconciled annually by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) when the person files his or her federal tax return.

(c) Cost-sharing reductions. Cost-sharing reductions (defined in WAC 182-500-0020) are available to eligible persons enrolled in a silver-level QHP and to American Indians/Alaska Natives enrolled in any QHP.

(3) A person may also apply for and enroll in unsubsidized insurance with a QHP. This unsubsidized insurance is not an insurance affordability program.

(4) Persons choose whether or not to apply for insurance affordability programs. All persons who apply for an insurance affordability program are treated as an applicant for WAH coverage and receive an approval or denial of WAH. Applicants who are denied WAH are reviewed for other insurance affordability programs.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0005 Washington apple health—How to apply. (1) You may apply for Washington apple health (WAH) by giving us (the medicaid agency or its designee) an application as follows:

(a) For WAH for parents and caretaker relatives, adults, pregnant women, or kids (with or without premiums):

(i) Online via the Washington Healthplanfinder at <http://www.wahealthplanfinder.org>;

(ii) By calling the Washington Healthplanfinder customer support center number;

(iii) By mail to Washington Healthplanfinder, the agency or its designee; or

(iv) By fax to Washington Healthplanfinder.

(b) For WAH medical programs for persons age sixty-five or older, persons on medicare, persons applying for health care based on blindness or disability, or persons applying for long-term care services:

(i) Online via Washington Connection at <http://www.waconnection.org>;

(ii) By mail to community services division of the department of social and health services (DSHS); or

(iii) At a local DSHS office.

(c) For the breast and cervical cancer treatment program (see WAC 182-505-0120), the TAKE CHARGE program (see chapter 182-532 WAC), and the kidney disease program (chapter 182-540 WAC), complete a separate application directly with a program provider.

(d) For the pregnant minor program (see WAC 182-505-0117) and for minors living independently, complete a separate application directly with the agency.

More information on how to give us an application may be found at the agency's web site: <http://www.hca.wa.gov>.

(2) You may start an application for WAH by:

(a) Providing the name of the primary applicant or head of household;

(b) Providing birth dates;

(c) Providing your address and/or telephone number; and

(d) Signing the application.

(3) To complete an application for WAH, you must also give us all of the other information requested on the application form.

(4) If you need help filing an application, you can:

(a) For WAH for parents and caretaker relatives, adults, pregnant women, or kids (with or without premiums):

(i) Contact the Washington Healthplanfinder customer support center number listed on the application form or medical eligibility determination services at the number provided on the agency's web site, <http://www.hca.wa.gov>; or

(ii) Contact an application assistor, certified application counselor or navigator.

(b) For WAH medical programs for persons age sixty-five or older, persons on medicare, persons applying for health care based on blindness or disability, or persons applying for long-term care services:

(i) Visit a local DSHS office; or

(ii) Call the DSHS community services division customer service contact center.

(c) Have an authorized representative apply on your behalf as described in WAC 182-500-0010.

(5) We will help you with the application or renewal process in a manner that is accessible to persons with disabilities as described in WAC 182-503-0120 and in a manner that is accessible to those who are limited-English proficient as described in WAC 182-503-0110.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0010 Washington apple health—Who can apply. (1) You may apply for Washington apple health (WAH) for yourself.

(2) You can apply for WAH for another person if you are:

- (a) A legal guardian;
- (b) An authorized representative (as described in WAC 182-500-0010);
- (c) A parent or caretaker relative of a child less than nineteen years of age;
- (d) A tax filer applying for a tax dependent less than nineteen years of age;
- (e) A spouse; or
- (f) A person applying for someone who is unable to apply on their own due to a medical condition and who is in need of long-term care services.

(3) If you reside in an institution of mental diseases (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(1)) or a public institution (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(4)), including a Washington state department of corrections facility, city or county jail, or secure community transition facility or total confinement facility (as defined in RCW 71.09.020), and the facility has entered into and is operating under a memorandum of understanding with the agency, the agency will coordinate with the facility for you to get the WAH coverage for which you are determined eligible no later than the day you are released.

(4) You are automatically enrolled in WAH and do not need to turn in an application if you are a:

- (a) Supplemental security income (SSI) recipient;
- (b) Person deemed to be an SSI recipient under 1619(b) of the SSA;
- (c) Newborn as described in WAC 182-505-0210; or
- (d) Child in foster care placement as described in WAC 182-505-0211.

(5) You are the primary applicant on an application if you complete and sign the application on behalf of your household.

(6) If you are an SSI recipient, then you, your authorized representative as defined in WAC 182-500-0010, or another person applying on your behalf as described in subsection (2) of this section, must turn in a signed application to apply for long-term care services as described in WAC 182-513-1315.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0060 Washington apple health (WAH)—Application processing times. (1) We process applications for Washington apple health (WAH) within forty-five calendar days, with the following exceptions:

- (a) If you are pregnant, we process your application within fifteen calendar days;
- (b) If you are applying for a program that requires a disability decision, we process your application within sixty calendar days; or
- (c) The modified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-based WAH application process using Washington Healthplanfinder may provide faster or real-time determination of eligibility for medicaid.

(2) For calculating time limits, "day one" is the day we get an application from you that includes at least the information described in WAC 182-503-0005(2). If you give us your paper application during business hours, "day one" is the day you give us your application. If you give us your paper application outside of business hours, "day one" is the next business day. If you experience technical difficulties while attempting to give us your application in Washington Healthplanfinder, "day one" is the day we are able to determine, based on the evidence available, that you first tried to submit an application that included at least the information described in WAC 182-503-0005(2).

(3) We determine eligibility as quickly as possible and respond promptly to applications and information received. We do not delay a decision by using the time limits in this section as a waiting period.

(4) If we need more information to decide if you can get WAH coverage, we will send you a letter within twenty calendar days of your initial application that:

- (a) Follows the rules in chapter 182-518 WAC;
 - (b) States the additional information we need; and
 - (c) Allows at least ten calendar days to provide it. We will allow you more time if you ask for more time or need an accommodation due to disability or limited-English proficiency.
- (5) Good cause for a delay in processing the application exists when we acted as promptly as possible but:
- (a) The delay was the result of an emergency beyond our control;
 - (b) The delay was the result of needing more information or documents that could not be readily obtained;
 - (c) You did not give us the information within the time frame specified in subsection (1) of this section.
- (6) Good cause for a delay in processing the application does NOT exist when:
- (a) We caused the delay in processing by:
 - (i) Failing to ask you for information timely; or
 - (ii) Failing to act promptly on requested information when you provided it timely; or
 - (b) We did not document the good cause reason before missing a time frame specified in subsection (1) of this section.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0070 Washington apple health (WAH)—When coverage begins. (1) Your Washington apple health (WAH) coverage starts on the first day of the month you applied for and we decided you are eligible to receive coverage, unless one of the exceptions in subsection (4) of this section applies to you.

(2) Sometimes we can start your coverage up to three months before the month you applied (see WAC 182-504-0005).

(3) If you are confined or incarcerated as described in WAC 182-503-0010, your coverage cannot start before the day you are discharged, except when:

- (a) You are hospitalized during your confinement; and
- (b) The hospital requires you to stay overnight.

(4) Your WAH coverage may not begin on the first day of the month if:

(a) Subsection (3) of this section applies to you. In that case, your coverage would start on the first day of your hospital stay;

(b) You must meet a medically needy spenddown liability (see WAC 182-519-0110). In that case, your coverage would start on the day your spenddown is met; or

(c) You are eligible under the WAH alien emergency medical program (see WAC 182-507-0115). In that case, your coverage would start on the day your emergent hospital stay begins.

(5) For long-term care, the date your services start is described in WAC 388-106-0045.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0080 Washington apple health—Application denials and withdrawals. (1) We follow the rules about notices and letters in chapter 182-518 WAC. We follow the rules about timelines in WAC 182-503-0060.

(2) We deny your application for Washington apple health (WAH) coverage when:

(a) You tell us either orally or in writing to withdraw your request for coverage; or

(b) Based on all information we have received from you and other sources within the time frames stated in WAC 182-503-0060, including any extra time given at your request or to accommodate a disability or limited-English proficiency:

- (i) We are unable to determine that you are eligible; or
- (ii) We determine that you are not eligible.

(3) We send you a written notice explaining why we denied your application (per chapter 182-518 WAC).

(4) We reconsider our decision to deny your WAH coverage without a new application from you when:

(a) We receive the information that we need to decide if you are eligible within thirty days of the date on the denial notice; or

(b) You request a hearing within ninety days of the date on the denial letter and an administrative law judge (ALJ) or HCA review judge decides our denial was wrong (per chapter 182-526 WAC).

(5) If you disagree with our decision, you can ask for a hearing. If we denied your application because we don't have enough information, the ALJ will consider the information we already have and anymore information you give us. The ALJ does not consider the previous absence of information or failure to respond in determining if you are eligible.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0515 Washington apple health—Social Security number requirements. (1) To be eligible for Washington apple health (WAH), you must provide your valid Social Security number (SSN) or proof of application for an SSN, except as provided in subsections (5) and (6) of this section.

(2) If you are not able to provide your SSN, either because you do not know it or it has not been issued, you must provide:

(a) Proof from the Social Security Administration (SSA) that you turned in an application for an SSN; and

(b) The SSN when you receive it.

(3) Your WAH coverage will not be delayed, denied or terminated while waiting for SSA to send you your SSN.

(4) If you do not provide your SSN, then you will not receive WAH coverage except if you:

(a) Refused to apply for or provide your SSN for religious reasons;

(b) Claim good cause for not providing your SSN because of domestic violence;

(c) Have a newborn as described in WAC 182-505-0210(1). A newborn is eligible for WAH coverage until the baby's first birthday.

(5) There is no SSN requirement for the following:

(a) WAH refugee medical;

(b) WAH alien emergency medical;

(c) WAH programs for children and pregnant women who do not meet citizenship criteria described in WAC 182-503-0535;

(d) A household member who is not applying for WAH coverage.

(6) If you are a "qualified" or "nonqualified" alien as defined in WAC 182-503-0530 who is not authorized to work in the U.S., you do not have to apply for a nonwork SSN.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0525 Washington apple health—Residency requirements for an institutionalized person. (1) An institutionalized person is a person who resides in an institution as defined in WAC 182-500-0050. The term "person" used in this section means an "institutionalized person" unless otherwise indicated. It does not include persons who receive services under a home and community-based waiver program. When a state is making a placement for a person in another state, the term institution also includes foster care homes, licensed as described in 45 C.F.R. 1355.20.

(2) The agency must determine whether a person is capable of indicating their intent to reside in Washington state when deciding whether that person is a resident of the state. The agency determines that persons who meet the following criteria are deemed incapable of indicating intent to reside in the state:

(a) The person is judged legally incompetent by a court of law;

(b) A physician, psychologist or licensed medical professional in the field of intellectual disabilities has determined that the person is incapable of indicating intent; or

(c) The person is incapable of declaring intent due to a documented medical condition.

(3) When a person is placed in an out-of-state institution by the agency, its designee or by a department of social and health services-contracted agency, the state arranging the placement is considered the person's state of residence, unless the person is capable of expressing intent and:

(a) Indicates a desire to change his or her state of residence; or

(b) Asks the current state of residence for help in relocating. This may include assistance in locating an institutional placement in the new state of residence.

(4) If another state has not authorized the placement in the institution, as described in subsection (3) of this section, the agency or its designee uses one of the following criteria to determine the state of residence for a person who is age twenty or younger:

(a) The state of residence is the state where the parent or legal guardian is a resident at the time of the placement in the institution. To determine a parent's or legal guardian's place of residence, follow rules described in WAC 182-503-0520 for a noninstitutionalized person.

(b) The state of residence is the state where the parent or legal guardian currently is a resident if the person resides in an institution in that state.

(c) If the parents of the person are separated and live in different states, the state of residence is that of the parent filing the application.

(d) If the parental rights are terminated and the person has a legal guardian, the state of residence is where the legal guardian is a resident.

(e) If the person has both a guardian of the estate and a guardian of the person, the state of residence is where the guardian of the person is a resident, unless the state has laws which delegate guardianship to a state official or agency for persons who are admitted to state institutions. In that case, the state of residence for the person is the state where the institution is located (unless another state has authorized the placement).

(f) If the person has been abandoned by the parents or legal guardian, and an application is filed on their behalf by another party, the state of residence is the state where the person is institutionalized. The term abandoned also includes situations where the parents or legal guardian are deceased.

(5) A person age twenty-one or older that is capable of indicating intent is considered a resident of the state where he or she is living and intends to reside.

(6) A person age twenty-one or older who became incapable of indicating intent at age twenty-one or older is considered a resident of the state where the person is physically residing, unless the person has been placed in the institution by another state.

(7) A person age twenty-one or older who became incapable of indicating intent before the age of twenty-one is considered a resident of the state where the parents or legal guardian were residents at the time of the placement in the institution.

(8) If a noninstitutionalized person moves directly from another state to an institution in Washington state, it is not necessary for the person to establish residency in Washington state prior to entering the facility. The person is considered a resident if he or she intends to reside in the state unless the placement was made by the other state.

(9) A person of any age who receives a state supplemental payment (SSP) is considered a resident of the state that is making the payment.

(10) In a dispute between states, the state of residence is the state in which the person is physically located.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0535 Washington apple health—Citizenship and alien status. (1) To receive Washington apple health (WAH) coverage, you must meet all other eligibility requirements and be one of the following as defined in WAC 182-503-0530:

- (a) A United States (U.S.) citizen;
- (b) A U.S. national;
- (c) A qualified alien; or
- (d) A nonqualified alien and you are a:
 - (i) Pregnant woman;
 - (ii) Person who is otherwise eligible for medical care services (see WAC 182-508-0005);
 - (iii) Child under age nineteen; or
 - (iv) Child under age twenty-one who resides in an institution.

(2) If you are a nonqualified alien approved under deferred action childhood arrivals (DACA), then you are not eligible for WAH under subsection (1)(d) of this section. However, you may qualify under subsection (6) of this section.

(3) If you are a qualified alien as defined in WAC 182-503-0530, who physically entered the U.S. before August 22, 1996, you may receive WAH for nonpregnant adults if you:

- (a) Became a qualified alien before August 22, 1996; or
- (b) Became a qualified alien on or after August 22, 1996, and have continuously resided in the U.S. between your date of entry into the U.S. and the date on which you became a qualified alien.

(4) If you are a qualified alien who physically entered the U.S. on or after August 22, 1996, and you are a nonpregnant adult, you are not eligible to receive WAH for five years beginning on the day you most recently became a qualified alien, unless you meet one of the exemptions in subsection (5) of this section. This is called the five-year bar. The five-year bar starts on the day you obtain qualified alien status.

(5) You are exempt from the five-year bar if you are one of the following qualified aliens as defined in WAC 182-503-0530:

- (a) Amerasian lawful permanent residents;
- (b) Asylees;
- (c) Cuban/Haitian entrants;
- (d) Persons granted withholding of deportation or removal;
- (e) Refugees;
- (f) Special immigrants from Iraq and Afghanistan;
- (g) Victims of trafficking who have been certified or had their eligibility approved by the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR); and
- (h) American Indians born outside the U.S. without regard to immigration status or date of entry if:
 - (i) They were born in Canada and are fifty percent American Indian blood (but need not belong to a federally recognized tribe); or
 - (ii) They are members of a federally recognized Indian tribe or Alaskan Native village or corporation; and
- (i) Lawful permanent residents, parolees, or battered aliens, who are also an armed services member or veteran, or a family member of an armed services member or veteran, as described below:

- (i) On active duty in the U.S. military, other than active duty for training;
 - (ii) An honorably discharged U.S. veteran;
 - (iii) A veteran of the military forces of the Philippines who served prior to July 1st, 1946, as described in Title 38, Section 107 of the U.S. Code; or
 - (iv) The spouse, unremarried widow or widower, or unmarried dependent child of a veteran or active duty service member.
- (6) If you are ineligible for WAH because of the five-year bar or because of your immigration status, including if you are approved under DACA, you may be eligible for:
- (a) The WAH alien emergency medical program as described in WAC 182-507-0110 through 182-507-0125;
 - (b) WAH pregnancy medical for noncitizen women as described in WAC 182-505-0115;
 - (c) WAH for kids for pregnant minors as described in WAC 182-505-0117;
 - (d) State-funded WAH for kids as described in WAC 182-505-0210; or
 - (e) The medical care services (MCS) program as described in chapter 182-508 WAC.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-503-0565 Washington apple health—Age requirements for medical programs based on modified adjusted gross income (MAGI). The following age requirements apply to persons whose eligibility for Washington apple health (WAH) is based on modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) methodology per WAC 182-509-0305.

- (1) You must be age sixty-four or younger to be eligible for WAH MAGI-based adult coverage as described in WAC 182-505-0250.
- (2) Your household must include an eligible dependent child age seventeen or younger to be eligible for WAH parent or caretaker relative coverage as described in WAC 182-505-0240. For purposes of this subsection, an "eligible dependent child" is a child related to you in one of the ways described in WAC 182-500-0020.
- (3) A child must be age eighteen or younger to be eligible for WAH for kids as described in WAC 182-505-0210 with the following exceptions:
 - (a) An institutionalized child may still qualify under a children's health care program through the age of twenty-one (see WAC 182-514-0230);
 - (b) A foster care child may qualify for WAH foster care coverage through the age of twenty-six (see WAC 182-505-0211).

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-503-0505 Washington apple health—General eligibility requirements ((for medical programs)). (1) Persons applying for ~~((benefits under the medical coverage))~~ Washington apple health (WAH) programs established under chapter 74.09 RCW must meet the eligibility criteria ~~((established by the department))~~ in chapters ~~((388-400))~~ 182-500 through ((388-555)) 182-527 WAC.

(2) Persons applying for ~~((medical coverage))~~ WAH are considered first for federally funded or federally matched programs. State-funded programs are considered after the person is determined ineligible for federally funded and federally matched programs ((are not available to the client except for brief periods when the state-funded programs offer a broad scope of care which meet a specific client need)).

(3) Unless otherwise specified in a program specific WAC, the eligibility criteria for each ~~((medical))~~ WAH program ~~((is))~~ are as follows:

- ~~((Verification of age and identity (chapters 388-404, 388-406, and 388-490))~~ Age (WAC 182-503-0050); ((and))
- ~~((Residence in Washington state ((chapter 388-468 WAC))~~ (WAC 182-503-0520 and 182-503-0525); ((and))
- ~~((Citizenship or immigration status in the United States ((chapter 388-424 WAC))~~ (WAC 182-503-0535); ((and))
- ~~((Possession of a valid Social Security account number ((chapter 388-476 WAC))~~ (WAC 182-503-0515); ((and))
- ~~((Assignment of medical support rights to the state of Washington (WAC ((388-505-0540))~~ 182-503-0540); ((and))
- ~~((Cooperation in securing medical support (chapter 388-422 WAC); and~~
- ~~((g))~~ Application for medicare and enrollment into medicare's prescription drug program if:

(i) It is likely that the ~~((individual))~~ person is entitled to medicare; and

(ii) The state has authority to pay medicare cost sharing as described in chapter ~~((388-517))~~ 182-517 WAC.

~~((h))~~ (g) For persons whose eligibility is not on the basis of modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) methodology, countable resources must be within specific program limits (chapters ((388-470 and 388-478)) 182-512, 182-513, 182-515, 182-517, and 182-519 WAC); and

~~((i))~~ (h) Countable income within program limits ((chapters 388-450 and 388-478 WAC).)):

(i) For MAGI-based WAH programs, see WAC 182-505-0100;

(ii) For the WAH refugee program, see WAC 182-507-0110;

(iii) For the WAH medical care services program, see WAC 182-508-0150;

(iv) For WAH for workers with disabilities (HWD), see WAC 182-511-0060;

(v) For the WAH SSI-related program, see WAC 182-512-0010;

(vi) For WAH long-term care programs, see WAC 182-513-1300 and 182-515-1500;

(vii) For WAH medicare savings programs, see WAC 182-517-0100; and

(viii) For the WAH medically needy program, see WAC 182-519-0050.

(4) In addition to the general eligibility requirements in subsection (3) of this section, each program has specific eligibility requirements as described in applicable WAC.

(5) Persons ~~((living))~~ in a public institution, including a correctional facility, are not eligible for ~~((the department's medical coverage))~~ WAH programs ~~((For a person)),~~ except in the following situations:

(a) The person is under age twenty or over age sixty-five ((who)) and is a patient in an institution for mental disease (see WAC ((388-513-1315(13) for exception-)) 182-513-1315(13)); or

(b) The person receives inpatient hospital services outside of the public institution or correctional facility.

(6) Persons terminated from SSI or ((TANF cash grants and those)) who lose eligibility for categorically needy (CN) ((medical coverage have their CN coverage continued)) or alternative benefits plan (ABP) coverage receive coverage under the WAH program with the highest scope of care for which they may be eligible while their eligibility for other ((medical)) health care programs is ((redetermined. This continuation of medical coverage is described in chapter 388-434 WAC)) determined. See WAC 182-504-0125.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-051, filed 9/13/12, effective 10/14/12)

WAC 182-503-0520 Washington apple health—Residency requirements ((for medical care services (MCS))—Persons who are not residing in an institution. ((This section applies to medical care services (MCS).))

(1) A resident is ((an individual who:

(a)) a person (including an emancipated person under age eighteen and a married person under age eighteen who is capable of indicating intent) who currently lives in Washington and;

(a) Intends to ((continue living here permanently or for an indefinite period of time)) reside here, including persons without a fixed address; or

(b) Entered the state looking for a job; or

(c) Entered the state with a job commitment.

(2) ((An individual)) A person does not need to live in the state for a specific period of time prior to ((be)) meeting the requirements in subsection (1) of this section before being considered a resident.

(3) ((An individual receiving MCS)) A child under age eighteen who is not covered by subsection (1) of this section, is a resident if:

(a) The child lives in the state, with or without a fixed address, including with a custodial parent or caretaker; or

(b) The child's parent or caretaker is a resident as defined in subsection (1) of this section.

(4) A resident applying for or receiving health care coverage can temporarily be out of the state for more than one month((. If so, the individual must provide the agency or the agency's designee with adequate information to demonstrate the intent to continue to reside in the state of Washington.

(4) An individual may not receive comparable benefits from another state for the MCS program.

(5) A former resident of the state can apply for MCS while living in another state if:

(a) The individual:

(i) Plans to return to this state;

(ii) Intends to maintain a residence in this state; and

(iii) Lives in the United States at the time of the application.

(b) In addition to the conditions in (a)(i), (ii), and (iii) of this subsection being met, the absence must be:

(i) Enforced and beyond the individual's control; or

(ii) Essential to the individual's welfare and is due to physical or social needs.

(e) See WAC 388-406-0035, 388-406-0040, and 388-406-0045 for time limits on processing applications.

(6) Residency is not a requirement for detoxification services.

(7) An individual is not a resident when the individual enters Washington state only for medical care. This individual is not eligible for any medical program. The only exception is described in subsection (8) of this section.

(8) It is not necessary for an individual moving from another state directly to a nursing facility in Washington state to establish residency before entering the facility. The individual is considered a resident if they intend to remain permanently or for an indefinite period unless placed in the nursing facility by another state.

(9) An individual's residence is the state:

(a) Where the parent or legal guardian resides, if appointed, for an institutionalized individual twenty-one years of age or older, who became incapable of determining residential intent before reaching age twenty-one;

(b) Where an individual is residing if the individual becomes incapable of determining residential intent after reaching twenty-one years of age;

(c) Making a placement in an out-of-state institution; or

(d) For any other institutionalized individual, the state of residence is the state where the individual is living with the intent to remain there permanently or for an indefinite period.

(10) In a dispute between states as to which is an individual's state of residence, the state of residence is the state in which the individual is physically located)) without their health care coverage being denied or terminated, if the person:

(a) Intends to return to the state once the purpose of his or her absence has been accomplished and provides adequate information of this intent after a request by the agency or its designee; and

(b) Has not been determined eligible for medicaid or state-funded health care coverage in another state (other than coverage in another state for incidental or emergency health care).

(5) A person who enters Washington state only for health care is not a resident and is not eligible for any medical program. The only exception is for a person who moves from another state directly into an institution in Washington state. Residency rules for institutionalized persons are described in WAC 182-503-0525.

(6) A person of any age who receives a state supplemental payment (SSP) is considered a resident of the state that is making the payment.

(7) A person who receives federal payments for foster or adoption assistance is considered a resident of the state where the person physically resides even if:

(a) The person does not live in the state that is making the foster or adoption assistance payment; or

(b) The person does not live in the state where the adoption agreement was entered.

(8) In a dispute between states, the state of residence is the state in which the person is physically located.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-503-0540 Assignment of rights and cooperation. (1) When ~~((a person))~~ you become ~~((s))~~ eligible for any of the ~~((department's medical))~~ agency's health care programs, ~~((they make assignment of))~~ you assign certain rights to the state of Washington. ~~((This assignment includes))~~ You assign all rights to any type of coverage or payment for ~~((medical))~~ health care ~~((which results))~~ that comes from:

(a) A court order;
 (b) An administrative agency order; or
 (c) Any third-party benefits or payment obligations for medical care which are the result of **subrogation** or contract (see WAC 388-501-0100).

(2) ~~((Subrogation is a legal term which describes the method by which the state acquires the rights of a client for whom or to whom the state has paid benefits. The subrogation rights of the state are limited to the recovery of its own costs:~~

~~((3) The person who))~~ When you sign ~~((s))~~ the application ~~((makes the assignment of))~~ you assign the rights described in subsection (1) of this section to the state ~~((Assignment is made on their own behalf and on behalf of any eligible person for whom they can legally make such assignment:~~

~~((4) A person))~~ for:

(a) Yourself; and

(b) Any eligible person for whom you can legally make such assignment.

(3) You must cooperate with ~~((the department))~~ us in ~~((the identification, use or collection of))~~ identifying, using or collecting third-party benefits. ~~((Failure to))~~ If you do not cooperate ~~((results in a termination of eligibility for the responsible person. Other obligations for cooperation are located in chapters 388-14A and 388-422 WAC. The following clients are exempt from termination of eligibility for medical coverage as a result of noncooperation:~~

(a) A pregnant woman, and

(b) Minor children, and

(c) A person who has been determined to have "good cause" for noncooperation (see WAC 388-422-0015).

(5) A person will not lose eligibility for medical assistance programs), your health care coverage may end unless you can show good reason not to cooperate with us. Examples of good reason include, but are not limited to:

(a) Your reasonable belief that cooperating with us would result in serious physical or emotional harm to you, a child in your care, or a child related to you; and

(b) Your being incapacitated without the ability to cooperate with us.

(4) Your WAH coverage will not end due solely to the noncooperation of any third party.

~~((6) A person))~~ (5) You will ~~((be responsible for the costs of otherwise covered medical))~~ have to pay for your health care services if you:

(a) ~~((The person))~~ Received and kept the third-party payment for those services; or

(b) ~~((The person))~~ Refused to ~~((provide))~~ give to the provider of care ~~((their))~~ your legal signature on insurance forms.

(6) The state is limited to the recovery of its own costs for health care costs paid on behalf of a recipient of health care coverage. The legal term which describes the method by which the state acquires the rights of a person for whom the state has paid costs is called subrogation.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-24-018, filed 11/29/11, effective 12/1/11)

WAC 182-504-0015 Washington apple health—Certification periods for categorically needy ~~((CN))~~ scope of care medical assistance) programs. (1) A certification period is the period of time a person is determined eligible for a categorically needy (CN) ~~((scope of care medical))~~ Washington apple health (WAH) program. Unless otherwise stated in this section, the certification period begins on the first day of the month of application and continues ~~((to))~~ through the last day of the last month of the certification period.

(2) For a ~~((child))~~ newborn eligible for ~~((the newborn medical program))~~ WAH, the certification period begins on the child's date of birth and continues through the end of the month of the child's first birthday.

(3) For a woman eligible for ~~((a medical program))~~ WAH based on pregnancy, the certification period ends the last day of the month that includes the sixtieth day from the day the pregnancy ends.

(4) For a person eligible for the WAH refugee program, the certification period ends at the end of the eighth month following the client's date of entry to the United States.

~~((5))~~ For ~~((families the certification period is twelve months with a six-month report required as a condition of eligibility as described in WAC 388-418-0011))~~ all other WAH-CN coverage, the certification period is twelve months.

~~((5))~~ (6) For children, ~~((the certification period is twelve months.))~~ eligibility is continuous ~~((without regard to changes in circumstances other than aging out of the program, moving out of state, failing to pay a required premium(s), incarceration or death.))~~

~~((6))~~ throughout the certification period regardless of a change in circumstances, unless a required premium (described in WAC 182-505-0225) is not paid for three consecutive months or the child:

(a) Turns age nineteen;

(b) Moves out of state;

(c) Is incarcerated; or

(d) Dies.

(7) When the child turns nineteen, the certification period ends after the redetermination process described in WAC 182-504-0125 is completed, even if the twelve-month period is not over. The certification period may be extended past the end of the month the child turns nineteen when:

(a) The child is receiving inpatient services ~~((see))~~ described in WAC ~~((388-505-0230))~~ 182-514-0230 on the last day of the month the child turns nineteen;

(b) The inpatient stay continues into the following month or months; and

(c) The child remains eligible except for ~~((exceeding))~~ turning age nineteen.

~~((7)) For an SSI-related person the certification period is twelve months.~~

~~(8) When the medical assistance unit is also receiving benefits under a cash or food assistance program, the medical certification period is updated to begin anew at each:~~

- ~~(a) Approved application for cash or food assistance; or~~
- ~~(b) Completed eligibility review.~~

~~(9)) (8) A retroactive certification period ((can begin up to three months immediately before the month of application when:~~

~~(a) The client would have been eligible for medical assistance if the client had applied; and~~

~~(b) The client received covered medical services as described in WAC 388-501-0060 and 388-501-0065.~~

~~(10) If the client is eligible only during the three month retroactive period, that period is the only period of certification, except when:~~

~~(a) A pregnant woman is eligible in one of the three months preceding the month of application, but no earlier than the month of conception. Eligibility continues as described in subsection (3);~~

~~(b) A child is eligible for a CN medical program as described in WAC 388-505-0210 (1) through (5) and (7) in one of the three months preceding the month of application. Eligibility continues for twelve months from the earliest month that the child is determined eligible.~~

~~(11) Any months of a retroactive certification period are added to the designated certification periods described in this section)) is described in WAC 182-504-0005.~~

~~((12)) (9) Coverage under premium-based programs included in apple health for kids as described in ((WAC 388-505-0210 and)) chapter ((388-542)) 182-505 WAC begins no sooner than the month after creditable coverage ends.~~

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-504-0120 Washington apple health—
Effective dates of changes. (1) We (the agency or its designee) determine the date a change affects your Washington apple health (WAH) coverage based on:

- (a) The date you report the change to us;
- (b) The date you give us the requested verification; and
- (c) The type of WAH you or your family is receiving.

(2) When you report a change after you submit your application, but before your application is processed, the change is considered when processing your application.

(3) If another person, agency, or data source reports a change in circumstances, the information may be used in determining your eligibility. We will not rely on information received from a person, agency, or data source to terminate your WAH coverage without requesting additional information from you.

(4) A change in income affects your ongoing eligibility only if it is expected to continue beyond the month when the change is reported, and only if it is expected to last more than two months.

(5) A change that results in termination of your WAH coverage takes effect the first of the month following the advance notice period.

(6) The advance notice period:

(a) Begins on the day we send the letter about the change to you; and

(b) Is determined according to the rules in WAC 182-518-0025.

(7) A change that results in a decreased scope of care takes effect on the first of the month following the advance notice period. Examples of a decreased scope of care are:

(a) Termination of WAH categorically needy (CN) medical and approval for other WAH coverage with a lesser scope of care such as WAH medically needy (MN) medical;

(b) WAH-MN recipient with a change that increases the spenddown liability amount;

(c) WAH-MN recipient with no spenddown liability with a change that results in WAH-MN with a spenddown liability.

(8) A change that results in an increased scope of care takes effect on the first of the month following the date the change was reported, when you provide the required verification:

(a) Within ten days of the date we requested the verification; or

(b) By the end of the month of your change report, whichever is later.

If you are a WAH-MN applicant with a spenddown liability that has not yet been met and you report a change that results in your becoming eligible for WAH-CN medical or WAH for adults, your change report will be treated as a new application for purposes of retroactive WAH coverage as described in WAC 182-504-0005.

(9) If you do not provide the required verification timely under subsection (8) of this section, we make the change effective the first of the month following the month in which you provide the verification. We may terminate your WAH coverage if you do not provide the required verification.

(10) When a law or regulation requires a change in WAH, the date specified by the law or regulation is the effective date of the change.

(11) When a change in income or allowable expenses is reported timely (within thirty days) and changes the amount you pay towards the cost of your care for institutional programs (residing in a medical institution), we calculate your new participation amount based on:

(a) Either actual income received in a month or allowable deductions incurred in a month, or both; or

(b) An estimate of your monthly or allowable expenses in a prospective period of six months or less, based on both actual income received in a preceding period of six months or less and income expected to be received during the prospective period. At the end of the prospective period or when any significant change occurs, we reconcile this estimate for the period with income received during the same period.

(12) When a change in income, or allowable expenses, changes the amount you pay towards the cost of your care for a home and community-based waiver or service, we calculate your new participation amount effective the first of the month following the date the change was reported, except that the new participation amount will be effective the month the change occurs if the change is the loss of an income source that you report within thirty days of the change.

(13) We use the following rules to determine the effective date of change for the health care for workers with disabilities (HWD) program:

(a) HWD coverage begins the month after coverage in another medical program ends and the premium amount has been approved by the eligible person; and

(b) If a change in income increases or decreases the monthly premium, the change is effective the first of the month after the change is reported. For more information on premium requirements for this program, see WAC 182-511-1250.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-051, filed 9/13/12, effective 10/14/12)

WAC 182-504-0125 Washington apple health—Effect of reported changes ((on medical program eligibility)).

~~(1) ((An individual)) If you report a change required under WAC 182-504-0105 during a certification period, you continue((s)) to be eligible for ((medical assistance)) Washington apple health (WAH) coverage until ((the agency or the agency's designee completes a review of the individual's case record and determines the individual is ineligible for medical assistance or is eligible for another medical program. This applies to all individuals who, during a certification period, become ineligible for, or are terminated from, or request termination from:~~

~~(a) A categorically needy (CN) medicaid program;
(b) A program included in apple health for kids; or
(c) Any of the following cash grants:
(i) Temporary assistance for needy families (TANF);
(ii) Supplemental security income (SSI); or
(iii) Aged, blind, disabled (ABD) cash assistance. See WAC 388-434-0005 for changes reported during eligibility review)) we decide if you can keep getting WAH coverage under your current WAH program or a different WAH program.~~

~~(2) If ((CN medical)) your WAH categorically needy (CN) coverage ends ((under one program and the individual meets)) due to a reported change and you meet all the eligibility requirements ((to be eligible under)) for a different ((CN medical)) WAH-CN program, ((coverage is approved)) we will approve your coverage under the new WAH-CN program. If ((the individual's income exceeds the standard for CN medical coverage, the agency or the agency's designee considers eligibility under the medically needy (MN) program where appropriate.~~

~~(3) If)) you are not eligible for coverage under any WAH-CN ((medical coverage ends and the individual does not)) program but you meet the eligibility requirements ((to be eligible under a different medical program, the redetermination process is complete and medical assistance is terminated giving advance and adequate notice with the following exception:~~

~~(a) An individual who claims)) for either WAH alternative benefits plan (ABP) coverage or WAH medically needy (MN) coverage, we will approve your coverage under the program you are eligible for. If you are not eligible for coverage under any WAH-CN program but you meet the eligibility requirements for both WAH-ABP coverage and WAH-MN~~

~~coverage, we will approve the WAH-ABP coverage unless you notify us that you prefer WAH-MN coverage.~~

~~(3) If your WAH coverage ends and you are not eligible for a different WAH program, we stop your WAH coverage after giving you advance and adequate notice unless the exception in subsection (4) of this section applies to you.~~

~~(4) If you claim to have a disability ((is referred to the division of disability determination services for a disability determination if)) and that is the only basis ((under which the individual is)) for you to be potentially eligible for ((medical assistance)) WAH coverage, then we refer you to the division of disability determination services (within the department of social and health services) for a disability determination. Pending the outcome of the disability determination, ((medical eligibility is considered)) we also determine if you are eligible for WAH coverage under the SSI-related medical program described in chapter ((388-475)) 182-512 WAC. ((b) An individual with countable income in excess of the SSI-related CN medical standard is considered for medically needy (MN) coverage or medically needy (MN)) If you have countable income in excess of the SSI-related categorically needy income level (CNIL), then we look to see if you can get coverage under WAH-MN with spenddown as described in chapter 182-519 WAC pending the final outcome of the disability determination.~~

~~((4) An individual who becomes ineligible for refugee cash assistance is eligible for continued refugee medical assistance through the eight-month limit, as described in WAC 182-507-0130.~~

~~(5) An individual who receives a TANF cash grant or family medical is eligible for a medical extension, as described under WAC 182-523-0100, when the cash grant or family medical program is terminated as a result of:~~

~~(a) An increase in earned income; or
(b) Collection of child or spousal support.~~

~~(6)) (5) If you receive coverage under the WAH parent and caretaker relative program described in WAC 182-505-0240, you will be eligible for the WAH medical extension program described in WAC 182-523-0100, if your coverage ends as a result of an increase in your earned income.~~

~~(6) Changes in income during a certification period do not affect((s)) eligibility for ((all medical programs except)) the following programs:~~

~~(a) WAH for pregnant ((women's CN medical programs)) women;~~

~~(b) ((A program included in apple health for kids)) WAH for children, except as specified in subsection ((5)) (7) of this section; ((or))~~

~~(c) ((The first six months of the medical extension benefits described under chapter 182-523 WAC.~~

~~(7) A child who receives)) WAH for SSI recipients;~~

~~(d) WAH refugee program; and~~

~~(e) WAH medical extension program.~~

~~(7) We redetermine eligibility for children receiving WAH for kids premium-based coverage ((under a program included in apple health for kids)) described in WAC 182-505-0210 ((and chapter 182-505 WAC must be redetermined for a nonpremium-based coverage)) when the ((family reports)):~~

(a) ~~((Family)) Household's countable income ((has decreased)) decreases to ((less than two hundred percent)) a percentage of the federal poverty level (FPL) that would result in either a change in premium for WAH for kids with premiums or the children becoming eligible for WAH for kids (without premiums);~~

(b) ~~((The)) Child becomes pregnant;~~

(c) ~~((A change in)) Family size changes; or~~

(d) ~~((The)) Child receives SSI.~~

(8) ~~((An individual who receives)) If you get SSI-related WAH-CN ((medical)) coverage and report((s)) a change in work or earned income which ((exceeds the substantial gainful activity (SGA) limit set by Social Security Administration)) results in a determination by the division of disability determination services that you no longer meet((s)) the definition of a disabled ((individual)) person as described in WAC 182-512-0050((, unless the individual continues to receive a Title 2 cash benefit, e.g., SSDI, DAC, or DWB. The agency or the agency's designee)) due to work or earnings at the level of substantial gainful activity (SGA), we redetermine((s)) your eligibility for ((such an individual)) coverage under the health care for workers with disabilities (HWD) program ((which waives the SGA income test)). The HWD program is a premium-based program that waives the SGA work or earnings test, and ((the individual)) you must approve the premium amount before ((the agency or the agency's designee)) we can authorize ((ongoing CN medical benefits)) coverage under this program. For HWD program rules, see chapter 182-511 WAC.~~

(9) Prior to a scheduled renewal or March 31, 2014, whichever is later, your WAH coverage will not end and you will not pay more for your WAH coverage as a result of an eligibility determination if:

(a) You are enrolled in WAH at the time of the eligibility determination;

(b) You were enrolled in WAH prior to October 1, 2013; and

(c) At the time of the eligibility determination, your enrollment in WAH is not yet based on MAGI methodologies.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-504-0035 Washington apple health—Renewals. (1) For all Washington apple health (WAH) programs, the following applies:

(a) You are required to complete a renewal of eligibility at least every twelve months with the following exceptions:

(i) If you are eligible for WAH medically needy with spenddown, then you must complete a new application at the end of each three- or six-month base period;

(ii) If you are eligible for WAH alien emergency medical, then you are certified for a specific period of time to cover emergency inpatient hospitalization costs only (see WAC 182-507-0115(8)); or

(iii) If you are eligible for WAH refugee coverage, you must complete a renewal of eligibility after eight months.

(b) You may complete renewals online, by phone, or by paper application that you mail or fax to us (the agency or its designee).

(c) If your WAH is renewed, we decide the certification period according to WAC 182-504-0015.

(d) We review all eligibility factors subject to change during the renewal process.

(e) We redetermine eligibility as described in WAC 182-504-0125 and send you written notice as described in WAC 182-518-0005 before WAH is terminated.

(f) If you need help meeting the requirements of this section, we provide equal access services as described in WAC 182-503-0120.

(2) For programs based on modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) as described in WAC 182-503-0510:

(a) Sixty days prior to the end of the certification period:

(i) When information from electronic sources shows income is reasonably compatible (as defined in WAC 182-500-0095), we administratively renew your coverage (as defined in WAC 182-500-0010) for a new certification period and send you a notice of renewal with the information used. You are required to inform us if any of the information we used is wrong.

(ii) If we are unable to complete an administrative renewal (as defined in WAC 182-500-0010), you must give us a signed renewal in order for us to decide if you will continue to get WAH coverage beyond the current certification period.

(iii) We follow the requirements described in WAC 182-518-0015 to request any additional information needed to complete the renewal process or to terminate coverage for failure to renew.

(b) If your WAH coverage is terminated because you did not renew, you have ninety days from the termination date to give us a completed renewal. If we decide you are still eligible to get WAH coverage, we will restore your WAH without a gap in coverage.

(3) For non-MAGI based programs (as described in WAC 182-503-0510):

(a) Forty-five days prior to the end of the certification period, we send notice with a renewal form to be completed, signed, and returned by the end of the certification period.

(b) We follow the requirements in WAC 182-518-0015 to request any additional information needed to complete the renewal process or to terminate coverage for failure to renew.

(c) If you are terminated for failure to renew, you have thirty days from the termination date to submit a completed renewal. If still eligible, we will restore your WAH without a gap in coverage.

(4) If we determine that you are not eligible for renewal of your WAH coverage, we:

(a) Consider your eligibility for all other WAH programs before ending your WAH coverage; and

(b) Coordinate with the health benefit exchange any request for information that is necessary to determine your eligibility for:

(i) Other WAH programs; and

(ii) With respect to qualified health plans, health insurance premium tax credits (as defined in WAC 182-500-0045) and cost-sharing reductions (as defined in WAC 182-500-0020).

(5) We reconsider our decision that you are not eligible for WAH coverage without a new application from you when:

(a) We receive the information that we need to decide if you are eligible within thirty days of the date on the termination notice; or

(b) You request a hearing within ninety days of the date on the renewal denial letter and an administrative law judge (ALJ) or HCA review judge decides our decision was wrong (per chapter 182-526 WAC).

(6) If you disagree with our decision, you can ask for a hearing. If we decided that you are not eligible for renewal because we do not have enough information, the ALJ will consider the information we already have and anymore information you give us. The ALJ does not consider the previous absence of information or failure to respond in determining if you are eligible.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-504-0105 Washington apple health—Changes that must be reported. (1) You must report changes in your household and family circumstances to us (the agency or its designee) timely according to WAC 182-504-0110.

(2) We tell you what you are required to report at the time you are approved for WAH coverage. We also will tell you if the reporting requirements change.

(3) You must report the following:

- (a) Change in residential address;
- (b) Change in mailing address;
- (c) Change in marital status;
- (d) When family members or dependents move in or out of the residence;
- (e) Pregnancy;
- (f) Incarceration;
- (g) Change in institutional status;
- (h) Change in health insurance coverage including medicare eligibility; and
- (i) Change in immigration or citizenship status.

(4) If you are eligible for a WAH long-term care program described in chapter 182-513 or 182-515 WAC, you must also report changes to the following:

- (a) Income;
- (b) Resources;
- (c) Medical expenses; and
- (d) Spouse or dependent changes in income or shelter cost when expenses are allowed for either.

(5) If you get WAH parent or caretaker (as described in WAC 182-505-0240) or WAH modified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-based adult coverage (as described in WAC 182-505-0250), you must also report changes to the following:

(a) When total income increases or total deductions decrease by one hundred fifty dollars or more a month and the change will continue for at least two months;

(b) Your federal income tax filing status that you expect to use when you file your taxes for the current tax filing year (such as changing from "married filing separately" to "married filing jointly"); and

(c) The tax dependents you expect to claim when you file your federal income tax return for the current tax filing year.

(6) If you get WAH based on age, blindness, or disability (SSI-related medical), then you must also report changes to the following:

- (a) Income; and
- (b) Resources.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-504-0110 Washington apple health—When to report changes. (1) All changes you report to us (the agency or its designee), as required by WAC 182-504-0105, are used to decide if you can receive or keep receiving Washington apple health (WAH) coverage.

(2) You must report changes during your certification period within thirty days of when the change happened.

(3) You must report all changes during application, renewal, or redetermination of your WAH eligibility, regardless of when the change happened.

(4) For a change in income, the date a change happened is the first date you received income based on the change. For example, the date you receive your first paycheck for a new job or the date you got a paycheck with a wage increase is the date the change happened.

(5) If you do not report a change or you report a change late, we will decide if you can receive or keep receiving WAH coverage based on the date the change was required to be reported.

(6) If you do not report a change or you report a change late, and if it affects the amount you must pay toward your cost of care as described in WAC 182-513-1380 or chapter 182-515 WAC, you may become liable for overpayments we make on your behalf and you may need to pay more to your care provider.

(7) If you do not report a change or you report a change late, it may result in us overpaying you and you having to pay us back for the health care costs we overpaid. See chapter 182-520 WAC.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-091, filed 11/17/11, effective 11/21/11)

WAC 182-505-0100 (~~Medical programs~~) Washington apple health—Monthly income standards based on the federal poverty level (FPL). (1) Each year, the federal government publishes new federal poverty level (FPL) income standards in the Federal Register found at <http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/index.shtml>. The income standards for the following (~~medical~~) Washington apple health (WAH) programs change on the first day of April every year based on the new FPL:

(a) (~~Pregnant women's program up to one hundred eighty-five~~) WAH for parents and caretaker relatives up to fifty-four percent of FPL (see WAC 182-505-0240). Persons enrolled in WAH for parents and caretaker relatives whose earned income increases above this limit are the only persons who may be eligible for the WAH transitional medical program described in WAC 182-523-0100;

(b) (~~A program included in apple health for kids up to two hundred~~) Modified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-

based WAH for adults up to one hundred thirty-three percent of FPL;

(c) ~~((Health care for workers with disabilities (HWD) up to two hundred twenty)) WAH for pregnant women up to one hundred ninety-three percent of FPL; ((and))~~

(d) ~~((Premium-based coverage under a program included in apple health for kids over two hundred percent of FPL, but not over three hundred)) WAH for children up to two hundred ten percent of FPL; and~~

(e) Premium-based coverage under WAH for children over two hundred ten percent of FPL, but not over three hundred twelve percent of FPL.

(2) The ~~((department))~~ agency uses the FPL income standards to determine~~((:~~

~~((a) The mandatory or optional medicaid status of an individual; and~~

~~((b) Premium amount, if any, for a child.~~

~~((3) There are no resource limits for the programs under this section)) the premium amount, if any, for a child.~~

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-505-0115 ~~((Medical)) Washington apple health—Eligibility for pregnant women.~~ ~~((Eligibility requirements for pregnancy medical are described below.))~~ (1) A pregnant woman is eligible for ~~((categorically needy (CN) scope of care))~~ the Washington apple health (WAH) for pregnant women program if she ~~((meets the following requirements))~~:

(a) Meets citizenship or immigration status ~~((chapter 388-424 WAC))~~ under WAC 182-503-0535; ~~((and))~~

(b) Meets Social Security ~~((account))~~ number ~~((chapter 388-474 WAC))~~ requirements under WAC 182-503-0115; ~~((and))~~

(c) ~~((Is a))~~ Meets Washington state ~~((resident (chapter 388-468 WAC))~~ residency requirements under WAC 182-503-0520 and 182-503-0525; and

(d) Has countable income ~~((as described in))~~ at or below the limit described in:

(i) WAC ~~((388-478-0075))~~ 182-505-0100 to be eligible for categorically needy (CN) coverage; or

(ii) WAC 182-505-0100 to be eligible for medically needy (MN) coverage. MN coverage begins when the pregnant woman meets any required spenddown liability as described in WAC 182-519-0110.

(2) ~~((A pregnant woman is considered for medically needy (MN) scope of care if she meets the requirements in subsection (1)(a) through (e) of this section and:~~

(a) Has countable income that exceeds the standard in subsection (1)(d) of this section; and

(b) Has countable resources that do not exceed the standard in WAC 388-478-0070.

(3) A pregnant woman may be eligible for noncitizen pregnancy medical if she is not eligible for medical described in subsections (1) and (2) of this section due to citizenship, immigrant status, or social security number requirements.

(4) A pregnant woman meeting the eligibility criteria in subsection (3) is eligible for:

(a) CN scope of care when the countable income is at or below the income standard described in subsection (1)(d); or

(b) MN scope of care when:

(i) The countable income exceeds the standard in subsection (1)(d); and

(ii) The resources do not exceed the standard described in WAC 388-478-0070.

(5) Consider as income to the pregnant woman the amount that is actually contributed to her by the father of her unborn child when the pregnant woman is not married to the father.

~~((6))~~ A noncitizen pregnant woman who does not need to meet the requirements in subsection (1)(a) or (b) of this section to be eligible for WAH and receives either CN or MN coverage based upon her countable income as described in subsection (1)(d) of this section.

(3) The assignment of ~~((child support and))~~ medical support rights as described in ~~((chapter 388-422))~~ WAC ~~((do))~~ 182-503-0540 do not apply to pregnant women.

~~((7))~~ (4) A woman who was eligible for and received ~~((medical))~~ coverage under any WAH program on the last day of pregnancy is eligible for extended medical ~~((benefits))~~ coverage for postpartum care for a minimum of sixty days from the end of her pregnancy. This includes women who meet an MN spenddown liability with expenses incurred no later than the date the pregnancy ends. This extension continues through the end of the month in which the sixtieth day falls.

~~((8))~~ A woman who was eligible for medical coverage on the last day of pregnancy is) (5) All women approved for WAH pregnancy coverage at any time are eligible for family planning services for twelve months ~~((from the end of))~~ after the pregnancy ~~((even when eligibility for pregnancy was determined after the pregnancy ended))~~ ends.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-505-0210 ~~((for kids and other children's medical assistance programs))—Eligibility for children.~~ ~~((Funding for coverage under the apple health for kids programs may come through Title XIX (medicaid), Title XXI (CHIP), or through state-funded programs. There are no resource limits for the apple health for kids programs. Apple health for kids coverage is free to children in households with incomes of no more than two hundred percent of the federal poverty level (FPL), and available on a premium basis to children in households with incomes of no more than three hundred percent FPL.~~

(1) Newborns are eligible for federally matched categorically needy (CN) coverage through their first birthday when:

(a) The newborn is a resident of the state of Washington.

(b) The newborn's mother is eligible for medical assistance:

(i) On the date of the newborn's birth, including a retroactive eligibility determination; or

(ii) Based on meeting a medically needy (MN) spenddown liability with expenses incurred on, or prior to, the date of the newborn's birth.

(2) Children under the age of nineteen who are U.S. citizens, U.S. nationals, or lawfully present qualified or nonqualified aliens as described in WAC 388-424-0001, 388-424-0010(4), and 388-424-0006 (1), (4), and (5) are eligible for free federally matched CN coverage when they meet the following criteria:

(a) State residence as described in chapter 388-468 WAC;

(b) A Social Security number or application as described in chapter 388-476 WAC;

(c) Proof of citizenship or immigrant status and identity as required by WAC 388-490-0005(11);

(d) Family income is at or below two hundred percent of federal poverty level (FPL), as described in WAC 388-478-0075 at each application or review; or

(e) They received supplemental security income (SSI) cash payments in August 1996 and would continue to be eligible for those payments except for the August 1996 passage of amendments to federal disability definitions; or

(f) They are currently eligible for SSI.

(3) Noncitizen children under the age of nineteen, who are not lawfully present qualified or nonqualified aliens as described in WAC 388-424-0001, 388-424-0010(4), and 388-424-0006 (1), (4), and (5), are eligible for free state-funded coverage when they meet the following criteria:

(a) State residence as described in chapter 388-468 WAC; and

(b) Family income is at or below two hundred percent FPL at each application or review.

(4) Children under the age of nineteen who are U.S. citizens, U.S. nationals, or lawfully present qualified or nonqualified aliens as described in WAC 388-424-0001, 388-424-0010(4), and 388-424-0006 (1), (4), and (5) are eligible for premium-based federally matched CN coverage as described in chapter 388-542 WAC when they meet the following criteria:

(a) State residence as described in chapter 388-468 WAC;

(b) Proof of citizenship or immigrant status and identity as required by WAC 388-490-0005(11);

(c) Family income is over two hundred percent FPL, as described in WAC 388-478-0075, but not over three hundred percent FPL at each application or review;

(d) They do not have other creditable health insurance as described in WAC 388-542-0050; and

(e) They pay the required monthly premiums as described in WAC 388-505-0211.

(5) Noncitizen children under the age of nineteen, who are not lawfully present qualified or nonqualified aliens as described in WAC 388-424-0001, 388-424-0010(4), and 388-424-0006 (1), (4), and (5), are eligible for premium-based state-funded CN coverage when they meet the following criteria:

(a) State residence as described in chapter 388-468 WAC;

(b) Family income is over two hundred percent FPL, as described in WAC 388-478-0075, but not over three hundred percent FPL at each application or review;

(c) They do not have other creditable health insurance as described in WAC 388-542-0050; and

(d) They pay the required monthly premium as described in WAC 388-505-0211.

(6) Children under age nineteen are eligible for the medically needy (MN) medicaid program when they meet the following criteria:

(a) Citizenship or immigrant status, state residence, and Social Security number requirements as described in subsection (2)(a), (b), and (c) of this section;

(b) Are ineligible for other federally matched CN programs;

(c) Have income that exceeds three hundred percent FPL; or

(d) Have income less than three hundred percent FPL, but do not qualify for premium-based coverage as described in subsection (4) of this section because of creditable coverage; and

(e) Meet their spenddown liability as described in WAC 388-519-0100 and 388-519-0110.

(7) Children under the age of nineteen who reside or are expected to reside in a medical institution, intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded (ICF/MR), hospice care center, nursing home, institution for mental diseases (IMD) or inpatient psychiatric facility may be eligible for apple health for kids health care coverage based upon institutional rules described in WAC 388-505-0260. Individuals between the age of nineteen and twenty-one may still be eligible for health care coverage but not under the apple health for kids programs. See WAC 388-505-0230 "Family related institutional medical" and WAC 388-513-1320 "Determining institutional status for long term care" for more information.

(8) Children who are in foster care under the legal responsibility of the state, or a federally recognized tribe located within the state, and who meet eligibility requirements for residency, Social Security number, and citizenship as described in subsection (2)(a), (b) and (c) of this section are eligible for federally matched CN medicaid coverage through the month of their:

(a) Eighteenth birthday;

(b) Twenty-first birthday if the children's administration determines they remain eligible for continued foster care services; or

(c) Twenty-first birthday if they were in foster care on their eighteenth birthday and that birthday was on or after July 22, 2007.

(9) Children are eligible for state funded CN coverage through the month of their eighteenth birthday if they:

(a) Are in foster care under the legal responsibility of the state or a federally recognized tribe located within the state; and

(b) Do not meet social security number and citizenship requirements in subsection (2)(b) and (c) of this section.

(10) Children who receive subsidized adoption services are eligible for federally matched CN coverage.

(11) Children under the age of nineteen not eligible for apple health for kids programs listed above may be eligible for one of the following medical assistance programs not included in apple health for kids:

(a) Family medical as described in WAC 388-505-0220;

(b) Medical extensions as described in WAC 388-523-0100;

~~(e) SSI-related MN if they:~~

~~(i) Meet the blind and/or disability criteria of the federal SSI program, or the condition of subsection (2)(e) of this section; and~~

~~(ii) Have countable income above the level described in WAC 388-478-0070(1).~~

~~(d) Home and community based waiver programs as described in chapter 388-515 WAC; or~~

~~(e) Alien medical as described in WAC 388-438-0110, if they:~~

~~(i) Have a documented emergency medical condition as defined in WAC 388-500-0005;~~

~~(ii) Have income more than three hundred percent FPL;~~

~~or~~
~~(iii) Have income less than three hundred percent FPL, but do not qualify for premium-based coverage as described in subsection (5) of this section because of creditable coverage.~~

~~(12) Except for a child described in subsection (7) of this section, an inmate of a public institution, as defined in WAC 388-500-0005, is not eligible for any apple health for kids program.)) (1) Unless otherwise stated in this section, a child is a person who is under nineteen years of age (including the month the person turns nineteen). To be eligible for one of the Washington apple health (WAH) for kids programs described below, a child must:~~

~~(a) Be a resident of Washington state, as described in WAC 182-503-0520 and 182-503-0525;~~

~~(b) Provide a Social Security number (SSN) as described in WAC 182-503-0515 unless exempt; and~~

~~(c) Meet any additional requirements listed for the specific program.~~

~~(2) Children under one year of age are eligible for WAH categorically needy (CN) coverage, without a new application, when they are born to a mother who is eligible for WAH:~~

~~(a) On the date of the newborn's birth, including a retroactive eligibility determination; or~~

~~(b) Based on meeting a medically needy (MN) spenddown liability with expenses incurred no later than the date of the newborn's birth.~~

~~(3) Children are eligible for WAH at no cost when they:~~

~~(a) Have countable family income that is no more than two hundred ten percent of the federal poverty level (FPL) as described in WAC 182-505-0100;~~

~~(b) Are currently eligible for supplemental security income (SSI); or~~

~~(c) Received SSI payments in August 1996 and would continue to be eligible for those payments except for the August 1996 passage of amendments to federal disability definitions.~~

~~(4) Children are eligible for premium-based WAH as described in WAC 182-505-0215 when they:~~

~~(a) Have countable family income that is not more than three hundred twelve percent of FPL as described in WAC 182-505-0100;~~

~~(b) Do not have other creditable health insurance as described in WAC 182-505-0220; and~~

~~(c) Pay the required monthly premiums as described in WAC 182-505-0225.~~

(5) Children are eligible for WAH home and community based waiver programs as described in chapter 182-515 WAC when they:

(a) Meet citizenship or immigration status as described in WAC 182-503-0525;

(b) Meet SSI-related eligibility requirements as described in chapter 182-512 WAC; and

(c) Meet program specific age requirements.

(6) Children are eligible for the WAH long-term care program when they meet the institutional program rules as described in chapter 182-513 or 182-514 WAC, and either:

(a) Reside or are expected to reside in a medical institution, intermediate care facility for the intellectually disabled (ICF/ID), hospice care center, or nursing home for thirty days or longer; or

(b) Reside or are expected to reside in an institution for mental diseases (IMD) (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(1)) or inpatient psychiatric facility:

(i) For ninety days or longer and are age seventeen or younger; or

(ii) For thirty days or longer and are age eighteen through twenty-one.

(7) Children are eligible for the WAH-MN program as described in WAC 182-519-0100 when they:

(a) Meet citizenship or immigrant status as described in WAC 182-503-0535;

(b) Have countable family income that exceeds three hundred twelve percent of FPL as described in WAC 182-505-0100; or

(c) Have countable family income that is more than two hundred ten percent of FPL, but are not eligible for premium-based WAH as described in subsection (4) of this section because of creditable coverage; and

(d) Meet a spenddown liability as described in WAC 182-519-0110, if required.

(8) Children are eligible for WAH SSI-related programs as described in chapter 182-512 WAC when they:

(a) Meet citizenship or immigration status as described in WAC 182-503-0535;

(b) Meet SSI-related eligibility as described in chapter 182-512 WAC; and

(c) Meet an MN spenddown liability as described in WAC 182-519-0110, if required.

(9) Children who are not eligible for WAH under subsections (5) through (8) of this section because of their immigration status, are eligible for the WAH alien emergency medical program if they:

(a) Meet the eligibility requirements of WAC 182-507-0110;

(b) Have countable family income:

(i) That exceeds three hundred twelve percent of FPL as described in WAC 182-505-0100; or

(ii) That is more than two hundred ten percent of FPL, but they are not eligible for premium-based WAH, as described in subsection (4) of this section because of creditable coverage; and

(c) Meet a spenddown liability as described in WAC 182-519-0110, if required.

(10) Children who are in foster care or receive subsidized adoption services are eligible for coverage under the WAH foster care program described in WAC 182-505-0211.

(11) Children who are incarcerated in a public institution (as defined in WAC 182-500-0050(4)) that is not an IMD, are not eligible for any WAH program unless they are receiving inpatient hospital services outside of the public institution.

(12) Children who reside in a public institution that is an IMD are eligible for WAH under this section but are not eligible to receive inpatient hospital services outside of the IMD unless they are unconditionally discharged from the IMD prior to receiving such services.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-505-0215 Washington apple health—Premium-based children's program—Purpose and scope ~~((of premium-based health care coverage under programs included in apple health for kids))~~. The ~~((department))~~ medicaid agency administers the programs included in Washington apple health (WAH) for kids that provide premium-based coverage through a combination of state and federal funding sources as described below:

(1) Federally matched health care coverage as authorized by Title XXI of the Social Security Act state children's health insurance program ~~((SCHIP))~~ (CHIP) and RCW 74.09.450 for citizen and federally qualified immigrant children whose family income is above two hundred ten percent of the federal poverty level (FPL) but is not above three hundred twelve percent FPL.

(2) State funded health care coverage for children with family income above two hundred ten percent FPL, but not above three hundred twelve percent FPL, who are ineligible for ~~((Title XXI))~~ federally matched health care coverage due to immigration ~~((issues))~~ status.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-077, filed 11/15/11, effective 12/16/11)

WAC 182-505-0235 Washington apple health—Premium-based children's program—Order of payments ~~((under the premium-based apple health for kids program as funded by Title XXI of the Social Security Act))~~. The medicaid agency administers ~~((the programs included in))~~ premium-based Washington apple health (WAH) for kids ~~((that provide premium-based))~~ coverage through a combination of state and federal funding sources. For expenditures funded by Title XXI of the Social Security Act (SSA), also known as the children's health insurance program (CHIP), federal financial participation will be sought in compliance with section 2105 ~~((of the act))~~ in the following order:

(1) For ~~((medical assistance))~~ health care coverage for targeted low-income children from birth through age eighteen, as described in section 4 of the Title XXI state plan.

(2) For ~~((medical assistance))~~ health care coverage for unborn children, as described in section 4.1.2.1 of the Title XXI state plan.

(3) For ~~((medical assistance))~~ health care coverage for medicaid-eligible children, as described in the Children's

Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act (CHIPRA), section 214.

(4) For ~~((medical assistance))~~ health care coverage for medicaid-eligible children, as described in section 2105 (g)(4)(A) and (B) of the ~~((act))~~ SSA.

(5) For allowable administrative expenditures under the ten percent cap, as defined in section 2105 (a)(1)(D) of the ~~((act))~~ SSA in the following order:

(a) First, for reasonable expenditures necessary to administer the plan, including staffing for eligibility determinations, plan administration, quality assurance, and similar costs.

(b) Second, for a toll-free 800 telephone number providing information regarding the Washington apple health for kids program.

(c) Third, for health services initiatives, such as the funding of the Washington poison center, to the extent that state funds are appropriated by the legislature.

(d) Fourth, for translation or interpretation services in connection with the enrollment, retention, or use of services under this title by ~~((individuals))~~ persons for whom English is not their primary language, but only to the extent that state-matching funds are made available.

(e) Fifth, for outreach services for the Washington apple health for kids program, to the extent that appropriated state-matching funds are available.

(f) Sixth, for other CMS-approved activities to the extent that federal matching funds are available, and where such activities do not duplicate efforts conducted under this subsection.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-505-0237 Premium-based Washington apple health for kids—Other rules that apply ~~((to premium-based health care coverage under programs included in apple health for kids))~~. In addition to the rules of this chapter, children receiving premium-based ~~((coverage under))~~ Washington apple health (WAH) for kids are subject to the following rules:

(1) Chapter ~~((388-538))~~ 182-538 WAC, Managed care (except WAC ~~((388-538-064))~~ 182-538-061, ~~((388-538-063))~~ 182-538-063, and ~~((388-538-065))~~ 182-538-065) if the child is covered under federally matched CN coverage;

(2) WAC ~~((388-505-0210 (4) and (5), apple health for kids program eligibility;~~

~~((3) WAC 388-505-0211, Premium requirements for premium-based coverage under programs included in apple health for kids;~~

~~((4) WAC 388-416-0015(12)))~~ 182-504-0015, Certification periods for categorically needy (CN) scope of care medical assistance programs; and

~~((5))~~ (3) WAC ((388-418-0025)) 182-504-0125, Effect of changes on medical program eligibility.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-056, filed 6/15/12, effective 7/1/12)

WAC 182-505-0240 ~~((Family medical eligibility-))~~ Washington apple health—Parents and caretaker rela-

tives. (1) A person is eligible for Washington apple health (WAH) categorically needy (CN) ((medical assistance)) coverage when ((they are)) he or she:

(a) ~~((Receiving temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) cash benefits;~~

~~(b) Receiving Tribal TANF;~~

~~(c) Receiving cash diversion assistance, except SFA-eligible families, described in WAC 388-400-0010(2);~~

~~(d) Eligible for TANF cash benefits but choose not to receive;~~

~~(e) Over the TANF cash payment standard but under the family medical payment standard as described in WAC 388-478-0065; or~~

~~(f) Not eligible for or receiving TANF cash assistance, but meet the eligibility criteria for aid to families with dependent children (AFDC) in effect on July 16, 1996 except that:~~

~~(i) Earned income is treated as described in WAC 388-450-0210; and~~

~~(ii) Resources are treated as described in WAC 388-470-0005 for applicants and 388-470-0026 for recipients.~~

~~(2) An adult cannot receive a family medicaid program unless the household includes a child who is eligible for:~~

~~(a) Family medicaid;~~

~~(b) SSI; or~~

~~(c) Children's medicaid.~~

~~(3) A person is eligible for CN family medical coverage when the person is not eligible for or receiving cash benefits solely because the person:~~

~~(a) Received sixty months of TANF cash benefits or is a member of an assistance unit which has received sixty months of TANF cash benefits;~~

~~(b) Failed to meet the school attendance requirement in chapter 388-400 WAC;~~

~~(c) Is an unmarried minor parent who is not in a department approved living situation;~~

~~(d) Is a parent or caretaker relative who fails to notify the department within five days of the date the child leaves the home and the child's absence will exceed one hundred eighty days;~~

~~(e) Is a fleeing felon or fleeing to avoid prosecution for a felony charge, or is a probation and parole violator;~~

~~(f) Was convicted of a drug-related felony;~~

~~(g) Was convicted of receiving benefits unlawfully;~~

~~(h) Was convicted of misrepresenting residence to obtain assistance in two or more states;~~

~~(i) Has gross earnings exceeding the TANF gross income level; or~~

~~(j) Is not cooperating with WorkFirst requirements.~~

~~(4) An adult must cooperate with the division of child support in the identification, use, and collection of medical support from responsible third parties, unless the person meets the medical exemption criteria described in WAC 388-505-0540 or the medical good cause criteria described in chapter 388-422 WAC.~~

~~(5) Except for a client described in WAC 388-505-0210(6), a person who is an inmate of a public institution, as defined in WAC 388-500-0005, is not eligible for CN or MN medical coverage.)~~ Is a parent or caretaker relative of a dependent child who meets the criteria described in WAC 182-503-0565(2);

(b) Meets citizenship and immigration status requirements described in WAC 182-503-0535;

(c) Meets general eligibility requirements described in WAC 182-503-0505; and

(d) Has countable income below fifty-four percent of the federal poverty level (FPL).

(2) To be eligible for WAH coverage as a caretaker relative, a person must be related to a dependent child who meets the criteria described in WAC 182-503-0565(2).

(3) A person must cooperate with the state of Washington in the identification, use and collection of medical support from responsible third parties as described in WAC 182-503-0540.

(4) A person who does not cooperate with the requirements in subsection (3) of this section is not eligible for WAH coverage.

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

WAC 182-505-0220 Definitions for premium-based health care coverage under programs included in apple health for kids.

WAC 182-505-0230 Waiting period for premium-based health care coverage under programs included in apple health for kids following employer coverage.

WAC 182-505-0245 Income and resource standards for family medical programs.

WAC 182-505-0515 Medical coverage resulting from a cash grant.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-505-0250 Washington apple health—MAGI-based adult medical. (1) Effective on or after January 1, 2014, a person is eligible for Washington apple health (WAH) modified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-based adult coverage when he or she meets the following requirements:

(a) Is age nineteen or older and under the age of sixty-five;

(b) Is not entitled to, or enrolled in, medicare benefits under Part A or B of Title XVIII of the Social Security Act;

(c) Is not otherwise eligible for and enrolled in mandatory coverage under one of the following programs:

(i) WAH SSI-related categorically needy (CN);

(ii) WAH foster care program; or

(iii) WAH adoption support program;

(d) Meets citizenship and immigration status requirements described in WAC 182-503-0535;

(e) Meets general eligibility requirements described in WAC 182-503-0505; and

(f) Has net countable income that is at or below one hundred thirty-three percent of the federal poverty level for a household of the applicable size.

(2) Parents or caretaker relatives of an eligible dependent child as described in WAC 182-503-0565 are first considered

for WAH for families as described in WAC 182-505-0240. A person whose countable income exceeds the standard to qualify for family coverage is considered for coverage under this section.

(3) Persons who are eligible under this section are eligible for WAH alternative benefit plan as defined in WAC 182-500-0010 coverage. A person described in this section is not eligible for medically needy WAH.

(4) Other coverage options for adults not eligible under this section are described in WAC 182-508-0001.

Chapter 182-518 WAC

WASHINGTON APPLE HEALTH—LETTERS AND NOTICES

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0005 Washington apple health—Notice requirements—General. (1) For the purposes of this chapter, "we" refers to the agency or its designee and "you" refers to the applicant for, or recipient of, health care coverage.

(2) This section applies only to notices and letters that we send about eligibility for Washington apple health (WAH) programs. WAC 182-501-0165 applies to notices and letters regarding prior authorization or other action on requests to cover specific fee-for-service health care services.

(3) We send you written notices (letters) when we:

(a) Approve you for health care coverage for any program;

(b) Reconsider your application for other types of health care coverage based on new information;

(c) Deny you health care coverage (including because you withdrew your application) for any program (according to rules in WAC 182-503-0080);

(d) Ask you for more information to decide if you can start or renew health care coverage;

(e) Renew your health care coverage; or

(f) Change or terminate your health care coverage, even if we approve you for another kind of coverage.

(4) We send notices to you in your primary language if you ask us to and in English according to the rules in WAC 182-503-0110. If you need help to apply for or access your health care coverage due to a disability, we follow the equal access rules in WAC 182-503-0120.

(5) All WAH notices we send you include the following information:

(a) The date of the notice;

(b) Specific contact information for you if you have questions or need help with the notice;

(c) Your appeal rights, if an appeal is available, and the availability of potentially free legal assistance; and

(d) Other information required by state or federal law.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0010 Washington apple health—Notice requirements approval and denial notices. (1) We send written notice when we approve, reopen, reinstate, or deny coverage for any Washington apple health (WAH) pro-

gram. The notice includes the information described in WAC 182-518-0005(4) and all of the following:

(a) The WAH coverage for each person approved, reopened or reinstated;

(b) The date that each person's coverage begins (the effective date); and

(c) The dates for which we approved each person's coverage (certification period).

(2) Denial and withdrawal notices include:

(a) The date of denial;

(b) Specific facts and reason(s) supporting the decision;

(c) Specific rules or statutes that support or require the decision; and

(d) Information to get help applying for nonmodified adjusted gross income (MAGI)-based WAH.

(3) If we deny your request for health care coverage or consider it withdrawn because you failed to give us requested information, the denial notice also includes:

(a) A list of the information you did not give us;

(b) The date we asked you for the information and the date it was due;

(c) Notice that we will reconsider your eligibility if we receive any information related to determining your eligibility, including any changes to information we have, within thirty days of the date of the notice;

(d) Information described in subsection (1) of this section; and

(e) Notice of administrative hearing rights.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0015 Washington apple health—Notice requirements verification requests. (1) We send you written notice when we need more information as described in WAC 182-503-0050 to decide if you are eligible to receive or continue receiving Washington apple health (WAH) coverage. The notice includes:

(a) A description or list of the information that we need;

(b) When we must have the information (see WAC 182-503-0060 for applications and WAC 182-504-0035 for renewals);

(c) What action we will take and on what date, if we do not receive the information; and

(d) Information required in WAC 182-518-0005(4).

(2) If we have received conflicting information about facts we need to determine your coverage, the notice will also include:

(a) The information we received that does not match what you gave us and the source; and

(b) A request that you send us a statement explaining the difference(s) between the information from you and the information from the other source.

(3) We allow you at least ten days to return the information. If you ask, we may allow you more time to get us the information. If the tenth day falls on a weekend or holiday, the due date is the next business day.

(4) If the information we ask for costs money, we will pay for it or help you get the information in another way.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0020 Washington apple health—Notice requirements—Renewals. (1) We send you written notice before we stop your WAH coverage at the end of your certification period as described in WAC 182-504-0035.

(2) When we can administratively renew your coverage (as defined in WAC 182-500-0010), the notice includes:

- (a) Your new certification period;
- (b) The information we used to renew your coverage;

and

(c) A request for you to give us updated information, if any of the information we used is inaccurate.

(3) When we cannot administratively renew your coverage, the notice includes:

- (a) Information we currently have on record;
- (b) How to complete the renewal using any of the methods described in WAC 182-504-0035 (1)(b);
- (c) What action we will take on what date if we do not receive your completed renewal application on time; and
- (d) That we follow the rules in WAC 182-518-0015.

(4) We send your renewal notice following the timeline in:

- (a) WAC 182-504-0035(2) for programs based on modified adjusted gross income (MAGI); or
- (b) WAC 182-504-0035(3) for non-MAGI based programs.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0025 Washington apple health—Notice requirements—Changes in and terminations of coverage. (1) We send you written notice before your Washington apple health (WAH) coverage changes or ends. The notice includes:

- (a) The change in coverage;
- (b) The date your coverage will change or end;
- (c) Specific facts and reason(s) for the decision;
- (d) Specific rules the decision is based on; and
- (e) Information found in WAC 182-518-0005(4).

(2) Before we send any notices to end your WAH coverage because your income is more than the modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) standard, we determine if you are eligible for other health care coverage (including non-MAGI-based coverage) based on information you have provided, as described in WAC 182-504-0125.

(3) We notify you at least ten days before we change or end your health care coverage. The ten days start on the day we send you the notice and end on the tenth day. We are not required to give ten days' notice if:

- (a) You asked us to change or end your coverage;
- (b) We are changing or ending your coverage due to a change in law;
- (c) We are ending your coverage because everyone in your household either died or has been accepted to receive medicaid coverage somewhere else (another local jurisdiction, state, territory, or commonwealth);
- (d) We are ending your coverage because mail we sent you was returned to us with no forwarding address and we do not have a more current address for you;

(e) You are incarcerated and it is expected to last more than thirty days; or

(f) We have facts indicating probable fraud by you, in which case we may notify you five days before we change or end your coverage.

(4) If we do not have to give ten days' advance notice, we send the notice right away after getting the information that caused the change, but no later than the date we took the action described in the notice.

(5) You may request an appeal if you disagree with our decision to change or end your health care coverage and get continued coverage as described in WAC 182-504-0130.

NEW SECTION

WAC 182-518-0030 Washington apple health—Notice requirements—Electronic notices. (1) We send you letters (notices) to inform you about your eligibility for Washington apple health (WAH) programs as described in WAC 182-518-0005 through 182-518-0025.

(2) For programs based on modified adjusted gross income (MAGI), you have the right to choose to get WAH eligibility notices by regular mail, in an electronic format, or both.

(3) To receive electronic notices you must:

(a) Have an account with Washington Healthplanfinder. (There is no charge to create an account); and

(b) Provide us with the following information: A valid e-mail address, your name, and your application identification number.

(4) You may ask to receive WAH notices electronically by:

(a) Mailing, delivering, or giving us a written letter to the address listed on our web site;

(b) Sending a facsimile letter to us as directed on our web site;

(c) Calling the WAH customer service center at the number listed on our web site;

(d) Logging on to your Healthplanfinder account online and selecting the "I would prefer to receive written communications by e-mail" check box on the contact information page; or

(e) Calling the Healthplanfinder customer support center.

(5) When you have asked for electronic notification, we:

(a) Send the notice to your Healthplanfinder account no later than one business day after creating the notice.

(b) Send you an e-mail message to notify you when a new WAH notice has been sent electronically to your Healthplanfinder account.

(i) The e-mail message will not include the notice, information about the content of the notice, or other confidential information; and

(ii) You must log on to your Healthplanfinder account to get the notice.

(6) We will stop sending WAH notices electronically to you if you ask us. You must notify us if your e-mail address changes.

WSR 14-16-054
PERMANENT RULES
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

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Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: These amendments will correct the misspelling of two words in chapter 308-124C WAC. Eliminate the reference to transition course which is no longer required by statute. Implement LEAN improvements to the course approval process changing course approval from two to four years.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 18.85.041.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-11-023 on May 12, 2014.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Comply with Federal Statute: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; Federal Rules or Standards: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; or Recently Enacted State Statutes: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0.

Number of Sections Adopted at Request of a Nongovernmental Entity: New 0, Amended 8, Repealed 2.

Number of Sections Adopted on the Agency's Own Initiative: New 0, Amended 8, Repealed 2.

Number of Sections Adopted in Order to Clarify, Streamline, or Reform Agency Procedures: New 0, Amended 5, Repealed 2.

Number of Sections Adopted Using Negotiated Rule Making: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; Pilot Rule Making: New 0, Amended 0, Repealed 0; or Other Alternative Rule Making: New 0, Amended 8, Repealed 2.

Date Adopted: July 29, 2014.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-14-077, filed 7/1/13, effective 8/1/13)

WAC 308-124A-790 Continuing education clock hour requirements. A licensee shall submit to the department evidence of satisfactory completion of clock hours, pursuant to RCW 18.85.211, in the manner and on forms prescribed by the department.

(1) A licensee applying for renewal of an active license shall submit evidence of completion of at least thirty clock hours of instruction in a course(s) approved by the real estate program and commenced within forty-eight months of a licensee's renewal date. A minimum of fifteen clock hours must be completed within twenty-four months of the licensee's current renewal date, and a portion of that fifteen must include three hours of the prescribed core curriculum defined in WAC 308-124A-800. Up to fifteen clock hours of instruction beyond the thirty clock hours submitted for a previous renewal date may be carried forward to the following renewal date. Failure to report successful completion of the prescribed core curriculum clock hours shall result in denial of license renewal.

(2) The thirty clock hours shall be satisfied by evidence of completion of approved real estate courses as defined in WAC 308-124H-820. A portion of the thirty clock hours of continuing education must include three clock hours of pre-

scribed core curriculum defined in WAC 308-124A-800 ((and three clock hours of prescribed transition course pursuant to RCW 18.85.481(2))).

(3) Courses for continuing education clock hour credit shall be commenced after issuance of a first license.

(4) A licensee shall not place a license on inactive status to avoid the continuing education requirement or the post-licensing requirements. A licensee shall submit evidence of completion of continuing education clock hours to activate a license if activation occurs within one year after the license had been placed on inactive status and the last renewal of the license had been as an inactive license. A licensee shall submit evidence of completing the post-licensing requirements if not previously satisfied upon returning to active status.

(5) Approved courses may be repeated for continuing education credit in subsequent renewal periods.

(6) Clock hour credit for continuing education shall not be accepted if:

(a) The course is not approved pursuant to chapter 308-124H WAC and chapter 18.85 RCW;

(b) Course(s) was taken to activate an inactive license pursuant to RCW 18.85.265(3);

(c) Course(s) submitted to satisfy the requirements of RCW 18.85.101 (1)(c), broker's license, RCW 18.85.211, 18.85.111, managing broker's license and WAC 308-124A-780, reinstatement.

(7) Instructors shall not receive clock hour credit for teaching or course development.

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

WAC 308-124A-787 Previously licensed salesperson—
First active renewal.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-14-077, filed 7/1/13, effective 8/1/13)

WAC 308-124C-105 Required records. The designated broker is required to keep the following on behalf of the firm:

(1) Trust account records:

(a) Duplicate receipt book or cash receipts journal recording all receipts;

(b) Sequentially numbered, nonduplicative checks with check register, cash disbursements journal or check stubs;

(c) Validated duplicate bank deposit slips or daily verified bank deposit;

(d) Client's accounting ledger summarizing all moneys received and all moneys disbursed for each real estate or business opportunity transaction or each property management account, contract or mortgage collection account;

(e) In conjunction with (d) of this subsection, separate ledger sheets for each tenant (including security deposit), lessee, vendee or mortgagor; for automated systems, the ledger sheets may be a computer generated printout which contains required ~~(entries)~~ entries;

(f) Reconciled bank statements and canceled checks for all trust bank accounts.

(2) Other records:

(a) An accurate, up-to-date log of all agreements or contracts for brokerages services submitted by the firm's affiliated licensees.

(b) A legible copy of the transaction or contracts for brokerage services shall be retained in each participating real estate firm's files.

(c) A transaction folder containing all agreements, receipts, contracts, documents, leases, closing statements and material correspondence for each real estate or business opportunity transaction, and for each rental, lease, contract or mortgage collection account.

(d) All required records shall be maintained at one location where the firm is licensed. This location may be the main or any branch office.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-20-100, filed 9/30/10, effective 10/31/10)

WAC 308-124C-130 Branch manager responsibilities. Branch manager responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

(1) Assuring all real estate brokerage services in which he/she participated are in accordance with chapters 18.85, 18.86, 18.235 RCW and the rules promulgated thereunder.

(2) Cooperating with the department in an investigation, audit or licensing matter.

(3) Ensuring accessibility of the firm's offices and records to the director's authorized representatives, and ensuring that copies of required records are made available upon demand.

(4) Being knowledgeable of chapters 18.85, 18.86, and 18.235 RCW and their related rules.

(5) Ensuring all persons employed, contracted or representing the firm at the branch location are appropriately licensed.

(6) Overseeing of the branch licensees, employees and contractors.

(7) Ensuring affiliated licensees are submitting their transaction documents to the designated broker or delegated managing broker within two business days of mutual acceptance.

(8) Hiring, transferring and releasing licensees to and from the branch.

(9) Overseeing all activity within the branch office including supervision of brokers and managing brokers, and heightened supervision of brokers licensed for less than two years.

(10) If delegated - Client/customer funds or property:

(a) Ensuring monthly reconciliation of trust bank accounts are completed, up-to-date and accurate.

(b) Ensuring monthly trial balances are completed, accurate and up-to-date.

(c) Ensuring that the ~~((trial))~~ trial balance and the reconciliation show the account(s) are in balance.

(d) Ensuring safe handling of customer/client funds and property.

(e) Ensuring policies or procedures are in place to account for safe handling of customer or client funds or property.

(11) If delegated - Other duties:

(a) Record maintenance.

(b) Proper and legal advertising.

(c) Review of contracts.

(d) Modify or terminate brokerage service contracts on behalf of the firm.

(e) Following and implementing the designated brokers written policy:

(i) On referral of home inspectors.

(ii) Addressing levels of supervision of all brokers and managing brokers.

(iii) That includes a review of all brokerage service contracts involving any broker licensed for less than two years. Review must be completed within five business days of mutual acceptance. Documented proof of review shall be maintained at the firm's record locations.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-06-078, filed 3/1/10, effective 7/1/10)

WAC 308-124H-805 Course approval required. (1)

Any education provider or course developer may submit a course to the department for approval.

(2) Course approval by the department is required prior to the date on which the course is offered for clock hour credit.

(3) Each application for approval of a course shall be submitted to the department on the appropriate application form provided by the department.

(4) The director or designee shall approve, disapprove, or conditionally approve applications based upon criteria established by the commission.

(5) Upon approval, disapproval or conditional approval, the applicant will be so advised in writing by the department. Notification of disapproval shall include the reasons therefor.

(6) Approval shall expire ~~((two))~~ four years after the effective date of approval, except for the core course which shall expire after two years.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-06-078, filed 3/1/10, effective 7/1/10)

WAC 308-124H-810 Course titles reserved for prescribed curriculum courses. Any approved school desiring to offer fundamentals, business management, broker management, real estate law, advanced real estate law, real estate practices, or advanced real estate practices, ~~((and/or transition course))~~ shall utilize the most recent course curriculum prescribed by the department, and shall include in its title the phrase "real estate fundamentals," "real estate brokerage management," "real estate law," "advanced real estate law," "business management," "real estate practices," or "advanced real estate practices," ~~((or "transition course"))~~ if submitted for approval for clock hours. No other courses shall use these phrases in their titles.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-06-078, filed 3/1/10, effective 7/1/10)

WAC 308-124H-825 Secondary education provider course content approval application. (1) An approved

school may offer courses, except for the mandated courses, that are currently approved for another education provider or course developer provided a secondary provider course content approval application is submitted to the department;

(2) The applicant must also provide written authorization by the original education provider/developer permitting use of the course content by the applicant;

(3) A certificate of course approval will be provided to the secondary education provider;

(4) The applicant must use the course approval number issued by the department on all certificates of course completion;

(5) Course approval is valid only for the dates of the original education provider/course developer's approval; and

(6) Secondary provider course content approval applications may not be used for real estate fundamentals, real estate brokerage management, real estate law, advanced real estate law, business management, real estate practices, advanced real estate practices, or core course(~~or transition course~~).

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-06-078, filed 3/1/10, effective 7/1/10)

WAC 308-124H-870 Grounds for denial or withdrawal of course approval. Course approval may be denied or withdrawn if the instructor or any owner, administrator or affiliated representative of a school, or a course provider or developer:

(1) Submits a false or incomplete course application or any other information required to be submitted to the department;

(2) Includes in its title the phrase "real estate fundamentals," "real estate brokerage management," "real estate law," "advanced real estate law," "business management," "real estate practice," and "advanced real estate practice," (~~and "transition course"~~) if the course was not submitted for approval of clock hours pursuant to WAC 308-124H-810;

(3) If the title of the course misleads the public and/or licensees as to the subject matter of the course;

(4) If course materials are not updated within thirty days of the effective date of a change in the statute or rules;

(5) If course content or material changes are not submitted to the department for approval prior to the date of using the changed course content;

(6) Failed to meet the requirements under WAC 308-124H-820, 308-124H-825, and 308-124H-840;

(7) If a course or prescribed core curriculum was approved through the mistake or inadvertence of the director.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-06-078, filed 3/1/10, effective 7/1/10)

WAC 308-124H-990 Real estate course, school, and instructor approval fees. (1) The following fees shall be charged for applications for approval of real estate courses, schools, and instructors. An application fee shall accompany each application. Approval for schools and instructors, if granted, shall be two years from the date of approval. Approval for courses, except for the core course, if granted, shall be four years from the date of approval. Applications

submitted and disapproved may be resubmitted at no additional fee.

(2) Application for course content approval - A fee of five dollars per clock hour credit being offered, with a minimum fee of fifty dollars per core course. A fee of ten dollars per clock hour credit being offered, with a minimum of one hundred dollars per course other than the core course. Except, the application fee for approval of the sixty clock hour course in real estate fundamentals shall be (~~one~~) three hundred (~~fifty~~) dollars.

(3) Application for school approval - A fee of two hundred fifty dollars.

(4) Application for instructor approvals:

(a) Approval to teach a specific course on one occasion - A fee of fifty dollars;

(b) Approval to teach as many subject areas as requested at time of initial application - A fee of seventy five dollars. Approval shall be for two years from the approval date;

(c) Approval to teach additional subject area(s) not requested at time of initial application or renewal - A fee of twenty-five dollars for each application to teach additional subject area(s). Approval, if granted, shall be for remainder of two year approval period. Applications submitted under (a), (b) and (c) of this section and disapproved may be resubmitted at no additional fee.

REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

WAC 308-124H-815 Application process for previously approved courses.

WSR 14-16-056

PERMANENT RULES

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

[Filed July 30, 2014, 8:57 a.m., effective August 30, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: Chapter 246-440 WAC, creating a new chapter for health care associated infections (HAI) reporting. The department adopted a new reporting condition, Clostridium difficile (C. difficile) infection to the HAI reporting requirements for acute care hospitals. The rule aligns state reporting with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services requirements using the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Healthcare Safety Network LabID event method.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 43.70.056.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-09-101 on April 22, 2014.

A final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting Jason Lempp, Department of Health, Health Associated Infections Program, P.O. Box 47811, Olympia, WA 98504-7811, phone (360) 236-4249, fax (360) 236-4245, e-mail jason.lempp@doh.wa.gov.

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Date Adopted: July 30, 2014.

John Wiesman, DrPH, MPH
Secretary

Chapter 246-440 WAC

HEALTH CARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS REPORTING

NEW SECTION

WAC 246-440-010 Definitions. The definitions in this section apply throughout the chapter unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

(1) "Health care-associated infection" means a localized or systemic condition that results from adverse reaction to the presence of an infectious agent or its toxins and that was not present or incubating at the time of admission to the hospital.

(2) "Hospital" means a health care facility licensed under chapter 70.41 RCW.

NEW SECTION

WAC 246-440-100 Hospital reporting requirements for health care-associated infections. The purpose of this section is to provide access to data on hospital-specific rates of certain types of health care-associated infection. This type of data provides evidence-based information measures to reduce hospital-acquired infections.

(1) A hospital shall collect data related to health care-associated infections in compliance with RCW 43.70.056. Data must be collected and reported in accordance with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Healthcare Safety Network on:

(a) Central line-associated bloodstream infection in all hospital inpatient areas where patients normally reside at least twenty-four hours;

(b) Surgical site infection for:

(i) Deep sternal wound for cardiac surgery, including coronary artery bypass graft;

(ii) Total hip and knee replacement surgery; and

(iii) Colon and abdominal hysterectomy procedures.

(2) A hospital shall also collect and report data for *Clostridium difficile* (*C. difficile*) infections by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Healthcare Safety Network LabID Event method.

WSR 14-16-069 PERMANENT RULES PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR STANDARDS BOARD

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Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: Amends WAC 181-85-075 to clarify the PGP requirements for educators with a continuing certificate. Adds legislative requirement to integrate science, technology, engineering and math (RCW 28A.410.2212).

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 181-85-075.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: Chapter 28A.410 RCW, RCW 28A.410.2212.

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-13-095 on June 17, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: Adjusts language from "and" to "and/or" for integration sections of science, technology, engineering and math.

A final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting David Brenna, 600 Washington Street South, Room 400, Olympia, WA 98504-7236, phone (360) 725-6238, fax (360) 586-4548, e-mail david.brenna@k12.wa.us.

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Date Adopted: July 22, 2014.

David Brenna
Senior Policy Analyst

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 13-16-077, filed 8/6/13, effective 9/6/13)

WAC 181-85-075 Continuing education requirement. Continuing education requirements are as follows:

(1) Each holder of a continuing certificate affected by this chapter shall be required to complete during a five-year period one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours, as defined in WAC 181-85-025 and 181-85-030, prior to the lapse date of the first issue of the continuing certificate and during each five-year period between subsequent lapse dates as calculated in WAC 181-85-100.

(2) Individuals holding a valid continuing certificate in subsection (1) of this section may choose to renew the certificate via annual professional growth plans developed since the certificate was issued (~~in collaboration with the profes-~~

sional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030)). Completion of four annual professional growth plans during each five-year period between subsequent lapse dates meets the requirement for renewal. Individuals completing fewer than four annual professional growth plans must complete the necessary continuing education credit hours needed to be the equivalent of one hundred fifty hours to meet the requirements of subsection (1) of this section. The professional growth plans must document formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-79A-207 for teachers, WAC 181-78A-540(1) for administrators, or WAC 181-78A-540(2) for educational staff associates. For educators holding multiple certificates in chapter 181-85 WAC or WAC 181-79A-251, a professional growth plan for teacher, administrator, or educational staff associate shall meet the requirement for all certificates held by an individual which is affected by this section. Each completed annual professional growth plan shall receive the equivalent of thirty continuing education credit hours.

Individuals may apply their focused evaluation professional growth activities of the evaluation system toward the professional growth plan for certificate renewal.

(3) Provided, That each holder of a continuing or a standard certificate affected by this chapter may present a copy of a valid certificate issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards in lieu of the completion of the continuing education credit hours required by this chapter.

(4) Each holder of a continuing school psychologist certificate affected by this chapter may present a copy of a valid National Certified School Psychologist certificate issued by the National Association of School Psychologists in lieu of the completion of the continuing education credit hours required by this chapter.

(5) Beginning September 1, 2014, continuing education or professional growth plans for teachers at the elementary and secondary levels in STEM-related subjects must include a specific focus on the integration of science, mathematics, technology, and/or engineering instruction as per RCW 28A.410.2212.

WSR 14-16-102

PERMANENT RULES

BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

[Filed August 5, 2014, 3:26 p.m., effective September 5, 2014]

Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: WAC 4-30-130:

1. To enhance public protection by specifying the timing and conditions under which a reviewed firm must notify the board of disagreements on a proposed grade and/or fees charged for a firm's peer review;
2. To clarify that withholding compensation for a peer review as a result of a disagreement about a proposed grade may result in board action; and
3. To clarify when the board will take its own action to evaluate the subject firm's conformity with professional standards.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order:
Amending WAC 4-30-130 What are the quality assurance review (QAR) requirements for licensed CPA firms?

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 18.04.055(9).

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 14-09-082 on April 21, 2014.

Changes Other than Editing from Proposed to Adopted Version: For clarification - changed proposed language in subsection (8) as follows:

FROM: Document retention. Firms shall retain all documents relating to peer review reports, including working papers of the underlying engagement, subject to peer review that was reviewed, until the acceptance of a subsequent peer review by the peer review program or for five years from the date of acceptance of the most recent peer review, whichever is sooner.

TO: Document retention. RCW 18.04.390(4) and WAC 4-30-051(10) require a firm to retain audit and review records and documentation for a period of seven years after the firm concludes an audit or review of a client's financial statements.

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Date Adopted: July 24, 2014.

Richard C. Sweeney, CPA
Executive Director

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-17-054, filed 8/10/12, effective 9/10/12)

WAC 4-30-130 What are the quality assurance review (QAR) requirements for licensed CPA firms? (1) Purpose. The Washington state board of accountancy is charged with protection of the public interest and ensuring the dependability of information used for guidance in financial transactions or for accounting for or assessing the status or performance of commercial and noncommercial enterprises, whether public, private or governmental. The purpose of the QAR program is to monitor licensees' compliance with audit, compilation, review, and other attestation standards. If the board becomes aware that a firm's performance and/or reporting practices for audit, review, compilation, and other engagements covered by statements on standards for attestation engagements may not be in accordance with applicable professional standards, the board will take appropriate action to protect the public interest.

(2) **Peer review.** Generally, all (~~(licensed)~~) licensed in Washington state offering and/or performing attest services as defined by WAC 4-30-010(5), compilation services, as defined by WAC 4-30-010(12), or other professional services for which a report expressing assurance is prescribed by professional standards (~~(in Washington state)~~), are required to participate in a board-approved peer review program as a condition of renewing each CPA firm license under RCW 18.04.215 and WAC 4-30-114. However, certain exemptions are listed in subsection (~~((+0))~~) (11) of this section. Board-approved peer review programs include:

(a) The inspection processes of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (PCAOB);

(b) Peer review programs administered by the American Institute of CPAs (AICPA);

(c) Peer review programs administered by the Washington Society of CPAs (WSCPAs); and

(d) Other programs recognized and approved by the board.

(3) **Enrollment in peer review:** A licensed firm must enroll in a board-approved peer review program **before** issuing a report for each of the following types of service or any other service the board determines:

(a) Compilation on historical financial statements;

(b) Review on historical financial statements;

(c) Audit report on financial statements, performance audit reports, or examination reports on internal controls for nonpublic enterprises;

(d) (~~(Agreed-upon procedures;~~

~~(e) Forecasts; and~~

~~(f) Projections))~~ Other professional services subject to Statements on Standards for Attestation Engagements.

The schedule for the firm's peer review shall be established according to the peer review program's standards. The board does not require any licensee to become a member of any organization administering a peer review program.

(4) **Participation in peer review.** Every firm that is required to participate in a peer review program shall have a peer review in accordance with the peer review program standards.

(a) It is the responsibility of the firm to anticipate its needs for review services in sufficient time to enable the reviewer to complete the review by the assigned review date.

(b) Any firm that is dropped or terminated by a peer review program for any reason shall have twenty-one days to provide written notice to the board of such termination or drop and to request authorization from the board to enroll in another board-approved peer review program.

(c) In the event a firm is merged, otherwise combined, dissolved or separated, the peer review program shall determine which firm is considered the succeeding firm. The succeeding firm shall retain its peer review status and the review due date.

(d) A firm choosing to change to another peer review program may do so only if there is not an open active peer review and if the peer review is performed in accordance with the minimum standards for performing and reporting on peer reviews.

(5) **Reporting requirements.** Every firm must provide the following information, along with the appropriate fees,

with every application for renewal of a firm license by April 30th of the renewal year (~~(of expiration that may consist of but is not limited to)~~):

(a) Certify whether the firm does or does not perform attest services or compilation services as defined by WAC 4-30-010 (5), (12), or other professional services for which a report expressing assurance is prescribed by professional standards in Washington state;

(b) If the firm is subject to the peer review requirements, provide the name of the approved peer review program in which the firm is enrolled, and the period covered by the firm's most recent peer review;

(c) Certify the result of the firm's most recent peer review.

Failure to timely submit complete information and the related fee by the April 30th due date can result in the assessment of late fees. The board may waive late fees based on individual hardship including, but not limited to, financial hardship, critical illness, or active military deployment.

(6) A firm must notify the board within thirty days of the date the peer reviewer or a team captain advises the firm that a grade of pass with deficiencies or fail will be recommended. The notification must include the details of any required corrective action plan being recommended by the peer reviewer or team captain, and the planned date (or time period within which) the firm would intend to complete such remedial action or actions if the proposed corrective action plan is approved by the appropriate peer review acceptance committee.

Notwithstanding any extensions of time by the peer review program administrator, failure by the firm to meet its planned schedule for completing its specific corrective action plan required by the peer review program and/or timely pay for the peer review services can result in board action.

(7) **Documents required.** A firm that has opted out of participating in the AICPA Facilitated State Board Access (FSBA) program shall provide to the board copies of the following documents related to the peer review report:

(a) Peer review report issued;

(b) Firm's letter of response, if any;

(c) Letter of acceptance from peer review program;

(d) Recommended action letter from the peer review program, if any;

(e) A letter from the firm to the board describing corrective actions taken by the firm that relate to recommendations of the peer review program;

(f) Other information the firm deems important for the board's understanding of the information submitted; and

(g) Other information the board deems important for the understanding of the information submitted.

~~((7))~~ (8) Document retention. ((Firms shall retain all documents relating to peer review reports, including working papers of the underlying engagement subject to peer review that was reviewed, until the acceptance of a subsequent peer review by the peer review program or for five years from the date of acceptance of the peer review by the peer review program, whichever is sooner)) RCW 18.04.390(4) and WAC 4-30-051(10) require a firm to retain audit and review records and documentation for a period of seven years after the firm concludes an audit or review of a client's financial statements.

~~((8))~~ **(9) Extensions.** The board may grant an extension of time for submission of the peer review report to the board. Extensions will be determined by the board on a case-by-case basis.

~~((9))~~ **(10) Verification.** The board may verify the certifications of peer review reports that firms provide.

~~((10))~~ **(11) Exemption from peer review.**

(a) Out-of-state firms that do not have a physical location in this state, but perform attest or compilation services in this state, and are otherwise qualified for practice privileges under RCW 18.04.195 (1)(b) are not required to participate in the board's program if the out-of-state firm participates in a board-approved peer review program or similar program approved or sponsored by another state's board of accountancy.

(b) Firms that do not perform attest services as defined by WAC 4-30-010(5), compilation services, as defined by WAC 4-30-010(12), or other professional services for which a report expressing assurance is prescribed by professional standards ~~((in Washington state))~~ are not required to participate in a peer review program, and shall request exemption on each firm license renewal application.

(c) Firms that prepare financial statements **which do not require reports** under Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services ~~((SSARS) 8 as codified in SSARS 19))~~ (management use only compilation reports) and that perform no other attest or compilation services, are not required to participate in a peer review program; however, any such engagements ~~((conducted))~~ performed by a firm that is otherwise required to participate in a peer review program shall be included in the selection of engagements subject to peer review.

~~((11))~~ **(12) Quality assurance oversight.**

(a) The board will:

(i) Annually appoint a compliance assurance oversight committee, and such other committees as the board, in its discretion deems necessary, to provide oversight of the administration of approved peer review programs in order to provide reasonable assurance that peer reviews are being conducted and reported on in accordance with the minimum standards for performing and reporting on peer reviews;

(ii) Consider reports from the compliance assurance oversight committee;

(iii) Direct the evaluation of peer review reports and related documents submitted by firms;

(iv) Determine the appropriate action for firms that have unresolved matters relating to the peer review process or that have not complied with, or acted in disregard of the peer review requirements;

(v) Determine appropriate action for firms when issues with a peer review report may warrant further action; and

(vi) Take appropriate actions the board, in its discretion, deems appropriate to carry out the functions of the quality assurance review program and achieve the purpose of the peer review requirement.

(b) The **compliance assurance oversight committee** shall conduct oversight of approved peer review programs at least semiannually to provide reasonable assurance that such programs are in compliance with the minimum standards for performing and reporting on peer reviews.

(i) The compliance assurance oversight committee's oversight procedures may consist of, but are not limited to:

(A) Attending the peer review program's report acceptance body (RAB) meetings during consideration of peer review documents;

(B) Observing the peer review program administrator's internal review of program and quality control compliance~~((:))~~;

(C) Observing the peer review program's review of the administrator's process.

(ii) The compliance oversight assurance committee shall report to the board any modifications to approved peer review programs and shall make recommendations regarding the continued approval of peer review programs.

~~((12))~~ **(13) Remedies.** ~~((The board's quality assurance review program is intended to monitor the quality of a firm's attest and compilation practices and compliance with professional standards (RCW 18.04.065(9)). If the board determines that a firm's attest or compilation engagement performance and/or reporting practices are not in accordance with applicable professional standards and, therefore, the board determines that one or more of the engagements are, or could be, substandard or seriously questionable, the board will take appropriate action to protect the public interest including, but not limited to:))~~ The board will take appropriate action to protect the public's interest if the board determines through the peer review process or otherwise that a firm's performance and/or reporting practices are not or may not be in accordance with applicable professional standards, the firm does not comply with peer review program requirements, or the firm does not comply with all or some of the reporting, remedial action, and/or fee payment requirements of subsection (5) of this section. The board's actions may include, but are not limited to:

(a) Require the firm to develop quality control procedures to provide reasonable assurance that similar occurrences will not occur in the future;

(b) Require any individual licensee who had responsibility for, or who substantially participated in the ~~((substandard or seriously questionable compilation or attest))~~ engagement(s), to successfully complete specific courses or types of continuing education as specified by the board;

(c) Require that the reviewed firm responsible for ~~((one or more substandard or seriously questionable compilation or attest))~~ engagement(s) submit all or specified categories of its compilation or attest working papers and reports to a preissuance evaluation performed by a board-approved licensee in a manner and for a duration prescribed by the board. Prior to the firm issuing the reports on the engagements reviewed, the board-approved licensee shall submit to the board for board acceptance a report of the findings, including the nature and frequency of recommended actions to the firm. The cost of the board-approved preissuance evaluation will be at the firm's expense;

(d) Require the reviewed firm to engage a board-approved licensee to conduct a board-prescribed on-site field review of the firm's work product and practices or perform other investigative procedures to assess the degree or pervasiveness of ~~((substandard or seriously questionable))~~ nonconforming work product. The board-approved licensee engaged

by the firm shall submit a report of the findings to the board within thirty days of the completion of the services. The cost of the board-prescribed on-site review or other board-prescribed procedures will be at the firm's expense; or

(e) Initiate an investigation pursuant to RCW 18.04.295, 18.04.305, and/or 18.04.320(~~(-and)~~).

(f) ~~Absent an investigation~~ the specific rating of a single peer review report(~~(-individually)~~) is not a sufficient basis to warrant disciplinary action.

~~((13))~~ (14) The board may solicit and review licensee reports and/or other information covered by the reports from clients, public agencies, banks, and other users of such information.

WSR 14-16-105
PERMANENT RULES
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR
STANDARDS BOARD

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Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing.

Purpose: Amends WAC 181-79A-251, a drafting error in a previous rule WSR 13-11-072 inadvertently amended a section regarding licensure renewal in two sections that were in conflict. The implementation date (September 2014) drew attention to the error. The incorrect section is removed.

Citation of Existing Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 181-79A-251.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 28A.410.210.

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Date Adopted: August 6, 2014.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-09-121, filed 4/23/14, effective 5/24/14)

WAC 181-79A-251 Residency and professional certification. Renewal and reinstatement.

(1) Residency certificate. Residency certificates shall be renewed under one of the following options:

(a) Teachers.

(i) Individuals who hold, or have held, residency certificates have the following options for renewal past the first three-year certificate:

(A) Candidates who have attempted and failed the professional certificate assessment are eligible for a two-year renewal;

(B) Candidates who have not been employed or employed less than full-time as a teacher during the dated, three-year residency certificate may receive a two-year renewal by submitting an affidavit to the certification office confirming that they will register and submit a uniform assessment portfolio or may permit their certificate to lapse until such time they register for the professional certificate assessment;

(C) Candidates whose three-year residency certificate has lapsed may receive a two-year renewal by submitting an affidavit to the certification office confirming that they will register and submit a uniform assessment portfolio for the professional certificate assessment;

(D) Individuals who complete a National Board Certification assessment but do not earn National Board Certification, may use that completed assessment to renew the residency certificate for two years.

(ii) A residency certificate expires after the first renewal if the candidate has not registered for and submitted a portfolio assessment prior to June 30th of the expiration year, to achieve the professional certificate, provided: When the first two-year renewal on residency certificates expires, teachers have two renewal options:

(A) Teachers who were employed but failed the professional certification assessment, may receive a second two-year renewal;

(B) Teachers who were unemployed or employed less than full-time during the first two-year renewal may permit their certificate to lapse and receive a second two-year renewal by submitting an affidavit to the certification office confirming that they will register and submit a uniform assessment portfolio for the professional certification assessment.

(C) An individual who completes a National Board Certification assessment but does not earn National Board Certification, may use that completed assessment to renew the residency certificate for two years in lieu of submitting an affidavit to the certification office confirming that they will register and submit the Washington uniform assessment portfolio as per this section, WAC 181-79A-251.

(iii) Teachers who hold expired residency certificates may be reinstated by having a district request, under WAC 181-79A-231, a transitional certification not less than five years following the final residency expiration: Provided, That the teacher registers and passes the professional certification assessment within two years.

(iv) Teachers that hold a dated residency certificate prior to September 2011 that have expiration dates past September 2011 are subject to the same renewal options as described in (a)(ii) and (iii) of this subsection.

(b) Principals/program administrators may renew their residency certificate in one of the following ways:

(i) Individuals who hold, or have held, a residency certificate and who qualify for enrollment in a professional certificate program pursuant to WAC 181-78A-535 (2)(a) may have the certificate renewed for one additional two-year period upon verification by the professional certificate program administrator that the candidate is enrolled in a state approved professional certificate program.

(ii) Individuals who hold, or have held, residency certificates who are not in the role of principal or program administrator may have their residency certificates renewed for an additional five-year period by the completion of fifteen quarter credits (ten semester credits) of college credit course work from a regionally accredited institution of higher education or completion of one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours, directly related to the current performance-based leadership standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-270 (2)(b) from a regionally accredited institution of higher education taken since the issuance of the residency certificate.

(c) School counselors and school psychologists may renew their residency certificate in one of the following ways:

(i) Individuals who hold a residency certificate and who qualify for enrollment in a professional certificate program pursuant to WAC 181-78A-535(3) may have the certificate renewed for one additional two-year period upon verification by the professional certificate program administrator that the candidate is enrolled in a state approved professional certificate program.

(ii) Individuals who hold, or have held, a residency certificate who are not in the role of school counselor or school psychologist may have their residency certificates renewed for an additional five-year period by the completion of fifteen quarter credits (ten semester credits) of college credit course work from a regionally accredited institution of higher education or completion of one hundred fifty continuing education hours, directly related to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-270 (5), (7), or (9) from a regionally accredited institution of higher education taken since the issuance of the residency certificate.

(iii) An individual school psychologist who is applying for the National Certificate for School Psychologist (NCSP) may apply for a one-time two-year renewal with verification of NCSP submission.

(iv) An individual school counselor who completes a national board certification from the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) assessment but does not earn national board certification may use that completed assessment to renew the residency certificate one-time for two years.

(v) School psychologists with residency certificates dated to expire June 30, 2013, 2014, or 2015 may apply until June 30, 2016, for a one-time two-year extension.

(2) Professional certificate.

(a) Teachers.

(i) A valid professional certificate may be renewed for additional five-year periods by the completion of one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC or by completing the professional growth plan as defined in WAC 181-79A-030. Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours: Provided, That professional certificates issued under rules prior to September 1, 2014, retain the option of clock hours or professional growth plans for renewal. Beginning September 1, 2014, four professional growth plans developed annually during the period in which the certificate is valid in collaboration with the professional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030 are required for renewal. The professional growth plans must document formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-79A-207. Individuals may apply their focused evaluation professional growth activities of the evaluation system toward the professional growth plan for certificate renewal. Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours. An expired professional certificate issued under rules in effect prior to September 1, 2014, may be renewed for an additional five-year period by presenting evidence to the superintendent of public instruction of completing the continuing education credit hour requirement within the five years prior to the date of the renewal application. All continuing education credit hours shall relate to either (a)(i)(A) or (B) of this subsection: Provided, That both categories (a)(i)(A) and (B) of this subsection must be represented in the one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours required for renewal:

(A) One or more of the following three standards:

(I) Effective instruction.

(II) Professional contributions.

(III) Professional development.

(B) One of the salary criteria specified in WAC 392-121-262.

(ii) Beginning September 1, 2014, continuing education or professional growth plans for teachers at the elementary and secondary levels in STEM-related subjects must include a specific focus on the integration of science, mathematics, technology, and engineering instruction as per RCW 28A.410.2212. This requirement is for all professional teacher certificate holders regardless of date of issuance of the first professional certificate.

(iii) Individuals not in the role as a teacher in a public school or approved private school holding a professional teaching certificate may have their professional certificate renewed for a five-year period by the completion of:

(A) Fifteen quarter credits (ten semester credits) of college credit course work directly related to the current performance-based leadership standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-540; or

(B) One hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC since the certificate was

issued and which relate to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-79A-207; or

(C) Beginning September 1, 2014, four professional growth plans developed annually during the period in which the certificate is valid in collaboration with the professional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030 are required for renewal. The professional growth plans must document formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-79A-207. Individuals may apply their focused evaluation professional growth activities of the evaluation system toward the professional growth plan for certificate renewal. Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours; or

(D) Teachers addressed in this section are also subject to (a)(ii) of this subsection.

(iv) Provided, That a professional certificate may be renewed based on the possession of a valid teaching certificate issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards at the time of application for the renewal of the professional certificate. Such renewal shall be valid for five years or until the expiration of the National Board Certificate, whichever is greater.

(b) Principals/program administrators.

(i) A professional certificate may be renewed for additional five-year periods for individuals in the role as a principal, assistant principal or program administrator in a public school or approved private school by:

(A) Completion of four professional growth plans developed annually since the certificate was issued in collaboration with a minimum of three certificated colleagues that documents formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the six standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-78A-540(1). Individuals may apply their focused evaluation professional growth activities of the evaluation system toward the professional growth plan for certificate renewal. Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours.

(B) Documented evidence of results of the professional growth plan on student learning.

(C) As per RCW 28A.405.278 beginning September 1, 2016, all professional administrator certificates must complete continuing education on the revised teacher and principal evaluation systems under RCW 28A.405.100 as a requirement for renewal of professional administrator certificates including requiring knowledge and competencies in teacher and principal evaluation systems as an aspect of professional growth plans (PGPs) used for certificate renewal.

(ii) Individuals not in the role as a principal, assistant principal, or program administrator in a public school or approved private school may have their professional certificate renewed for a five-year period by the completion of:

(A) Fifteen quarter credits (ten semester credits) of college credit course work directly related to the current performance-based leadership standards as defined in WAC 181-

78A-540(1) from a regionally accredited institution of higher education taken since the issuance of the professional certificate; or

(B) Completion of one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC since the certificate was issued and which relate to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-540(1); or

(C) Completion of four professional growth plans developed annually since the certificate was issued in collaboration with the professional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030 that documents formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-78A-540(2). Individuals may apply their focused evaluation professional growth activities of the evaluation system toward the professional growth plan for certificate renewal. Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours; or

(D) Principals, assistant principals, or program administrators addressed in this section are also subject to subsection (b)(i)(C) of this section.

(c) School counselors and school psychologists.

(i) For certificates issued under rules in effect prior to September 1, 2014, a valid professional certificate may be renewed for additional five-year periods by:

(A) Completion of one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC since the certificate was issued and which relate to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-270 (5), (7), or (9); or

(B) Completion of four professional growth plans that are developed annually since the certificate was issued in collaboration with a minimum of three certificated colleagues or supervisor, and that documents formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and career level benchmarks defined in WAC 181-78A-540(2). Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours; or

(C) An expired professional certificate issued under rules in effect prior to September 1, 2014, may be renewed for an additional five-year period by presenting evidence to the superintendent of public instruction of completing the continuing education credit hour requirement within the five years prior to the date of the renewal application.

(ii) Beginning September 1, 2014, a valid professional certificate may be renewed for additional five-year periods for individuals in the role as a school counselor or school psychologist in a public school, approved private school, or in a state agency which provides educational services to students by completion of four professional growth plans developed annually since the certificate was issued in collaboration with the professional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030 that documents formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-

78A-540(2). Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours.

(iii) Individuals not in the role as a school counselor or school psychologist in a public school or approved private school may have their professional certificate renewed for an additional five-year period by:

(A) Completion of fifteen quarter credits (ten semester credits) of college credit course work directly related to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-540(2) from a regionally accredited institution of higher education taken since the issuance of the professional certificate; or

(B) Completion of one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC since the certificate was issued and which relate to the current performance-based standards as defined in WAC 181-78A-540(2); or

(C) Completion of four annual professional growth plans developed since the certificate was issued in collaboration with the professional growth team as defined in WAC 181-79A-030 that documents formalized learning opportunities and professional development activities that relate to the standards and "career level" benchmarks defined in WAC 181-78A-540(2). Individuals who complete the requirements of the annual professional growth plan to renew their professional certificate shall receive the equivalent of thirty hours of continuing education credit hours((;

~~(D) An expired professional certificate issued under rules in effect after September 1, 2014, may be renewed for an additional five-year period by presenting evidence to the superintendent of public instruction of completing the continuing education credit hour requirement within the five years prior to the date of the renewal application).~~

(iv) Provided, That a school counselor professional certificate may be renewed based on the possession of a valid school counselor certificate issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards at the time of application for the renewal of the professional certificate. Such renewal shall be valid for five years or until the expiration of the National Board Certificate, whichever is greater; or

(v) Provided, That a school psychologist professional certificate may be renewed based on the possession of a valid national certified school psychology certificate issued by the national association of school psychologists at the time of application for the renewal of the professional certificate. Such renewal shall be valid for five years or until the expiration of the national certified school psychology certificate, whichever is greater.

(d) Provided, any educator holding a professional certificate in (a), (b), or (c) of this subsection, which requires completion of four PGPs in five years, may renew the professional certificate for one time only by completing one hundred fifty continuing education credit hours as defined in chapter 181-85 WAC, or with completion of fifteen quarter credit hours related to job responsibilities, in lieu of completion of four professional growth plans as required by (a)(ii)(C), (b)(ii)(A), and (c)(ii) of this subsection. Individuals with valid certificates must show completion of the hours

as described in this section since the professional certificate was issued. Individuals with an expired professional certificate must complete the hours as described in this section within the five years prior to the date of the renewal application. Provided, That this section is no longer in effect after June 30, 2020.

(e) For educators holding multiple certificates in (a), (b), or (c) of this subsection, or in chapter 181-85 WAC, a professional growth plan for teacher, administrator, or education staff associate shall meet the requirement for all certificates held by an individual which is affected by this section.

(f) The one time renewal option of using clock hours or credits in lieu of professional growth plans as required applies to any/all professional certificates an educator may hold, and is only available to the individual one time. This section is no longer in effect after June 30, 2020.

(g) After July 1, 2015, professional certificates for school counselors or psychologists, in addition to the requirements in this chapter, must attend training in suicide prevention as per RCW 28A.410.226 for renewal of their certificate.